



Herbert Raburn Grier

June 29, 1935 - October 12, 2020

Herbert R. Grier, age 85, of Buford, GA passed away October 12, 2020. He is preceded in death by his wife of 55 years, Virginia Grier, parents, William H. and Alma Skelton Grier, brother, Clayton L. Grier, sister, Frances Grier Curry. He is survived by his daughter, Robin and Ronnie Lord, Buford, GA; twin sons, Benny and Beverly Grier, Buford, GA, Bobby and Kathy Grier, Buford, GA; grandchildren, Jessica and Ben Cochran, Joseph and Kristine Lord, Justin and Tara Grier, Tyler and Olivia Grier, Ryan and Jessica Grier, Tracy and Dwayne Moss; great-grandchildren, Ella Cochran, Joel Cochran, Lucas Grier, Brooklynn and Chad Teale, Brandon Moss, Michael Rylan Grier, Gabriel and Charlotte Lord, Kaytlyn Grier, Jackson Van Goosen; great-great granddaughter, Allison Teale; brother, Erastus Dean Grier, Gainesville, GA; sisters, Maudine Grier DeLong, Gainesville, GA, JoAnn (Harold) Smith, Jr., Cumming, GA; sister-in-law, Verlene Grier, Cumming, GA; brother-in-law, Noah and Clyde Darracott, Buford, GA; several nieces, nephews and cousins. Mr. Grier was born June 29, 1935 in Shelby, NC. He was retired from Scientific Atlanta in the maintenance department after 32 years. He was a member of Harmony Baptist Church, Buford, GA. Mr. Grier enjoyed traveling and camping at Unicoi Springs Camp Resort where he spent most of his time from Springtime May to November each year. He drove lots of cars for different dealerships over a period of years. Mr. Grier was an avid golfer, and baseball and bowling enthusiast. He enjoyed being with his grandchildren playing sports. A funeral service will be held Friday, October 16, 2020 at 2:00 p.m. in the Chapel of

Flanigan Funeral Home with Rev. Jimmy Hill and Pastor Bryan Satterfield officiating. Interment Service will be at Broadlawn Memorial Gardens, Buford, GA with Rev. Ben Cochran officiating. The family will receive friends on Thursday, October 15, 2020 from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Flowers are welcome or donations can be made to Harmony Baptist Church in memory of Herbert R. Grier.

Cemetery Details

Broadlawn Memorial Gardens

5979 New Bethany Rd
Buford, GA 30518

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 15. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Flanigan Funeral Home
4400 S. Lee St.
Buford, GA 30518
(770) 932-1133
<https://www.flaniganfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Service

OCT 16. 2:00 PM (ET)

Chapel of Flanigan Funeral Home

Interment Service

OCT 16 (ET)

Broadlawn Memorial Gardens
5979 New Bethany Rd
Buford, GA 30518

Tribute Wall



“ *Herbert Raburn Grier*

November 08, 2022 at 07:37 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss.. Thoughts and prayers... Betty Picklesimer-Bruce*

Betty Picklesimer-Bruce - October 17, 2020 at 02:20 AM



“ *Benny, Bobby, Robin and families: We send our sympathies and prayers for comfort to you in the loss of your dad. Randall and Lawanda Titshaw*

Titshaw Lawanda - October 16, 2020 at 07:45 PM



“ *We are very saddened by the loss of Herb. He was always, always a joy to be around. He greeted you with a smile, kind words and a big hug!! He had a way to make everyone feel special. Whether he was playing pool, cards, putting a puzzle together...Unicoi Springs Camp Resort was a happy place for him. And a better place with him there!! We will miss you terribly Herb but, we know you are in beautiful heaven! We will see you again one day!! Fly high our friend...we love you!❤️ We are saying many prayers for the family. 🙏*



Phillip and Cindy Pass - October 16, 2020 at 04:31 PM

JW

“ So sorry about the death of your father. We first met Herb at Unicoi Springs Camp Ground, where we enjoyed playing games, sitting on the clubhouse porch chatting and having good times laughing and spending time together. We also were born in N.C. which gave us more in common with him. He was such a nice christian man that we will never forget .I enjoyed Fb with him too. I know he is at rest and peace with his Savior now and someday we will all meet again in heaven and have a happy reunion with him. I know he will be missed at the campground very much. He always had a great attitude. Our deepest sympathy and prayers is with all the family at this time. May God comforter you all and fill your hearts with love, peace and great memories of him.



Johnny&Judy Walker - October 15, 2020 at 10:33 PM

LB

Herb will surly be missed. He was joyful and friendly. Knew him and Virginia thru camping. They were always fun to be around.He has made Heaven his home .

Leonard Beck - October 16, 2020 at 09:42 AM

SJ

“ BENNY,BOBBY, ROBIN AND ALL THE FAMILY SO SORRY ABOUT THE DEATH OF YOUR DADDY. SO SAD WHEN THE LAST PARENT IS GONE. HE IS AT PEACE, ALL OF YOU WILL BE IN MY PRAYERS. MAY GOD BLESS ALL OF YOU. LOVE

SHIRLEY JONES - October 15, 2020 at 12:51 PM

JD

“ I am so sorry for the loss of Herb, I knew him when I was employed with Jerry Brown Chev. He and his wife Virginia were a fine , friendly couple. Thoughts and prayers for the family.
God Bless You All,
Janice Burel Davis



Jan Davis - October 15, 2020 at 11:04 AM

AP

“ We are so sorry for your loss, Herb was an amazing man and we will always remember the memories we shared in Unicoi, playing pool, taking our kids on golf cart rides, and always kind words to our family. God Bless you all.



AJ,Nikki, Carson, Caden, Kenzie, Paisley - October 15, 2020 at 09:20 AM

SY

“ Herb will be remembered as a fine Christian gentleman. I am honored to have known him for many years. We enjoyed activities at the campground together. Herb, I will truly miss you! Prayers that the family feel God's loving arms of comfort and peace.

Sylbie Yon - October 14, 2020 at 10:54 PM

RL

“ Sure did Love Herb!!!
I will always cherish the time I had with your Precious Family.💔🙏
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Robin Lawson - October 14, 2020 at 08:46 PM

JC

“ i WORKED WITH hERB AT sa. HE WAS ALWAYS THE SAME DAY TO DAY. hE WAS SUCH INSPIRATION TO ME AS A YOUNG MAN. SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOST. RIP MY WONDERFUL FRIEND

jj callaway - October 14, 2020 at 08:14 PM

MJ

“ I am so heartbroken to hear this news. I may have possibly known Herb the shortest length of time as only since August. It was upon meeting him by chance at an ice cream Saturday at Unicoi that I knew it was instant friendship. I was excited to spend the weekend at our new camper and with my daughter and sweet little grand. My husband realized that he needed to go back to the camper to get cash for the ice cream. My daughter, granddaughter and I waited and waited on the porch ,where there sat Herb rocking and he said "would you allow me to buy your ice cream?" No, no he will be back soon I'm sure" But Herb wouldn't hear of it and he knew they were about to close. So I graciously accepted and we got our ice cream. Of course we tried to repay him but Herb said it was his pleasure and an honor to talk to us for awhile. I saw him recently on his golf cart and immediately ran to give him a hug. He was able to meet my parents that trip. Herb said, "you know it makes my day to see you, he said it just blesses me to know you." Well Herb, you are the blessing!!!! I will sure miss you.

YOUR ICE CREAM FRIEND, MARY JACKSON



Mary Jackson - October 14, 2020 at 07:33 PM

NN

“ While I am saddened to hear of Herb’s passing, I am honored to have had him as a friend for over forty years. Heaven has truly gained another angel. I’m sure he is in the loving arms of Jesus with his beautiful Virginia once again.

Nelson Neal - October 13, 2020 at 08:23 PM



Deborah
Everett

“ I’m so sorry for your loss. Deborah Wallis Everett

Deborah Everett - October 13, 2020 at 07:18 PM

DT

“ Herb was a wonderful person. He came to see my husband before he died and always checked on me over the years. He is a very caring person and will be greatly missed. Prayers for the family!
Dianne Turner (husband Ron Turner)

Dianne Turner - October 13, 2020 at 01:11 PM

LJ

So sorry to hear about the passing of Herb. I worked with him at Scientific Atlanta for years and he was always so sweet and upbeat. We would always talk about taking trips and camping in North Georgia. He gave me information about a travel service that we used to go to Branson MO. He would talk about Virginia and the kids. He will be greatly missed. But now he can join Virginia in heaven.

Linda Jackson

Linda Jackson - October 16, 2020 at 08:06 AM

JS

I’m so sorry to hear of Herbs passing. He was a good friend for many years, worked with Herb at SA for over 26 years and will always remember his smile and greeting when we would meet. He is a great loss, Rest in piece my friend.

Jack Snyder - October 16, 2020 at 10:10 AM

AY

So sorry to hear of Herb's passing away. Herb could always find something good in worst case problems and most times have a little laugh about it. I had the pleasure of knowing and working with Herb for some 30 years at Scientific Atlanta and as some one said before he was always Herb . God bless his family and friends. Herb is now resting in peace with his Maker.

Art Yearwood

Art Yearwood - October 16, 2020 at 11:44 AM

MS

I am sorry to hear about Herb passing away. Herb was a good man and friend of mine. I work for Camper City in Buford, Ga. He was a regular visitor at Camper City and everybody there really thought a lot of Herb. He loved camping and love to talk about camping. I became personal friends with Herb and carried him to play golf and he was a pretty good golfer too.. Not to long ago I had someone to hit the back of my truck. And in casual conversation I was telling Herb about it and he asked me what I was driving while my truck was being repaired. I told him that I was driving my wife's car and he said " Hey, I want you to come get my new truck and drive it until you get yours back." Of course I told him I was fine and he said "No sir," you come and get my truck and keep it as long as you need it. So when he got home I guess it was about an hour he called me and said Mike I went and had this truck washed and filled the gas tank up for you, and I want you to come get it. Anyway, I went over and got to truck and kept it about a month and filled it up with gas and washed it and told him I was bringing it back just like I got it. I tried to pay Herb for letting me use it and he said "God laid it on my heart to loan you that truck and I am not taking a dime from you." Not many people would do that. Herb Grier was a special friend to my family. He loved my wife and daughters as well. We all loved Herb too. Herb will be great missed. Thanks Herb for being a true friend and making my life better. RIP Herb.

Mike Smith

Mike Smith - October 16, 2020 at 02:21 PM

BO

Herb was a dear friend to my husband when we worked at Scientific Atlanta and to me after my husband died. I will miss him terribly.
Brenda Owsley

Brenda Owsley - October 16, 2020 at 08:07 PM

MF

What a sad time it is to lose a dear friend. He will surely be missed by so many. David and I enjoyed our friendship with Herb over the years. We have wonderful memories - traveling together and our many visits while living in the same neighborhood. He will always have a place in our hearts. He is at peace now and in a better place.

Miriam Fisk - October 18

Miriam Fisk - October 18, 2020 at 05:08 PM