



## Lee Crites

February 17, 1944 - October 4, 2013

Myrtle Beach

Lee Ellery Crites

Mr. Lee Ellery Crites, 69, of Myrtle Beach, died Friday, October 4, 2013, at his residence.

Born in Ravenna, OH, Mr. Crites was the son of the late Russell and Clee Crites.

He is predeceased by his loving wife, JoAnne Crites.

A member of Surfside Presbyterian Church, Mr. Crites had many passions which included working with stained glass, attending church and woodworking. In fact he handcrafted the kitchen cabinets inside his home.

Mr. Crites was a loving husband, father, grandfather, brother and friend.

He is survived by his sons, Mark Crites, Tallmadge, OH; Lou Berlin, Wooster, OH; Danny Berlin, Barberton, OH; sisters, Laura Sovil, Munroe Falls, OH; Louise Alexander, Akron, OH; Phyllis Lawler, Canton, OH; Lisa Tulley, Springfield, OH; grandchildren, Erin Berlin, Nina Crites, Mike Berlin, Jessica Gilbert-Dillon and a multitude of great grand children.

A memorial service will be held 2:00 PM Tuesday, October 8, 2013 at Surfside Presbyterian Church with Pastor Julian Riddle officiating. A reception will be held at the church following the service.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Surfside Presbyterian Church Building Fund, 8732 Hwy. 17 Bypass, Myrtle Beach, SC 29575.

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel, is in charge of arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

AB

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Please accept my deepest sympathy. May you find comfort from your memories, as well as the comfort found in God's word the bible. Romans 5:12 says, "That is why, just as through one man (Adam) sin entered into the world and death through sin, and thus death spread to all men because they had all sinned." How loving of God to promise what is found at Revelation 21:4 which says, "And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away.”

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**A. Bell** - October 18, 2013 at 02:57 PM

PL

“ Growing up I wonder if Mom ever wonder where her salt shaker went to .Lee and I had it on the roof of the garage while eating all those green apples or it was trying to eat around all the bad spots on the apples, I hope we did not eat any worms. The salt make the apples taste better. I think about the trees in heaven where we will be able to eat 12 different kinds of fruit, and not worms or bad spots in them.I'm waiting to be able to eat of them with you Lee. Your twice sister, once as your earthy sister and once as you sister in Christ. Phyllis

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**Phyllis Lawler** - October 07, 2013 at 08:51 PM

YS

“ Yvonne Sovil lit a candle in memory of Lee Crites



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Yvonne Sovil - October 07, 2013 at 08:41 PM

SA

“ Lee,  
I will treasure the time that I could spend with you. My love goes with with you until I can be with you and JoAnne and family again. We will have a great reunion and praise God forever.



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Sally - October 07, 2013 at 08:41 PM

YS

“ I have known Lee for quite a long time and he was a great guy. You will be missed by a lot of family and friends. You are in a better place now with our lord and you will have a new body and no more pain. Rest in peace Lee

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Yvonne Sovil - October 07, 2013 at 08:40 PM

KJ

“ I loved spending the day with Uncle Lee, I remember him making us laugh all the time. Now he and Aunt Joanne will be together eternally. We will miss you always and one day see you again. Love your niece Kathy

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Kathy Jackson - October 07, 2013 at 04:52 PM

KJ

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**Kathy Jackson** - October 07, 2013 at 04:52 PM

LT

“ Lisa Tulley lit a candle in memory of Lee Crites



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**Lisa Tulley** - October 07, 2013 at 03:24 PM

LT

“ To my brother,  
I am very thankful for being able to be here since the end of July to help take care of you. Also to be able to spend that time with you. You left me a lot of good memories, and a lot of laughs. Now, you are pain free and with JoAnne, and Dad and Mom. You are truly missed.  
Lisa Tulley (sister)

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**Lisa Tulley** - October 07, 2013 at 03:23 PM

AB

“ Only knew Lee (and Joanne) for a few years; but they were the sweetest people. Lee was a rock for Joanne when she was ill and he missed her so much. Now they are together in heaven pain free. We will miss you.

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**Anna, Chuck & Alex Bryson** - October 07, 2013 at 11:24 AM