



Richard Arden Morris

January 24, 1946 - April 29, 2016

North Charleston..... Richard Arden Morris, age 70, of Flynn Drive passed away Friday, April 29, 2016.

Mr. Morris was born in Oberlin, Kansas, a son of the late Claude Elmo and Sylvia Eunice Post Combs. He was a US Navy Veteran of the Vietnam War. Prior to retirement, he was employed by South Carolina Electric and Gas for 40 years.

Surviving are: his wife of 40 years, Linda Collins Morris of North Charleston; two sons, Sean A. Morris and his wife, Brianne of Knob Noster, MO and Stuart A. Morris of North Charleston; one granddaughter, Jordyn Morris; one brother, Chester P. Morris, Kingsman, AZ; and one sister, Beverly Morris Smith of Burlington, KS.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM Wednesday from Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel with Rev. Kenneth Hucks officiating. Burial will follow in Pauley Swamp Baptist Church Cemetery.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 6:00 until 8:00 PM Tuesday.

Sign an online guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

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

Cemetery Details

Pauley Swamp Baptist Church Cemetery

7019 Pauley Swamp Road
Conway, SC 29527

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 3. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Goldfinch Funeral Home
606-610 Beaty Street
Conway, SC 29526
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Funeral Ceremony

MAY 4. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

TA

“ *Tami Ankrom purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Richard Arden Morris.*



Tami Ankrom - May 03, 2016 at 04:39 PM



“ *I remember Uncle Dick coming to visit his mom, my grandma, when I was little. He was such a chipper and dashing fellow in his sailor outfit. He decided to call myself and my 3 sisters the U.D.T. (Underfoot Demolition Team) due to our high activity level. We didn't bother or scare him. He just jumped right in and seemed to enjoy our chaos. I thought he was fascinating. - Patricia (Wurm) Buffum*

Pat Buffum - May 02, 2016 at 06:39 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Richard Arden Morris.*



May 02, 2016 at 04:42 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Richard Arden Morris.*



May 02, 2016 at 11:49 AM



“ *Dick was my older cousin who always had an infectious silly giggle during his childhood and teen years. I hope he kept that giggle to the very end. He would take me, a kid not yet in high school, driving around Oberlin, cruising the streets like a big kid. He and another cousin, Mary (also deceased), were the same age and always had a great time together at family reunions. They were the older ones that I looked up to. You have my sympathy and prayers.*
Janice Wesch Shobe

Janice Wesch Shobe - May 02, 2016 at 10:32 AM



“ *RIP Sailor and fellow Vietnam Vet !!!!*
Wayne Williams
United States Marine Corps



Wayne Williams - USMC - May 02, 2016 at 07:05 AM

JW

“ We always knew Richard by his nickname Dick and being a cousin we spent a lot of time together when we were kids growing up in NW Kansas. Dick like myself enjoyed firearms and often discussed the merits of each one..One of his favorite "tricks" was to conceal 7 of them under his coat.

He was always quiet and to my knowledge never got into any trouble as a kid. I stayed with Dick and his family part of my Freshman year in high school as we lived 20 miles from Oberlin. May God grant you comfort in your time of loss. God Bless!

*Jim Wesch
Oberlin, KS*

Jim Wesch - April 30, 2016 at 04:17 PM

DJ

“ Richard was a quiet man who didn't draw attention to himself. He often sat listening with a smile on his face as others talked at family gatherings. He was also kind and generous. My sister and I were daughters of a tobacco farmer as were most of my cousins. Dad and mom worked hard and provided all we needed, but there were not a lot of extras. When we were young girls, Linda and Richard would come to Conway and get us to spend a week or more with them in the summer. When we arrived at their home, they would have clothes and gifts waiting for us. They took us to Charleston attractions, movies, the beach, etc., and we really had a great time. I remember on one particular trip to the beach, we were in an inflated boat-type raft in the ocean and saw live sand dollars. I treasured those trips and will never forget their generosity and the memories made.

Another special memory of Richard is my parent's 50th wedding anniversary celebration. Dad's shoe lace was untied, and Richard bent down and tied it for Dad without saying a word. He also not only took pictures, but printed them and placed them in an album for mom and dad to keep.

Richard will be missed, but we have many memories to cherish of the caring man that he was.

Donna Collins Johnson

Donna Colins Johnson - April 30, 2016 at 02:30 PM