



Timothy Dean Rice

June 5, 1958 - April 30, 2024

Timothy Dean Rice, 65, of 635 Riverview Drive, Altavista died Tuesday, April 30, 2024 at his home surrounded by his loved ones. He was the husband of Vicky Rice for forty-five years.

He was born June 5, 1958 in Lynchburg, a son of the late John Howard Rice and Pauline Rice Johnson. He was a member of Union Chapel Community Church and a retired master technician at Altavista Motors. Timothy loved hunting, racing, golf, and his family.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two sons, Christopher Dean Rice and his wife, Jenny of Altavista and John Clinton Rice and his wife, Larrah of Mebane, NC; one brother, Leffie "Billy" Rice and his wife, Patricia of Evington; two sisters, Florence Brummett and her husband, Larry of Lynch Station and Mollie Clingempeel and her husband, Norman of Monroe; and five grandchildren, Collin, Maddyn, Keaton, Brantley and Jase Rice.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Michael Rice.

A funeral service will be conducted at 2:00 p.m., Friday, May 3, 2024 at Union Chapel Community Church by the Rev. Chad Miller with interment to follow in the church cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 7:00 until 8:30 p.m., Thursday at Finch & Finch Funeral and Cremation Service, Altavista and other times at the residence.

The family suggests that those wishing to make memorials consider The American Cancer Society, 2050 Langhorne Rd., Ste. 201, Lynchburg, VA 24501.

Cemetery Details

Union Chapel Community Church Cemetery

5796 Leesville Rd.
Lynch Station, VA 24571

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 2. 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

Finch and Finch, Altavista
809 Main St.
Altavista, VA 24517

Funeral Service

MAY 3. 2:00 PM (ET)

Union Chapel Community Church
5796 Leesville Rd.
Lynch Station, VA 24571

Tribute Wall



“ *Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Timothy Dean Rice*



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - May 02, 2024 at 04:46 PM

AJ

Hey Vicky, I am so sorry for your loss. Sorry I can't be with you at this time. Praying that the Lord will comfort you. Earth has no sorrow that Heaven cannot heal.

Arnold (AJ) Jackson. Prayers of Comfort for the Family and Friends.

ARNOLD L JACKSON - May 03, 2024 at 11:47 AM



“ *Gourmet Sweet & Savory Gift Basket was purchased for the family of Timothy Dean Rice.*



May 05, 2024 at 02:18 PM

FF

“ *From Endurance Auto Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Timothy Dean Rice.*

From Endurance Auto Family - May 05, 2024 at 02:18 PM

BN

“ *Worked with Timmy at Altavista Motors. Learned a lot from him. He was a good guy and a friend.
Sorry to hear of his passing. Prayers and thoughts for family.*
Bobby Nichols

Bobby Nichols - May 03, 2024 at 06:53 PM

JC

I had the pleasure of working with Timmy really great person prayers and thoughts with the rest of the family

Jeffrey carwile - May 08, 2024 at 12:20 PM

ER

“ *I am so sorry for your loss Vicky, Chris & Clint, Timmy was a great man! My thoughts and prayers are with y'all!*

Elizabeth Rice - May 02, 2024 at 10:26 PM

TD

“ *I had the pleasure of working with Timmy for 18 years at Altavista Motors. He was a very good friend. My thoughts and prayers are with Vicky and all the family*

Teresa David - May 02, 2024 at 08:41 PM

AB

“ *Timmy Rice came to work for me at Altavista Motors in 1982. He was an excellent technician and leader of our Chrysler tech team. Timmy was a pleasure to have on our team, always willing to do whatever was needed. He was highly respected by all his fellow workers and always had a wonderful attitude and a good sense of humor. Tim loved what he did and it was privilege to work with him for 20 years.
Wishing peace and grace for Timmy's family, Alvah Bohannon*

Alvah Bohannon - May 02, 2024 at 03:44 PM

MW

“ *Clint, Larrah & Family*
So sorry for your loss, our prayers are with
each of you. 🙏❤️



Mike & Jo Ann Weeks - May 02, 2024 at 03:16 PM

JE

“ *Jim & Judy Evans purchased the Peaceful White*
Lilies Basket for the family of Timothy Dean Rice.



Jim & Judy Evans - May 02, 2024 at 01:27 PM

JE

“ *Jim & Judy Evans planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Timothy Dean*
Rice.

Jim & Judy Evans - May 02, 2024 at 01:27 PM

MF

“ *McCluster Family purchased the Beautiful Heart*
Bouquet for the family of Timothy Dean Rice.



McCluster Family - May 02, 2024 at 09:20 AM

AE

“ He always treated our family like family. Truly a blessing.



Ashley Emerson - May 02, 2024 at 08:25 AM

MM

“ Florence and Family. I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your brother Timmy. You all are in my prayers.



Mary Moses-Hicks - May 02, 2024 at 12:40 AM

MC

“ Marilyn Cook lit a candle in memory of Timothy Rice



Marilyn Cook - May 01, 2024 at 08:41 PM

CH

“ Connie Hall lit a candle in memory of Timothy Rice



Connie Payne Hall - May 01, 2024 at 05:18 PM

TW

“ Tim, Charlene, Jamie and Jesse Wyatt purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Timothy Dean Rice.



Tim, Charlene, Jamie and Jesse Wyatt - May 01, 2024 at 04:56 PM

TW

“ Tim, Charlene, Jamie and Jesse Wyatt planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Timothy Dean Rice.

Tim, Charlene, Jamie and Jesse Wyatt - May 01, 2024 at 04:56 PM

JM

“ Jimmy Anne marr lit a candle in memory of Timothy Rice



Jimmy and Anne marr - May 01, 2024 at 04:22 PM

FF

“ From Mike and Leslie Gavin & Family purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Timothy Dean Rice.



From Mike and Leslie Gavin & Family - May 01, 2024 at 03:20 PM

RJ

“ Timmy was not only the best mechanic anywhere I worked, he was one of the finest people I have known. Timmy was always ready to tackle any problem with a smile on his face and a great attitude. Timmy will certainly be missed by all his friends and others that knew him. My thoughts and prayers to his family.

Richard Johnson - May 01, 2024 at 03:18 PM

RB

“ Prayers for The Family!



Robin Boley - May 01, 2024 at 02:49 PM

DA

“ Timmy was a real good friend. I met him when I worked at fisher auto parts. He was my mopar buddy. If I had a problem with my dodge I would ask him or if he had a problem he would ask me. He knew his stuff. I'm going to miss my friend

Danny Adkins - May 01, 2024 at 02:21 PM

NR

Deepest Sympathy & Prayers to all of Timmy's Family!! So sorry for your loss!!

Nancy & Henry Rowland - May 01, 2024 at 04:13 PM

DD

Sorry for your loss, prayers for you all,

Debbie Daniel - May 01, 2024 at 06:34 PM

BC

Florence, Molly and Tim's wife and entire family, I want to send my condolences to you all as I remember Tim in his early years pictures. I am so sorry to hear of another loss in our Rice family and I know you feel it more as you have not been long lost another member of yours. Thoughts and prayers are with you all and I pray the days ahead will become easier for you all. God bless each of you and bring you peace

Barbara Rice Clay - May 04, 2024 at 01:21 PM