



George Lee Mumpower

August 27, 1930 - April 25, 2013

Big Stone Gap, VA

George Lee Mumpower, 82, passed away on Thursday (April 25, 2013) at The Laurels in Norton, VA.

He was born in Bristol, VA, grew up in Appalachia, VA and lived most of his life in Big Stone Gap. He graduated from Appalachia High School. He was a Retired General Foreman of the Norfolk-Southern Railroad, with 33 years of service. He was a past member of the Board of Zoning Appeals in Big Stone Gap. He was a U. S. Army Veteran of the Korean War. He was a member and deacon of First Baptist Church in Big Stone Gap.

He was preceded in death by a granddaughter, LaTasha Lee Cross; his parents, Jessie Chester Mumpower and Maggie Elizabeth Little Mumpower; brothers, Vernon, Lewis, Herman, Jimmy and unnamed twins who died at birth.

Surviving are his wife of 57 years, Jocelyn Anne Daugherty Mumpower; daughter, Elizabeth Lee Mumpower Baker and husband Roy of Dryden, VA; his son, William R. Mumpower and wife, Julie of Duluth, GA; three granddaughters; a great grandson; four sisters, Ruby Sharrett of Dayton, OH, Alice (Clyde) Goodman of Stafford, VA, Bonnie (Cecil) Goodman of

Manassas, VA, and Hazel Mumpower of Alexandria, VA.

The family will receive friends from 5 to 7 p.m. on Saturday at Holding Funeral Home (17 E. 3rd St., N.) in Big Stone Gap.

Funeral services will follow at 7 p.m. on Saturday in the funeral home chapel with the Rev. Garrett Sheldon officiating.

Committal services will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday at Powell Valley Memorial Gardens. The family and friends will meet at the cemetery by 1:50 p.m. on Sunday.

The family requests memorials be made to First Baptist Church, P. O. Box 296, Big Stone Gap, VA 24219.

To view the obituary online and offer condolences, please visit www.holdingfuneralhome.com.

Holding Funeral Home is honored to serve Mr. Mumpower's family.

Tribute Wall



“ *George Lee Mumpower*

October 07, 2023 at 10:50 AM



“ *Sorry for your loss Bill you guys are in our prayers*

Larry J White - December 10, 2013 at 08:09 AM



“ *Beth and family, in our thoughts and prayers. we will be out of town during this time and wanted to let you know, we are thinking of all of you. Janet and Melvin Wilson*

janet and melvin wilson - December 10, 2013 at 08:09 AM



“ *I will never forget Uncle George. Aunt Anne, Beth and Bill ... our prayers are with you.*

Tammy & Wayne - December 10, 2013 at 08:09 AM



“ *I am so very sorry for your loss. I worked for and with George for many years at the railroad in Andover. He was always fair and honest, a pleasure to work with. Highest regards always. My prayers are with you as you mourn his passing.*

Barry Wells - December 10, 2013 at 08:09 AM



“ *ANN I AM SO SORRY HE WILL BE MISSED GAIL*

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“ *Beth, Beaver and Family: We were so sorry to hear of your dad. Wish we could have been there with you. Keeping you in our prayers.*

Howard and Wanda Justice - December 10, 2013 at 08:09 AM