



Wayne Ray Moore

March 8, 1935 - January 5, 2022

Wayne Ray Moore, 86, of Manassas, Virginia passed away peacefully on Wednesday, January 5th, 2022, with his loving wife by his side.

Born on March 8th, 1934, to the late Harris and Evelyn Gray Moore in Portsmouth Virginia. As a young boy his mother married the late Joseph Rhodes, who became Wayne's stepfather.

He grew up in the Norfolk, Portsmouth area. Spending his days going to school and church. After graduating from Maury High School in 1953, Wayne enrolled in Virginia Polytechnic Institute, later known as Virginia Tech. There, he was a Corp Cadet, earning the rank of Lieutenant Colonel and was a group commander. Graduating in 1958 with a Master's degree in Education, he moved to Bassett, VA to start his first teaching job in Business Education. After 6 years he became the Principal at Sanville Elementary School and then became the Assistant Principal at Bassett High School. In 1964, he transferred to Hargrave Military Academy in Chatham, VA teaching History and in 1968 he came to Prince William County Schools working for both Prince William County and Manassas City School systems. There he was a teacher, a football coach, an assistant Principal and a Budget Specialist and he retired in March 2000 as the Director of Finance and Personnel for the Manassas City Schools after 32 dedicated years.

As a licensed pilot, he enjoyed flying on the weekends to observe the ariel views of the Commonwealth of Virginia. Other favorite pastimes were traveling the world with his wife, and he enjoyed watching collegiate and professional

football.

Surviving is his wife of 30 years, Audrey Hooper Moore.

Graveside services will be held on Wednesday, January 12th, 2022, 12:00pm, at Stonewall Memorial Gardens. His wife will receive friends at their home immediately following the service.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or Ronald McDonald House.

Previous Events

Graveside Services

JAN 12. 12:00 PM (ET)

Stonewall Memory Gardens
12004 Lee Highway
Manassas, VA 20109
<http://www.stonewallmemorygardens.com>

Tribute Wall

DB

“ I first met Wayne in 1968 when we taught together at BDHS. I also remember when work was being done at the high school that a large pile of dirt had been created which the football team labeled "Moore's Mountain" because he had them running up and down it to get in condition. After leaving BDHS and winding up in the Manassas School System, my wife got to work with him. In all of my memories of him, he was always smiling and cheerful. He was a great guy with a hearty laugh. My condolences to Audrey, a fellow volunteer at Prince William Hospital.
Dave Button, Manassas

Dave Button - January 10, 2022 at 04:04 PM

DW

“ We are so sorry to hear of Wayne passing. Page always had great things to say about him. You and the family are in our prayers. Love ya. Donna and Mike Ward Greenville SC

Donna and Mike Ward - January 10, 2022 at 12:21 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Wayne Ray Moore.



January 09, 2022 at 06:48 PM

MG

“ My wife Vera and I express our deepest sympathy to the Moore family. I was a member of the Manassas City Council during the time that Wayne worked for the City and the School Board. He was always such a dedicated member of our staff as we grew our wonderful City. Our thoughts and prayers are with his family.

Maury Gerson - January 09, 2022 at 12:16 PM

HP

“ So many things make a great Community... Buildings, businesses, hard work and caring.
But the Major piece that makes a community worth living in, are the people. Manassas has been fortunate to have Wayne Moore, as a leader, a friend, and family member and a constant. Wayne Moore was one of those people that helped make Manassas, and all the other things he touched, a great place to live.

Hal Parrish

Hal Parrish - January 09, 2022 at 11:33 AM

DT

“ I remember Wayne so well for his kindness to me when my son passed many years ago at only 17 years old. He talked to me often where I was working and became a good friend. He will remain in my memory as a kind, gentle and caring man. Rest In Peace.

Dorothy Towler - January 08, 2022 at 06:09 PM