



W. Howard Robertson

March 16, 1917 - January 26, 2017

Wiley Howard Robertson, 99, of Altavista died Thursday, January 26, 2017 at Autumn Care of Altavista. He was the husband of the late Anna Dickerson Robertson.

He was born March 16, 1917 in Spout Spring, a son of the late Wiley Hogue Robertson and Rosa Bondurant Robertson. He was a longtime member of Lane Memorial United Methodist Church, a volunteer fireman, and retired as a supervisor of Burlington Industries with forty-seven years of experience.

He is survived by three daughters, Jean Eaddy and her husband Wildon of Gastonia, NC, Anna Tyler and her husband Scott of Williamsburg, and Gail Smith and her husband Kelly of Manchester, MO; six grandchildren, Maryanna Myers, Brooks Eaddy, Blake Eaddy, Hunter Eaddy, Donna Callis, and Lori Matthews; thirteen great grandchildren and one great great grandchild.

A graveside service will be conducted at 2:00 p.m., Sunday, January 29, 2017 at Green Hill Cemetery by the Rev. Ben Horrocks.

The family will receive friends prior to the service from 12:30 until 1:30 p.m., at

Finch and Finch Funeral and Cremation Service, Altavista.

The family suggests that those wishing to make memorials consider the Altavista Fire Co., P.O. Box 208, Altavista, VA 24517 or Lane Memorial United Methodist Church, 1201 Bedford Ave., Altavista, VA 24517.

The family of Mr. Robertson would like to express their appreciation for the loving care the staff of Autumn Care provided.

Cemetery Details

Green Hill Cemetery

300 Westwood Drive
Altavista, VA 24517

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 29. 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

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

Graveside Service

JAN 29. 2:00 PM (ET)

Green Hill Cemetery
300 Westwood Drive
Altavista, VA 24517

Tribute Wall

FA

“ SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS

FAYE



FAYE - February 04, 2017 at 09:50 AM

GF

“ Anna, I am sorry for your loss. I was away from Thurs until Sun AM and read an email from Sandra on Sunday. Take care of yourself. Love, Gail Ferguson

Gail Ferguson - February 01, 2017 at 10:12 AM

RB

“ HOWARD ROBERTSON was a dear friend. His voice boomed as he arrived at the Free Clinic for his dental checkups..... Where's BOB????? We enjoyed many stories and we left a great deal. He even has an upcoming appointment on our books! He will be greatly missed..... Robert "Bob" Barlow - Executive Director - Free Clinic of Central Virginia - 2002-2014 (434-485-4705 - phone or text)

ROBERT BARLOW - January 30, 2017 at 10:15 AM



“ Howard was long ago adopted as an official member of the "Hood". Although his visits were few and far between, he left an undeniable impression with his jokes and laughter. All of us in the neighborhood cherished his time with us and he will be greatly missed . Rest in Peach Howard's, from the "Lou".
Joyce and Vern Grothoff

Joyce Grothoff - January 29, 2017 at 06:17 PM

LS

Howard was truly one of a kind. He was the charming, witty, funny and adorable father of my dearest friend Gail. We loved our times together, and you will always have a special place in our hearts.
Kim & Linda Sutton

Linda Sutton - January 29, 2017 at 10:42 PM



I am so sorry for your loss. I just found out. Howard was such a sweetheart. He loved to come and have dinner with mom and I. Prayers for your family.

Janet Austin - January 30, 2017 at 11:12 AM



“ 13 files added to the album Life Tributes



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - January 28, 2017 at 03:23 PM

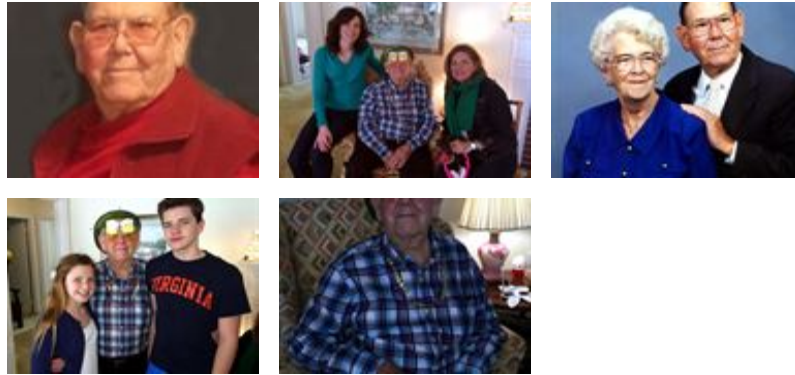
JB

“ *Our sincere sympathy
From Florence Deese and family*

Jan Bryant - January 28, 2017 at 02:41 PM



“ 29 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - January 28, 2017 at 09:59 AM



“ *Tims lit a candle in memory of W. Howard
Robertson*



Tims - January 28, 2017 at 09:51 AM

LE

“ *Love, Diane, Robert, Paige & Haley Earls
purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the
family of W. Howard Robertson.*



Love, Diane, Robert, Paige & Haley Earls - January 28, 2017
at 09:17 AM

BR

“ *Papa,
Was a great and kind man. I remember all the great memories, we
all spent with him and granny in Altavista growing up. I never met
anyone that loved life as much as he did.*

He will be greatly missed!

Love

Brooks (Jr)

Brooks - January 27, 2017 at 10:19 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Life Tributes*



Maryanna Myers - January 27, 2017 at 06:55 PM



“ *0 file added to the tribute wall*

Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - January 27, 2017 at 05:34 PM

LL

“ I fondly remember Howard’s (and Anna’s) visits to Gail and Kelly in Manchester, MO and the stories with which he entertained our neighborhood get-togethers. Love and sympathy to the extended Robertson family.
Lynn Lee



Lynn Lee - January 27, 2017 at 04:08 PM

JO

“ Jesse And Sue Owens lit a candle in memory of W. Howard Robertson



jesse and sue owens - January 27, 2017 at 03:02 PM