



Walter Boyd Morrow Jr.

September 18, 1937 - May 30, 2021

Walter Boyd Morrow Jr. of Winchester, Virginia passed away peacefully at home on Sunday, May 30th, 2021. Born September 18, 1937, to Mary Helen Cecil and Walter Boyd Morrow Sr, in Somerset, Kentucky. He graduated from George Washington University with two Master of Science Degrees, one in Engineering, and the other in Physics. Walt received a U.S. Naval Academy Congressional Appointment. He spent the first couple years of his career in Navy Oceanographic Research. Finding ever expanding opportunities, he spent the next 50 years in Federal Civil Service, working for the U.S. Army Research and Development's Night Vision and Electro-Optic Laboratory at Ft Belvoir, VA. He retired in January of 2009.

He was an active member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, an avid fisherman, a U.S and World War history enthusiast, and a green thumb gardener. Walt enjoyed being a member of the Mormon Choir of DC for 30 years, however, his true passion was delving into family history through genealogy work along with locating and discovering family cemeteries.

He is survived by his wife of 51 years, Elizabeth Vail Shilling.

His Children: Christopher Michael-Norfolk, VA, Daniel Edward (Nancy)-Woodbridge, VA, Ellen Therese (Douglas Golden)- Stephenson, Va, Marta Cecelia- Santaquin, UT, Charles Alexander (Melanie)-Winchester Va.

His Grandchildren: Christopher William Boyd Morrow, Shaun Cameron Morrow, Heather Anastasia Morrow (Fiance'-Donald "Blaine" Broschart), James Edward Hunt Morrow, Megan Amanda (Wesley Gingerich), Heather Breanne Morrow, Michael Edward Morrow, Desta Brianne Golden (Greg Taylor), Andrew Wesley Golden, Joshua Clark Golden (Hannah Tull), Benjamin Boyd Golden (Sina Kipry), Thor David Mikesell (Holly Roberts), Morgan Elena Scadden (Joshua) ,Esther Nikisha Krohn (Nikolaus), Caleb Vaun Mikesell (Devane), Seth Mason Mikesell (Parker), Artie Lyn Mikesell, Ellora Jeannette Mikesell, Alexander Boyd Morrow, and Josie Alice Morrow.

His Great-Grandchildren: Jasmyn Estrelle Garza, Owen Blaine Morrow, Ashton Nicole Seiber, Daniel Morrow, Alexis Marie Morrow, Jaden Bryce Dimouro, Dax Gunner Golden Taylor, Ada Nanette Golden Taylor, Mae Fern Golden Taylor, Colten Robert Scadden, Zoey Cecelia Krohn, Torsten Klaus Krohn, Paisley Sage Krohn, Lincoln Holtom, Vienna Holtom, and Atlas Holtom.

Funeral services will be 2pm on Friday, June 4th at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints located at 230 Justes Drive Winchester, Virginia 22602. There will be a viewing from 1:30pm-1:50pm prior to the service. Internment will follow at the Shenandoah Memorial Park located at 1270 Front Royal Pike Winchester, Va 22602. Masks are optional per local guidelines and social distancing will be observed. The funeral service will be live streamed at the following link. <https://zoom.us/j/97393875725>

In lieu of flowers please make donations to Blue Ridge Hospice at brhospice.org/donate

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Cemetery Details

Shenandoah Memorial Park

1270 Front Royal Pike
Winchester, VA 22602

Previous Events

Service

JUN 4. 2:00 PM (ET)

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter day Saints
230 Justus Drive
Winchester, VA 22602

Tribute Wall

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“ *In all our work over the years, Walt was always knowledgeable, extremely helpful and a gentleman. May God be with you and your family. Dick Fulton*

Dick Fulton - July 01, 2021 at 06:55 PM



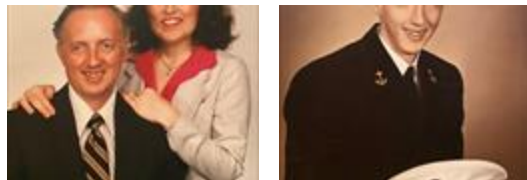
“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Walter Boyd Morrow Jr..*



June 03, 2021 at 06:59 PM

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“ *2 files added to the album Family Photos*



Melanie Morrow - June 01, 2021 at 03:45 PM

JB

Liz. I am so sorry. I've got a cute pic of busty and I when I was little He was my big cousin since there was a 12 yr difference. Huggs to everybody and know my heart is with you tomorrow. Please send me your address when u get a chance. Love Judy molen brundage

Judy molen brundage - June 03, 2021 at 04:29 PM

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Hi Judy: her address is 454 Canyon Rd. Winchester, VA 22602

Melanie Morrow - June 04, 2021 at 07:27 AM



My sincere condolences to the family. I had the pleasure of working with Walt for over 20 years at Night Vision. He was a scholar and gentleman; I learned much from him, as we all did. He will be missed.
Wayne Antesberger

Wayne Antesberger - July 02, 2021 at 01:57 PM