



William Jerry Massey

August 23, 1938 - March 14, 2019

William “Jerry” Massey, 80, of Mooresville, NC, passed away on March 14, 2019, at his home. He was born in Charlotte to the late William Clayton Massey and Sarah Jewel Stewart Massey. He enjoyed hunting and fishing. He was a long-time guest of Boiling Springs Rod and Gun Club in Virginia. This was his “special place”. Jerry loved to travel and has lived and traveled all over the world. He proudly served his country in the US Marine Corps and the US Air Force.

In addition to his parents, Jerry is predeceased by his wife, Lottie Lucille Mabry Massey and a daughter, Jenny Lind Massey.

He is survived by children, Sandee Massey Champion (Randy – “Champ”) and Stewart Massey (Barbie); girlfriend, Dot Russell; brother, Jimmy Massey (Jane); grandchildren, Alex Champion and Kaitlyn Massey.

A memorial service will be held Friday, March 29 at 11:00 AM at Richard’s Coffee Shop, Liberty Military Museum, 165 North Main St., Mooresville, NC.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Welcome Home Veterans, 165 N. Main Street, Mooresville, NC 28115.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home and Crematory is serving the Massey family.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.cavin-cook.com.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAR **29**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Richard's Coffee Shop
165 N. Main St.
 Mooresville, NC

Tribute Wall



“ *William Jerry Massey*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ *William Jerry Massey*

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *William Jerry Massey*

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM

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“ *Stuart, Sandee, Barbie and Champ,*

You are in our thoughts with Jerry's passing. Jerry was certainly a big part of our camp life. He was always willing to help others through thick and thin. Many a time after a cold and tiring days hunt, there would be Jerry, equally tired and cold, out in the dark and cold helping others with their tasks. He always had a joke to tell or story to relate to pass the time and ease the burden.

Now, I do have to say that when it came to projects they didn't always work out exactly as he planned. In many instances it was best to watch the projects from a safe distance lest a broken cable hit you, a rock fall on you, a tree fall the wrong way or another project, against all the odds, gone awry. However, it all ended for the best, sometimes or perhaps we should say, "often", with Stuart and Champs help.

Jerry was a kind hearted person. I remember when he worked with disadvantaged kids. He empathized with their hardships in life and tried his best to help them overcome their problems. Like several of my friends, he sometimes liked to present a gruff appearance but that was not really the man. He was always ready to help others. We will miss him. He was a good man, father, grandfather and friend.

Steve and Marty Davis

Steve Davis - March 26, 2019 at 10:32 AM

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“ *So sorry for your loss. I was in nursing school with Lottie and knew his mom also working at the hospital. May the passage of time ease your grief and sorrow. Love and sympathy.*
Anne J. Miller



Anne J Miller - March 22, 2019 at 10:23 PM

JH

“ *HUGS and LOVE to you guys.
We remember Jerry as a dynamo!
If he didn't know how to do it, he found out and then did it.
Your family was an asset to Cranbrook Lane.
I love the picture you chose because seeing his smiling face brings
wonderful
memories to mind AND I can hear his voice!
But shouldn't there be one of him in his outdoor gear?
Fishing? Hunting or building a boat
(will never forget Stewart and Jerry working on the boat and the
SMELL)
Hope to be there on the 29th to give hugs.
Love you guys!
jane hixson
gary, Day and Sky*

jane hixson - March 21, 2019 at 09:08 AM

CS

“ *Our condolences to the family. So sorry to learn of Jerry's passing.
Our prayers go out to the family, Conrad and Fran Scarboro.*

Conrad & Fran Scarboro - March 20, 2019 at 10:54 AM