



Bernard Nearhood

April 29, 1913 - April 17, 2009

Mr. Bernard P. Nearhood, age 95, of Cedar Bluff, Virginia, passed away Friday, April 17, 2009 at his home following a lengthy illness. He was born in Davis, West Virginia and was the son of the late William Ralph and Fannie Mae Miller Nearhood. He had made his home in the Cedar Bluff area most of his life and was a retired foreman for Barnett and Cyphers, Inc. In the early 1940s, he was the postmaster and ran the movie projector for the Jewell Ridge community. He was a member of the Cedar Bluff United Methodist Church and was a 60 year member of the Cedar Bluff Masonic Lodge #260 AF & AM. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Beulah E. Fuller Nearhood and one step Great Grandson, Adam B. Taylor; one sister, Olive Smith; and three brothers, Clinton, Harry, and James Nearhood. He was the last surviving member of his immediate family. Survivors are: Two Sons: William R. "Bill" Nearhood, II and wife, Wanda Lee of Cedar Bluff, Virginia Tom L. Nearhood of Salt Lake City, Utah Four Grandchildren: William Ralph Nearhood and wife, Barb; Bernetta N. Koons and husband, Rob; William Thomas Nearhood and wife, Carrie; and Ben Nearhood and wife, Jenny Several Great Grandchildren and several nieces and nephews also survive. Funeral services for Bernard P. Nearhood will be conducted Monday, April 20, 2009 at 11:00am at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, Virginia with the Rev. Jackie Strickler and Rev. Carl Howell officiating. Interment will follow at Greenhills Memory Gardens in Claypool Hill, Virginia. Pallbearers will be: Brad Taylor, Roger Webb, Dale

Smith, Harry Lee Smith, Dave Hankins, Joe Smith, Bill Smith, and Jerry Pinkerton. Honorary Pallbearers will be: Burton Smith, Dr. Joe Adair, Kyle Nearhood, and Harold Messer. Friends may call after 6:00pm Sunday evening at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia and members of Cedar Bluff Masonic Lodge #260 AF & AM will conduct services at 7:00pm Sunday. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Good Samaritan Food Pantry or the Cedar Bluff United Methodist Church.

Tribute Wall



“ *Bernard Nearhood*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Bernard Nearhood*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *Please know you and family have been in my heart and prayers.*

Carole Wilson Stivers - April 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Bill, Wanda, Ralph, and Tommy and family,
I was sorry to learn of Mr Nearhood's death. I know he will be missed! I enjoyed my visits with him and Beluah when they were patients of TCH Home Health. They are having a good time and what a wonderful home they have now. May God above in His great love
keep you in His care and guide and comfort you during this difficult time.*

*Keeping you in my prayers.
Jane Ellen Horton*

Jane Ellen Horton - April 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Sorry to hear of your loss. You are in our thoughts & prayers.*

Richard & Mary Hensley - April 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.
Love,
Carol Burress*

Carol Burress - April 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

FS

“ *Bill,
I send my condolences to you and the family . May The Heavenly
Father cover you with His great love and comfort.*

Faye Street - April 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GH

“ *I'm sorry to learn Mr.Nearhood is passed on.He was a Great
foreman when
I worked with him at Barnettes.He was one of the great men.*

Glen Hess - April 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM