



## Harry Franklin Short

May 4, 1927 - December 22, 2014

Harry Franklin Short, 87, of Manassas, Virginia passed away Monday, December 22, 2014 at his residence.

He was born on May 4, 1927 in Baileysville, West Virginia the son of the late Jerry and Goldie (Rose) Short. He was a member of the Emmanuel Baptist Church and was retired from the R. Edward Daffan Construction Co.

He was preceded in death by his first wife Rosa Lee Short in 1991, the mother of Michael and Bryan.

Survivors include his wife, Monteze M. Short; two sons, Michael F. Short and wife Sandra of Everett, Pennsylvania, E. Bryan Short and wife Margaret of Manassas, Virginia; two brothers, Curtis Short of Virginia Beach, Virginia, Joe Short of Beckley, West Virginia; one sister, Francis Barrett of Oceana, West Virginia; five grandchildren, Michelle Short-Pack and husband Greg, Jason Short and wife Erin, Ashley Bolen and husband John, Andrea Whaley and husband Michael, Allison Short; six great grandchildren, Preston Pack, Payton Pack, Paige Pack, Camden Short, Cooper Short and Abigail Bolen.

The family will receive friends 6:00-8:00pm Friday, December 26, 2014 at Pierce Funeral Home, 9609 Center Street, Manassas, Virginia where funeral services will be 2:00 PM Saturday, December 27, 2014.

Interment will follow at Woodbine Cemetery.



# Cemetery Details

## Woodbine Cemetery

12914 Canova Drive  
Manassas, VA 20112

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **26**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home  
9609 Center St.  
Manassas, VA 20110  
(703) 257-6028  
pfh@piercefh.com  
<https://www.piercefh.com>

## Service

DEC **27**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ I've been blessed to have known Harry for about 3 years. Every time I entered their home he would greet me with an upbeat "Hello" that made me smile. He also shared some of his jokes with me. This one will make me think of Harry fondly for years to come.

*There was this man that was out front of his home weed whacking when all of a sudden the weed whacker cut off the neighbors cats tail. The neighbor saw what just happened and ran over picked up the tail and cat and said " Quick, let's get to Walmart". The man with the weed whacker said "Why Walmart" in which the neighbor replied " Why, because they are the biggest retailer in the country"*

*Glad to know Heaven will enjoy your jokes Harry. Rest in peace.*

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**Barbara Stohman** - December 27, 2014 at 11:20 AM

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“ *Michael F. Short purchased the Simply Elegant S pathiphyllum for the family of Harry Franklin Short.*



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**Michael F. Short** - December 26, 2014 at 10:51 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Harry Franklin Short.*



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December 25, 2014 at 07:36 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Harry Franklin Short.*



December 24, 2014 at 01:30 PM



“ *Jeanne Short purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Harry Franklin Short.*



**Jeanne Short** - December 24, 2014 at 12:22 PM



“ *Patti Johnston lit a candle in memory of Harry Franklin Short*



**Patti Johnston** - December 24, 2014 at 10:52 AM



“ *To our very special daughter in law Michelle and her family. So very sorry for your loss of your grandfather. What a wonderful person he was and so loved by all! He is at peace and will always be with you in your hearts! We love you all very much! Don & Diann (MawMaw & Gramps)*



**Diann Berger** - December 24, 2014 at 10:01 AM

JK

“ *Jerry Lynn( As All Knows Me) Koedyker lit a candle in memory of Harry Franklin Short*



Jerry Lynn( as all knows me) Koedyker - December 23, 2014 at 10:58 PM

JK

*We all loved you Uncle Harry! That smile of yours is embedded with us for always! I cherish those memories of the summer I stayed with you all, and especially when I was so upset about my washcloth that was my snoopy dolls blanket and it ripped up and you let me pick any washcloth I wanted out of closet and of course Rosalee said no how about this one.. But we won, the battle! Lol you have always been a great man, example to your kids and grand kids and all the rest of world that knew you! May you enjoy your journey there in the promise land! We will remember you always! Your forever a treasure to us! Til we meet again!*

Jerry Lynn( as all knows me) Koedyker - December 23, 2014 at 11:05 PM

HD

“ *I'm kinda glad to got to see him here in Culpeper Baptist Retirement when his lovely wife was there. I love you uncle Harry...God will take care <3*

Hope D.Haught - December 23, 2014 at 10:51 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Harry Franklin Short.*



December 23, 2014 at 04:29 PM