



Realus B. Woodard, Jr.

June 10, 2016

Realus B. Woodard Jr., 69, of Lancaster, passed surrounded by his family at Hospice & Community Care, Mt. Joy, PA on Friday, June 10, 2016. Born in Unadilla, GA, he was the son of the late Realus and Alice Mae Woodard.

Realus proudly served in the U.S. Marine Corps. He was employed as a millwright for Armstrong World Industries, where he retired after 33 years of service in 2004.

He served in the Vietnam War and was a Purple Heart recipient.

He is Past Master of Mt. Horeb Lodge #14 of MWPHGL of PA. –F&M. Nimrod Consistory No. 9 Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Free Mason- PHA- Northern jurisdiction USA, Inc. ,and Himyar Temple No. 17 A.E.A.O.N.M.S., Inc.

He is survived by his wife, Robin Anderson Woodard, three sons: LaDon, Darrick and Brandon Woodard and a daughter: Sheena Woodard all of Lancaster, PA, two sisters: Alice Mae Banks of Hampton VA, Patricia Woodard of Vidalia GA, as well as his foster father, Clarence Martin and multiple foster brothers and sisters in Lyons GA. He also is survived by four grandchildren: Antoine, Anika, Brandon Jr., and Brielle Woodard. He is survived by a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.

Realus is also survived by his In-laws: Jacque, wife of John Unrein, Diane, wife of David Barton, Larry, husband of Tina Jordan, Spencer, husband of Saude Jordan, Robert, husband of Lisha Anderson, Pamela Winder, Karen Cotton and Bennett Cotton. He was predeceased by the late Joyce Evans and the late Brian Cotton.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Realus' Funeral Service to be held on Wednesday, June 15th, 2016 at 12:00 Noon at Brightside Baptist Church, 515 Hershey Avenue, Lancaster, PA 17603 with Reverend Jerry Anderson, of Charlotte, NC officiating. A viewing will take place at the Groff Family Funeral Home, 528 West Orange St. (the corner of Orange & Pine St's) Lancaster, PA on Tuesday, June 14th from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m and on Wednesday at the church from 11:00am until the time of the service. A Masonic ceremony will be held Tuesday evening at 8 p.m. Interment will follow the service at Mellingers Mennonite Cemetery.

Memorial contributions in Realus' name may be made to Hospice and Community Care, 685 Good Drive, P.O. Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17604-4125. And in appreciation of the care that the Orange Team provided at The Ann B. Barshinger Cancer Institute, 2102 Harrisburg Pike, Lancaster, PA 17601

Cemetery Details

Mellinger Mennonite Cemetery

Lincoln Hwy East
Greenfield Road
Lancaster, PA

Previous Events

Viewing

JUN **14**. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc
528 W Orange St.
Lancaster, PA 17603
(717) 394-5300
admin@thegroffs.com
<https://thegroffs.com/>

Viewing

JUN **15**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Bright Side Baptist Church
515 Hershey Avenue
Lancaster, PA 17603

Service

JUN **15**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Realus B. Woodard, Jr.*

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ *Sheena lit a candle in memory of Realus B. Woodard, Jr.*



Sheena - June 16, 2016 at 01:17 PM



I love and miss you, already! Love you, Daddy!

Sheena - June 16, 2016 at 01:18 PM



“ *Oh my, a very hard worker, when you would ask Woodard to come and fix your machine, he would come as soon as he could, fix it and going on about his business. I have never seen this young man out of character, nor disrespectful.*

My prayers goes out to the family, may the Lord comfort you in your hour of bereavement. Much love to the family

Pastor Joyce Ann Price.

Pastor Joyce Ann Price - June 15, 2016 at 09:13 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Sending prayers for you and your family.*
Harold Matroni

Harold Matroni - June 14, 2016 at 05:57 PM

DR

“ I worked with Realus (Woody) many years at Armstrong. I am sorry I could attend his services but my work schedule would not allow it. To all of Woody's family my condolences.

Sincerely,
Dominic F. Russo
Nick the Welder

dominic russo - June 14, 2016 at 05:06 PM

HW

“ Sincere Sympathy to the relatives and friends of Realus. I worked with him at Armstrong World Industries. Ken & Holly White.

Holly White - June 13, 2016 at 05:10 PM

CW

“ Charmaine Williams lit a candle in memory of Realus B. Woodard, Jr.



Charmaine Williams - June 13, 2016 at 03:23 PM

CW

Robin, just wanted to let you know you are in our thoughts and prayers. The Williams Family. Jo-Anna, Jo-Lynn (Cissy), Jennifer, Charles Jr, (Ducky), Charme, and in spirit, "Pidge".


Charmaine Williams - June 13, 2016 at 03:27 PM

WH

*Robin and family,
My sincere sympathy. I worked with "Woody" at Armstrong. Always
enjoyed talking with him.*

Will Harris

Will Harris - June 13, 2016 at 06:14 PM

 Yvette
McClain

“ *Robin....Hang in there....the pain is unbearable I'm sure but knowing
"Your Mr Everything" is suffering no more should put you at peace
within your heart. Ernie and I are only a phone call away...Love you
Yvette <3*

Yvette McClain - June 13, 2016 at 02:59 PM

AH

“ *Arlene Weeks Hudson lit a candle in memory
of Realus B. Woodard, Jr.*



Arlene Weeks Hudson - June 12, 2016 at 04:29 PM