



Harry Yeatts,

September 17, 1930 - February 14, 2009

Harry Lester Yeatts, Jr., 78 years of age of Manassas, VA died suddenly at home Saturday morning on February 14, 2009.

Born on September 17, 1930 in Harrisburg, PA. Harry was the son of the late Harry L Yeatts, Sr. and Anna R Eshenour. He was also preceded in death by one brother, Kenneth K Yeatts. Harry is survived by five children, three step-children, eighteen grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

In his youth Harry lived in Hagerstown, Maryland and graduated from Ferndale High School near Johnstown, PA and was affiliated with the Episcopal Church of Hagerstown, MD. He was a member of the US Army serving during 1952-1954. In the army he was an avid and accomplished artistic painter, woodwork joinery and completed a major full-wall mural while serving in Germany.

Prior to entering the Army, Harry married Patricia A May. Together they had three children, Cheryl A Raby, Larry L Yeatts and W Bryan Yeatts. He later married Sondra L Ramp and together they had two children: Jacqualine L Surber and Deborah K McGiffin. He was also the step-father to Sondra's first three children: Cindy L Heavener, Betty L Whitmore and Dora J Pullen.

Harry is survived by three brothers: Robert E Yeatts of Washington, J Richard

Yeatts and Ronald D Yeatts of California.

Throughout his life, Harry truly enjoyed oil-painting, golfing, gardening, photography, traveling, building & remodeling, roller skating, slot car racing, playing chess and sweet cherry pie! Great friends were as important to him as was his family. His door was always open to those who needed a shoulder. In good times or bad, the grace of his hand was always available for the taking. He had an unyielding ability to give what was needed when you didn't know you were in need. His love of chess showed how he welcomed a good challenge with a worthy opponent, if they dare to try. His virtue of character never wavered. During the most unbearable times he remained a pillar of strength to catch others when they had fallen. This gentle yet soft spoken man has touched the lives of many on a profound level and will truly be missed by those left behind.

OUR DAD will be Sorely Missed!!

Visitation will be held from 2-4pm and 6-8pm on Saturday February 21, 2009 at Pierce Funeral Home, 9609 Center St. Manassas, Virginia (703-257-6028) where funeral services will be held on Sunday, February 22, 2009 at 1:30pm. Reception immediately following, location to be announced. Interment will be held at 2pm on Thursday, February 26, 2009 at Stonewall Memory Gardens, 12004 Lee Highway in Manassas, VA (703-754-4210).

The family will be accepting flowers or donations to the American Lung Association, 9221 Forest Hill Avenue, Richmond, VA 23235 in memory of Harry L. Yeatts, Jr.

Condolences may be sent to www.piercefh.com.

Tribute Wall

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“Dad, we are sorry that we can not be there on Saturday to say "Goodbye." We know that you understand.

We will miss you, and you will always be in our hearts.

*Love always,
Larry & Penny*

Larry & Penny Yeatts - March 29, 2013 at 02:02 PM

RV

“Our deepest sympathy is with each of you. We will miss Harry and will remember all the wonderful times we shared with him in Albuquerque, NM.

Robin Harley, Natalie Harley, and Lacey Vickers - March 29, 2013 at 02:02 PM

DB

“Dad/Grandpa, We will miss you so deeply. You left us so sudden and we didn't even get to say Goodbye for now and give you big hugs and kisses on that day. We'll all be there tomorrow and the next day and the next to see you and then give you the big hugs and kisses you so much deserve as always. It will be so different without you here with us. We'll miss playing golf with you and having lunch together and of course what we will miss most of all is your big smile.

Dad, I want to thank you once more for just being my Dad and loving me unconditionally and always being there for me since I was a toddler and through my early teenage years.

We love you and will always miss you,
Dora, Bill Pullen & Boys

Dora & Bill Pullen and boys - March 29, 2013 at 02:02 PM

SG

“Sorry to hear of your loss. Harry was a wonderful person and so pleasant all the time. We will not forget him.

Sharon and Jon Gantt - March 29, 2013 at 02:02 PM

GE

“I met Harry when I moved into his house as one of the boarders. I lived there for 5 1/2 years before I move to Fredericksburg. That was 27 years ago. Living there was usually uneventful, because Harry liked it that way. I returned 10 years ago and thats when I really got to know Harry. Harry had that recliner that he used to watch golf and to pass out words of wisdom and other bits of opinion. There was always coffee ever at seven or eight o'clock at night. I will miss Harry and his tomatoes

Gary Edem - March 29, 2013 at 02:02 PM



“ POP-

You are my Inspiration, my Mentor, my Best Friend, my Golf Buddy.

*Dad, My Father, as with Kenneth & Joshua,
YOU ARE EVERYTHING TO ME!*

NOW, What to DO?!!!

*Where do I go, what do I say? You were supposed to push my
wheelchair, Remember? I can only hope you still guide me!*

*I miss you OH, SO MUCH! Another part of me depleted.
YOU will always be with me through my trials and tribulations.
Dad, You ARE "THE BEST" and a TRULY GREAT MAN!
I pray you liked your poem.
Please watch after ME!*

POP, I LOVE YOU!!!

"Thank You, Dad" for Sharing Your Life with ME!

*As YOU Know, I Am ALWAYS "Yours",
"My Love to YOU, FOREVER!"*

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February 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *It has been many years since I have seen Harry...but I can still hear
his gentle voice..and his teasing me as a young girl. I am not
surprised that he is loved by so many..and will be greatly missed by
those who knew him. I am sorry to hear of your loss, and you are all
in my thoughts. Love Cousin Carolyn*

Carolyn (Eutzy) Taylor - February 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM