



## Dean Heuston Reighard

May 4, 1927 - March 3, 2015

Dean Heuston Reighard, age 87, passed away Tuesday, March 3, 2015, at his home in Gainesville, Virginia. Dean was born on May 4, 1927 in Johnstown, Pennsylvania the son of the late Charles J. and Mary Mildred (Heuston) Reighard. He is preceded in death by a son Karl Reighard and grandson Stephen Dalton.

Left to cherish his memory are his loving wife, Jane F. (Tawes) Reighard; children Sheila Ford and husband Steve, Glenda Bluhm, Neil Reighard and wife Ann; grandchildren David Rogers, Gregory Dalton, Matthew Bluhm, and Kelsey, Andrew and Emily Reighard. He also leaves step-grandchildren (Henry Jr., and Steve Bluhm), and other relatives and friends.

Dean dedicated his life to the Lord and his family. As an architect, he designed and built two family homes as well as many churches, schools, and office buildings in the Metro area. He was a Redskins fan for almost 75 years; and he enjoyed fishing, good music, and building model airplanes.

Memorial services will be held Sunday, March 22, 2015, 1:30 pm at Capital Church, Leesburg Pike, Vienna, Virginia with Pastor Amos Dodge officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be made to The American Cancer Society.



# Previous Events

## Service

MAR **22**. 1:30 PM (ET)

Capital Church  
10233 Leesburg Pike  
Vienna, VA 22182

# Tribute Wall

MW

“ I remember two very kind friends -- Jane and Dean Reighard from years at Church at Annandale. Always positive, warm, and welcoming, they walked the walk with Jesus every day and encouraged us to do the same. My heart goes out to you Jane and the family, at this time when Dean has "gone home". With love to all of you from Mary Lou Willard (you knew me as Mary Lou Gillespie)

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**Mary Lou Willard** - March 13, 2015 at 06:27 PM

PD

“ I am so honored that I had the opportunity to meet Mr. Reighard and get to know him throughtout this past year. He touched my life more than he will ever know. He will be missed dearly, but know that he is walking with Jesus now!  
My sincerest condolences to you, Mrs. Reighard.

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**Paula Donner** - March 12, 2015 at 06:58 PM

BK

“ When I came to the network of house churches in the Springfield/Annandale area, I was emotionally pretty needy. The Sunday night meeting at the Reighard home is where God started to heal me. I'll never forget the care and love demonstrated there and I'm grateful to Dean and Jane for providing that meeting.

*My son noticed that no matter what Dean would praise the Lord and he thought that was cool. So not only did you all take care of me. But you had an influence on my family.*

*One of the ultimate acts of service Dean was involved in was when the elders in that group went out to Reston to calm down my former husband's suicidal mistress after my husband decided to return to his family for a short while. They worked hard on an attempted reconciliation, and justifiable divorce with grace and care for all concerned. My blessings to all of you who served so faithfully.*

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**Beryl Kohl** - March 12, 2015 at 01:30 PM

JC

*My family's long & loving relationship with Dean & Jane only bring wonderful memories of church-family closeness. I can only say thanks for all, & not least Dean's design for our first house! May our Lord bless & keep your whole family! Dean: Welcome Home!*

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**juanita Conway** - March 12, 2015 at 02:45 PM

RW

“ God's blessings and grace to the Reighard family especially at this time:

*When God calls us home it is always difficult because we physically are missing someone we knew and loved yet the promises of the Lord are forever faithful for those who were called and chosen by the Lord. Dean was positive in his walk with the Lord because he knew the person who was in control of his life, Jesus Christ. I have many fond memories of meeting in the Reinhard home, singing, sharing, discussing God's word and praying for one another regardless of the situations we were facing. I remember the special visits to NIH to visit Karl and the family and I would come away so encouraged because the Reighard's understood the doctors, the decisions being made but were placing their trust in Jesus and his promises. May we ponder the special memories we have of Dean and the Reinhard family and may we continue to abide in Him and He in us for without Him we can do nothing! We love you Reighard's and are praying for you as you celebrate Dean's homecoming.*

*His love never fails,*

*Russ and Lynn Willard*

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**Russ Willard** - March 09, 2015 at 09:13 PM

Jl

“ Dear Reighards,

*I am so sorry to hear about the passing of Mr Reighard. I know he will be greatly missed by so many people. I will always have great memories of him, he was like a second father to me. I grew up as a young boy knowing of mr Reighard as a kind person always giving a kind hand of help to whoever needed the help. That lesson is something I can take with me as I get older and teach my family to always help people. I also remember Mr Reighard always talking about his family and friends and the love he showed them over the years. I know he's in a better place. I am sorry that I will miss his service, I will be thinking of the family.*

*Love,  
Jim Smith*

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**jim** - March 08, 2015 at 12:38 PM