



## Frederick Barney "Rick" Lanier Sr.

January 4, 1944 - September 2, 2013

Frederick Barney Lanier, Sr., 69, of Lynchburg, passed away Monday, September 2, 2013. He was the loving husband of Barbara Bomar Lanier for Forty-four years.

He was born January 4, 1944 in Pittsylvania County, a son of the late Dews Lanier and Fannie Emerson Lanier. He was a longtime and faithful member of Jordan Baptist Church.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by his sons, Ricky Lanier, Fred Lanier, Jr. and his wife, Shelia, Dean Lanier and his wife, Donna, and Tracey Witt and his wife, Cathy; eight grandchildren; 6 great grandchildren; two brothers; four sisters and his mother-in-law, Paula Virginia Bomar.

He was preceded in death by five brothers.

A celebration of Rick's life will be conducted at 11:00 a.m., Thursday, September 5, 2013 at Jordan Baptist Church, 3708 Parkwood Ave., Lynchburg, by Pastor Melvin Campbell with interment to follow in Altavista Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service at the church.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests that those wishing to make memorials consider the American Heart Association, 4217 Park Place Court, Glen Allen, VA 23060, or American Kidney Foundation, 6110 Executive Blvd., Suite 1010, Rockville, MD 20852-3914.

# Cemetery Details

## Altavista Memorial Park

642 Wards Road  
Altavista, VA 24517

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 5. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Jordan Baptist Church  
3708 Parkwood Ave.  
Lynchburg, VA 24501

## Funeral Service

SEP 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

Jordan Baptist Church  
3708 Parkwood Ave.  
Lynchburg, VA 24501

# Tribute Wall

WF

“ My condolences to the Lanier family. My thoughts and prayers go out to your whole family. Psalms 147:3 says God, "is healing the broken hearted ones, and is binding up their painful spots." May God bring you comfort and peace.

williams family - September 08, 2013 at 08:15 PM

CH

“ We would like to send our Prayers to the family. He will be missed by many and we pray that peace be with each one of you.  
The Hammocks  
Carolyn, Cindy Loretta R.T. Hammock

Cynthia Hammock - September 07, 2013 at 08:57 AM

SD

“ Scotty Davis lit a candle in memory of  
Frederick Barney "Rick" Lanier Sr.



Scotty Davis - September 06, 2013 at 07:57 AM

DB

“ Dorothy Brooks lit a candle in memory of  
Frederick Barney "Rick" Lanier Sr.



Dorothy Brooks - September 05, 2013 at 02:26 PM

DE

“ *Debi lit a candle in memory of Frederick Barney "Rick" Lanier Sr.*



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**Debi** - September 04, 2013 at 10:26 PM

MA

“ *Where to start? You where like a Grandfather to me, you where my "Papa Rick". You and Bobby kept me since I was very small mom reminded me the other day of your nick name for me. After seeing you in and out of the hospital these last few months and then seeing you this passed Thursday and talking with you it gave me hope that I will see you again. Thank you for reminding me of that. You where an amazing man of God and now you are Fishing on those Banks of that beautiful river you where talking about. God needed you, Rest easy "Papa Rick". To the family I feel your hurt. I love you Bobby. Thank you for the many memories.*



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**Meagan Adkins** - September 04, 2013 at 07:16 PM

DL

“ *Dear Family So sorry to learn of your loss. My sympathy is with you all.*

*Doris Lanier and family*

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**Doris Lanier** - September 04, 2013 at 02:23 PM

DE

“ *Bobbie, we are so sorry to hear this! We will be praying for you and family. We love you! Terry and Delores Helms*

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**Delores** - September 04, 2013 at 09:33 AM

RC

“ *Randolph And Joyce Coffey lit a candle in memory of Frederick Barney "Rick" Lanier Sr.*



**Randolph and Joyce Coffey** - September 04, 2013 at 06:55 AM

DM

“ *Dot [rorer] Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Frederick Barney "Rick" Lanier Sr.*



**dot [rorer] mitchell** - September 04, 2013 at 04:47 AM

JJ

“ *We are praying for your family. We will miss Papa Rick so much. We have so many happy memories of him. We love you Mrs Bobbie and if we can do anything please call and let us know. We can't make the funeral but will do anything you need so please call anytime! John and Pam Jarman and kids*

**john and pam jarman** - September 03, 2013 at 08:05 PM

EE

“ *Eugene & Mary Edmonds lit a candle in memory of Frederick Barney "Rick" Lanier Sr.*



**Eugene & Mary Edmonds** - September 03, 2013 at 07:52 PM

CW

“ *CARROLL AND GWENDA WILLARD lit a candle in memory of Frederick Barney "Rick" Lanier Sr.*



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**CARROLL AND GWENDA WILLARD** - September 03, 2013 at 06:42 PM

RS

“ *Robin Scruggs lit a candle in memory of Frederick Barney "Rick" Lanier Sr.*



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**Robin Scruggs** - September 03, 2013 at 04:33 PM

RS

*Barbara, love you and am praying for you. Love Robin*

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**Robin Scruggs** - September 03, 2013 at 04:35 PM

PM

“ *Dear Family, I am so sorry to learn of Ricky's passing. Our heartfelt sympathy goes out to all of you. Patti Lanier and Don Morton*



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**Patti Morton** - September 03, 2013 at 03:46 PM

JG

“ Barbara, you may not remember me I am H.C. and Virginia Bowman's daughter Judy. I am so sorry to hear the passing of Rick. I know mama and daddy thought alot of both of you. I know they are all together with the Lord. you are in my prayers.



Judy Bowman Guthrie - September 03, 2013 at 02:27 PM

LR

“ Barbara and family, Rick was always a great baby brother. He is resting Pain Free in Heaven now. Love you all, Linda and Raymond



Linda Rice - September 03, 2013 at 12:39 PM

LA

“ I will miss you Uncle Rick but it gives me comfort to know you are pain free and in the arms of Jesus.



Lana - September 03, 2013 at 10:30 AM