



Michael Dale Shrewsbury

July 3, 1960 - November 1, 2018

This world became a sadder place on Thursday, November 1, 2018 when the soul of Mike Shrewsbury age 58 of Richlands, Virginia, left this world when God called him home.

Few people on this earth get to experience firsthand the caliber of a person we all had the pleasure to know as Mike Shrewsbury. Mike was born in Bluefield, West Virginia and was the son of Gloria Ann Shrewsbury Glass and the late Dale Roland Shrewsbury. He was a 1978 graduate of Montcalm High School and had been a former plant manager for Woodtech and American LaFrance and was working as a sales manager for Davis Wood Products. Mike was a proud member of the Bailey Masonic Lodge #137 for over 35 years.

Mike was a cut up, a prankster of the first degree. Laughter was his medicine, he knew a smile and a good laugh would make you feel better. Stranger was not in his vocabulary, and those who knew him well, knew that he had his own unique vocabulary. His spare time used to be spent fishing, hunting, or cheering on the Georgia Bulldogs and the Steelers. But his whole world changed on July 22, 2017 when Rhonda walked up the hill and into his life for their first date. Mike said he never knew love at first sight could be real until he saw Rhonda. Within a few days he told Rhonda, his life would be complete if she would marry him, so on August 25th , they were engaged and married by

December 16th. He often commented that he loved her more than fishing and wanted to spend whatever time he had left with her. Mike was always excited when Sunday dawned, he loved attending the City on A Hill Church and listening to Pastor Barry minister. Mike was very generous and loved giving people presents, his final gift was the donation of his organs so he could give someone a better life. The greatest joys of his life were his wife, children and grandchildren. We consider ourselves the luckiest of individuals to be forever impacted by the unconditional love and free spirit of his beautiful soul; a part of him that will live on forever in our memories and heart. His absences will leave a void that can never be filled.

Those who remain to cherish his memory are:

His love and soul mate, Rhonda VanDyke Shrewsbury of Richlands, VA

His sons:

Eric Shrewsbury and wife, Jessica of Montcalm, WV

Joshua Shrewsbury and wife, Amy of Montcalm, WV

Jacob Shrewsbury and wife, Tiffany of Montcalm, WV

Sister, Tammy Reagin and husband, Larry of Richmond, VA

Brothers:

Rod Shrewsbury and wife, Theresa of Tazewell, VA

Jeff Shrewsbury of Mableton, GA

Willie Shrewsbury and wife, Angela of Jonesborough, TN

Jamie Shrewsbury and wife, Donna of Leeds, AL

Father and Mother In-law, Donnie and Mary Smith of Richlands, VA

Grandchildren, Chloe and Jordyn Shrewsbury; Landon and Paisley Dillon; Haightliegh Bordeaux; Cole and Rhyleigh Thomason also survive along with

several nieces, nephews and a host of friends.

Funeral services for Mike Shrewsbury will be conducted at 2:00 pm on Sunday, November 4, 2018 at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, Virginia with the Rev. Barry Absher and Rev. Mike Altizer officiating. A Masonic service will be held prior to the service. Entombment will be at 11:00 am on Monday, November 5, 2018 at the Greenhills Memory Gardens Mausoleum in Claypool Hill, VA. Pallbearers will be Randy Jennings, Terry Keen, Steve Bunker, Doug Conner, Skyler Bunker, Kyle Tyson, Eric Atwell, Bill Pulley, Doyle Sandifer and Andy Bass. The family will receive friends on Saturday evening beginning at 6 pm until 9 pm.

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia is honored to assist with the arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Greenhills Memory Gardens

11800 Gov G.C. Peery Hwy
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 3. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home
1401 2nd Street
Richlands, VA 24641
<http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com>

Funeral Service

NOV 4. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Committal Service

NOV 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Michael Dale Shrewsbury*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



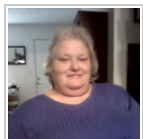
“ *Michael Dale Shrewsbury*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *I am so sorry to hear of Mikes passing. I've known Mike for over a dozen years working with him through Davis Wood Products. I have always considered him a good friend and he will be missed. I know the family will have wonderful memories of him and I pray they find comfort in those memories. Jr Wilson (AC Furniture)*

Jr Wilson - November 07, 2018 at 06:52 PM



“ *So sorry for your family's loss. Gloria you will be in our thoughts and prayers. If there is anything we can do for you please let us know. Your whole family will be in our thoughts and prayers.*

Dena Boyd - November 04, 2018 at 09:48 AM

JH

“ I am saddened beyond words to learn of Mike’s passing. It has been some time since I’ve seen my dear cousin. But he had an unforgettable presence and intoxicating personality. He was warm, loving, kind, fun and authentic. He was always ready to share a joke, smile and hearty belly laugh – he was contagious. I have many wonderful memories of growing up around Mike and am grateful for that. He was a beautiful example of loving and living life to the fullest. This world is forever changed without Mike’s charismatic, boisterous personality and gentle spirit. Sending the deepest condolences, love and comfort to my family during this incredibly difficult time.

Julie P. Honaker - November 04, 2018 at 07:49 AM

JH

“ Julie P. Honaker lit a candle in memory of Michael Dale Shrewsbury



Julie P. Honaker - November 04, 2018 at 07:28 AM

DM

“ Rhonda I am so so sorry for your loss. I did not know your husband but he sounds like an outstanding man. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Love you.



debbie motley - November 03, 2018 at 04:34 PM



“ This breaks my heart such a fun guy

Kim Shaw - November 03, 2018 at 01:02 PM

BC

“ So sorry for your loss of a very nice gentle man Mike was my boss @ American LaFrance several years ago always had a smile he treated everyone with kindness & respect my nickname for Mike was "Baby Huey" because of his big clumsy feet God needed a special angel & Mike was the choice RIP Mike prayer & hugs for all this dear family

Barbara Creasy - November 03, 2018 at 12:15 PM

RS

Mike was my big brother , I knew that because he signed all his cards love your big brother mike. Today I had such an honor to witness how much everyone loved him and how he brought so much laughter into everyone's heart . I hope in this world somewhere there will always be a big brother like mike out there telling jokes and making people laugh you may be gone but you will never be forgotten. Love Rod

rod shrewsbury - November 04, 2018 at 07:27 AM

DA

“ OUR GENERATION IS LEAVING THIS EARTH DAY BY DAY ! WHEN OUR NAMES ARE CALLED , I HOPE OUR HOME IS IN HEAVEN WITH JESUS ! RIP , MIKE WITH GOD , JESUS , HOLY SPIRIT, ANGELS , AND THE SAINTS OF GOD ! LORD , COMFORT THE LOVED ONES THAT HAVE RECEIVED A GREAT LOSS !



DAVID - November 03, 2018 at 12:09 PM

PH

“ Sending love and prayers for his loved ones. I hadn't seen Mike in years but have many cherished memories of my cousin. Aunt Gloria sent many pictures of his fishing experiences through the years. Love to all..Patricia Hanawalt (Patty Mitchell)

Patricia (Mitchell) Hanawalt - November 03, 2018 at 12:06 PM

NH

“ With deepest sympathy for the loss of Mike. I hadn't seen Mike for quite some time but considered him one of my best friends. From Norman Hall, Princeton, WV.

Norman Hall - November 03, 2018 at 09:44 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Michael Dale Shrewsbury.



November 03, 2018 at 09:41 AM

MA

“ Sending prayers and love to all of you - I have so many wonderful memories of my cousins! Mike will always be remembered. ❤️❤️

Marcy - November 03, 2018 at 09:39 AM

 Cindy Mullins

“ Love and prayers to all his family, he was kind to me, and it meant a lot at that time. I am happy he has had a good life, and had lots of people who loved him. Sometimes there are no words that matter, God bless.

Cindy Mullins - November 03, 2018 at 08:56 AM



“ *TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Michael Dale Shrewsbury*



TonyanEdgar Wicks - November 03, 2018 at 08:43 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Michael Dale Shrewsbury.*



November 03, 2018 at 08:42 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Michael Dale Shrewsbury.*



November 03, 2018 at 07:36 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Michael Dale Shrewsbury.*



November 03, 2018 at 06:29 AM

JD

“ *If you were lucky enough to know him as a friend, he was that and so much more . I'll never forget the weekend mike, me and rod took John boats thru the bluestone gorge . It had never been done. We were young and stupid, nearly drowned , I'm sure the lord has a stream in heaven for you to enjoy fishing . God bless and keep you, I'm a better man for knowing you. Until we meet again my friend. Jerry sink*



jerry dink - November 03, 2018 at 12:03 AM

ED

“ *May God bless, comfort and strengthen the Shrewsbury family. As you move through the days and weeks that lie ahead, may the precious memories you hold in your heart give you happiness until you are reunited with your loved one in Heaven.
Gone but not forgotten, my classmate and friend.
Love & prayers,
Eileen Dyson*



Eileen Dyson - November 02, 2018 at 11:06 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Michael Dale Shrewsbury.*



November 02, 2018 at 10:59 PM

Joe
Honaker

“ *He was a good man and a good old boy that loved life and fishing. I know my father loved him like a son. Condolences to his family and loved ones.*

Joe Honaker - November 02, 2018 at 10:44 PM

MG

“ *Mary Gobble lit a candle in memory of Michael Dale Shrewsbury*



Mary Gobble - November 02, 2018 at 09:56 PM

LE

“ *Lynda And Wayne Evans lit a candle in memory of Michael Dale Shrewsbury*



Lynda and Wayne Evans - November 02, 2018 at 09:32 PM

CC

“ *Cathy Cordle sent a virtual gift in memory of Michael Dale Shrewsbury*



Cathy Cordle - November 02, 2018 at 08:56 PM