



Paul Parker VanDyke

March 17, 1941 - February 25, 2014

Paul Parker VanDyke age 72 of Raven, Virginia ended his battle with brain cancer on Wednesday, February 25, 2014 at Heritage Hall of Tazewell. He was born on March 17, 1941 in Vansant, Virginia to the late George L. and Lou Looney VanDyke, former Buchanan County residents. He served his country in the United States Army and later worked in the coalmines for several years before going into business for himself. He was the owner and operator of Soft Water Sales and Service, Inc. located in Raven, Virginia. Paul was an inspiration to all who knew him and lived his life as an example to others. He was a member of the L.D.S. Church of Christ and had lived most of his life in the Raven area.

In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by one daughter, Gloria (Nut) VanDyke; brothers, Noah, Marshall and Lowell VanDyke; sisters, Juanita Pasteur, Ola Gay Matney and Helen Jackson; Grand-daughter, Ashley Nicole Atkins.

He is survived by:

His devoted and loving wife of 51 years, Cleo Woods VanDyke of Raven, VA
Daughter, Trish Boyd of Raven, Virginia

Brothers:

Joe VanDyke of Raven, VA

Johnny VanDyke and wife Darla of Bristol, VA

Grandchildren:

Chad VanDyke and wife Sarah of Burlington, NC

Kendra L. Boyd of Raven, VA

Kaula N. VanDyke

Funeral services for Paul Parker VanDyke will be conducted at 7:00 pm on Friday, February 28, 2014 at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia with the Elders Frank Moure and Mike McClure officiating. Interment will follow in the Greenhills Memory Gardens at Claypool Hill, Virginia at 1:00 pm on Saturday, March 1, 2014. Family and friends will serve as pallbearers. Members of the Casey-Shortt VFW Post # 9640 will conduct the Military Graveside Rites. Friends may call beginning at 5:00 on Friday evening at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia.

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia is in charge of 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

FEB 28. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

FEB 28. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Graveside Service

MAR 1. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



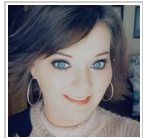
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January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Paul Parker VanDyke*

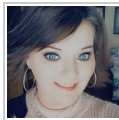
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“ *Geraldine Woods lit a candle in memory of Paul Parker VanDyke*



Geraldine Woods - March 02, 2014 at 05:05 PM



Paul was more special to our family than words could ever say he will forever be in our hearts and memories

Geraldine Woods - March 02, 2014 at 05:10 PM

JM

“ *The MARRS Family sends their love and condolences to Paul's family. I knew Paul for a while and thought a lot of him and Cleo. I remember Cleo bringing food to the Hospital for me , when their daughter and my wife were expecting babies , at the same time. We will be praying for the entire family. I did not learn till recently , I am related to Paul , wish I had found out sooner in life.*

With love

Johnny , Regina , Michael MARRS

Johnny MARRS - March 01, 2014 at 01:09 PM

PA

“ *Cleo, so sorry I did not know about Paul until 03/1/2014. It has been a bad year for many of us. I will never forget his smiling face and how he always there to help when someone needed him. The H2O man. I will be praying for you.*

phyllis altizer - March 01, 2014 at 12:21 PM

PA

“ *Paul will be greatly missed. He was kind and helpful to all. It has been a tough year already. So sorry Cleo. you sure took good care of him.*

phyllis altizer - March 01, 2014 at 11:59 AM

PA

“ *Phyllis Altizer lit a candle in memory of Paul Parker VanDyke*



phyllis altizer - March 01, 2014 at 11:57 AM

JO

“ We will miss Paul's kind and loving spirit. He was always willing to assist us on the telephone or at our home ...with a smile and with gems of wisdom.

Our deepest sympathy goes out to his wife and family. We will surely miss him.

*John Wolford and Rhonda Cooper
Abingdon, VA*

John - February 28, 2014 at 10:03 AM

AN

“ Mr. Vandyke was a good neighbor to us and others. We especially remember his plowing snow from the roads, including ours. Our many prayers are with the family and know that God will give you comfort and strength.

Anna and Garry Damron

Anna - February 28, 2014 at 07:04 AM

AD

“ Anna & Garry Damron lit a candle in memory of Paul Parker VanDyke



Anna & Garry Damron - February 28, 2014 at 06:59 AM

PR

“ *Cleo, Trish & Chad*

So sorry about Paul, he was such a good man and had a wonderful family. You all are in my thoughts and prayers.

Bill & Pat Reedy

pat reedy - February 28, 2014 at 12:01 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Paul Parker VanDyke.*



February 27, 2014 at 06:04 PM

JG

“ *Dear Cleo and family,*

We are so saddened to hear of Paul's passing, but we know you will find comfort in your faith and the knowledge that he is free from pain and suffering. He has a great reward in store for him because of the way he lived his life here. May the Comforter bring you peace always.

We have many fond memories of our time in Richlands and our "luxury" apartment over your garage. Paul was a great brother and friend.

Love,

Judy and Randall Gibson

Judy Gibson - February 27, 2014 at 11:10 AM

BA

“ Cleo & Family---We are so saddened to hear about Paul. He was such a friendly person and always smiling! We will certainly miss seeing him! Please know that you will be in our prayers.

Bandy, Cline & Associates - February 27, 2014 at 08:59 AM

BA

“ Bandy, Cline & Associates lit a candle in memory of Paul Parker VanDyke



Bandy, Cline & Associates - February 27, 2014 at 08:54 AM

GA

“ Gaynell Armes lit a candle in memory of Paul Parker VanDyke



Gaynell Armes - February 27, 2014 at 08:31 AM

LN

“ Leroy Nelson lit a candle in memory of Paul Parker VanDyke



Leroy Nelson - February 27, 2014 at 07:23 AM

MB

“ We were so sorry to hear of Paul's passing. He was a wonderful man that showed great compassion for all his friends and neighbors. We grew to love him and Cleo as we spent a year in their home and felt their love for us. They are truly wonderful friends and neighbors. We were sorry that we couldn't get back to see again. It was always our dream to make another trip to Appalachia. Our hearts are still their and we send our love to Cleo and all the family.

Sincerely,

Milton and Sandra Barrus

Twin Falls, Idaho

Milton Barrus - February 27, 2014 at 12:15 AM

BM

“ Bruce & Linda Boyd Mitchell sent a virtual gift in memory of Paul Parker VanDyke



Bruce & Linda Boyd Mitchell - February 26, 2014 at 04:27 PM

TE

“ Our deepest sympathy we send to you all. May God grant to you peace and comfort during this sad time.

The Rays~ Terry, Bobbie, Blake & Emily - February 26, 2014 at 04:10 PM

MJ

“ *Mark & Beth Johnson lit a candle in memory of Paul Parker VanDyke*



Mark & Beth Johnson - February 26, 2014 at 02:47 PM

RV

*Our deepest sympathy to Paul's family. We really appreciated Paul for his lending hand when it snowed or just the friendly conversations.
Neighbors Richard and Judy Vance*

Richard Judy Vance - February 27, 2014 at 09:04 AM