



L. Wayne Harrison

November 27, 1927 - April 5, 2012

L. Wayne Harrison, 84, devoted husband, father, grandfather, and friend passed away peacefully on Thursday April 5, 2012 in Richmond, TX. Wayne was born November 27, 1927 in the small community of Sidonia, Tennessee. He grew up during the depression on a small family farm where he developed a tireless work ethic and an equally tireless devotion to God. He served with honor in the U.S. Army during the Korean War and was a proud member of the Texas Lone Star Chapter of the Korean War Veterans.

Soon after his discharge from the service in 1953, Wayne moved to Chicago, IL where he met the love of his life, Marilyn, whom he married in 1955. He worked as an engineer for Coca Cola, PepsiCo, and Central DuPage Hospital, as well as Bell Laboratories, where he served as president of the local chapter of the CWA.

Wayne was a member of the Cinco Ranch Church of Christ and was a principled and devoted man of faith who spent his life serving the needs of his church and his community.

He is preceded in death by his parents; Webster and Hazel Harrison; and sister, Martha Monroe.

He is survived by his loving wife of 56 years, Marilyn Harrison; children, Sue

Schultea and husband Volie, David Wayne Harrison and wife Jeanne, and Patricia Harrison Diemert and husband, Victor; grandchildren, Zachary Davis, Heather Harrison, Benjamin Harrison and Jeremy Diemert; and sister, Sue Powell; along with numerous other relatives and friends.

Funeral services for Mr. Harrison will be held at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, April 10, 2012 in the Chapel of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home in Rosenberg, TX.

Visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m., Monday, April 9, 2012 in the Chapel of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home.

Memorial contributions may be made to World Christian Broadcasting, 605 Bradley Court, Franklin, Tennessee, 37067.

Tribute Wall

RR

“ *Marilyn and family,*

Kathy and I are praying for God to strengthen and comfort each one of you during this difficult time of loss. Wayne was like a father to me and a TRUE friend. I will miss him dearly, but I know he is in a much better place with the Lord. We love you. Let us know if there is anything you need or we can do. With love and sympathy,

Randy and Kathy Riddell

Randy Riddell - April 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ *We will miss you, your overalls, and white trees. You were the best neighbor, ever! Be at peace in your heavenly workshop now!*

Seanette Meserole - April 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

WB

“ *Just wanted to say how sorry I am for your lost, your family are in my thoughts and prayers. I'm a friend of Sue Powell. She talked alot about her brother and I know he was a good man who loved his family and most of all God. May God bless you all and give you strength to get thru these sad days, may Mr. Harrison rest in peace!!!!*

Wanda Barner - April 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ So sorry about the loss of your precious husband, dad, grandfather and brother. Just read his obituary, what a tribute to his life and what he stood for and meant to all of you. I have such good memories of y'all coming to visit Sue and Bobby, he was always so nice to the Pierces and Susan and I had lots of fun in Bradford playing together. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this very hard time of his departing from his family but the great promise from our Lord that we will see each other again for all eternity is comforting. Love you all, Denise

Denise Pierce Rinks - April 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ The Family of Wayne Harrison--- My condolences to all for the loss of Wayne. He was my first cousin and I have many memories of him. He married the girl who was my neighbor in Cicero, Illinois. I had the privilege of standing up for his wedding. There are many memories of spending summer vacations in Sidonia at the Harrison farm. I am very sorry to see him pass and will miss the long phone conversations we had in the past few years. God Bless the entire family.

Kay Allen Lacewell - April 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LJ

“ I wish everyone could have an Uncle like my Uncle Wayne. He was the best, even got my first dog for me. I am so glad that Alexandria & Harrison were able to spend some time with you & get to know you and Aunt Marilyn. They still remember playing spoons & dominos. We will miss you!
Love,
Lisa

Lisa James - April 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ Marilyn & Family,

Wayne was a loving brother and brother-in-law. We share many great family memories that we will treasure always. He will be missed each and every day.

Our prayers and thoughts are with you today and forever as we share the loss of one so dear.

God Bless All of You.

Love

Sue & Bob

Sue & Bob Powell - April 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *We will miss him very much, but know he's with my Daddy Jack Wray.*

Dereith Wray - April 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ *I wish to express my deepest sympathies to Marily and the family. I always enjoyed it when Wayne and Marily were at the Firt Family meetings he always had very interesting stories to tell. Wayne you will be missed here but welcomed with open arms in heaven*

Kathy Westerfield - April 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BJ

“ *The Harrison Family,
Wayne was a great friend. We will miss him greatly, but we will ALL have the great memories he left with us. You all, will be in our prayers.*

Bev & John - April 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

FO

“ He was our great neighbor on Windmill Dr for 20 years. We shared gardening and other activities. He was a great buddy.

Fred Olenick - April 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ Marlyn,
Lee & I wish to express our deepest sympathy at this time. Wayne was a good friend and fellow veteran. I remember your prayers last year for our daughter, they really helped. I want to offer our prayers for you and your family at this time.
God Bless You,
Charlotte & Lee

Lee & Charlotte Henderson - April 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ Sue & Volie, your family is in our thoughts and prayers as always we are here for you.

God Bless You,
Shane & Melanie Snider

Shane & Melanie Snider - April 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ Grandpa,

Already, I miss the stories you would tell me, the way you would always make me laugh, and all the projects we worked on together. But I am grateful for the time we had.

I love you and Grandma and will see you again one day...

Jeremy Diemert - April 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM