



Curtis Hubert Linkous

May 16, 1931 - March 12, 2022

On Saturday, March 12, 2022 Curtis Hubert Linkous age 90 awoke as he always did giving thanks for another day. At 11:45 am he was happy to leave this world when the Lord called him into his eternal care with loved ones by his side.

Curtis was born May 16th 1931 to Fred & Cannie Linkous, he was a spirited young boy and as a teen loved playing catcher on the Merrimac baseball team. He raced a 1936 Ford Coupe with the number "B29" at Victory Stadium in Roanoke. Curtis served in the National Guard in the 29th Infantry Division based out of Fort Belvoir, VA. He worked in the Merrimac Coal Mines and then became a painter at Radford Army Ammunition Plant. After an early retirement he spent a lot of time going to Virginia Tech Hokie Football games & playing golf with his cherished friends. One of the most important things in Curtis' life was his walk with the Lord, he was a lifelong member of Merrimac Pentecostal Holiness Church and served as a Deacon and Sunday School Superintendent for many years.

Curtis was preceded in death by his beloved wife Robertine Kipps Linkous "Bobbie", a still born daughter, and son Mason Lee Linkous II, as well as his father Fred, mother Cannie, brother Mason, & sister Rachel. He is survived by his son and daughter-in-law Chester & Debbie Linkous of Christiansburg, granddaughters and spouses Ginger & Tim Cromer of Christiansburg, Dottie &

Todd Burris of Salem, and Jennifer & Greg Priddy of Greensboro, NC., great grandchildren Cassidy, Kaylyn (Adam Simones) & Caleb Cromer, Laci, Marley, & Garrison Burris, Logan, Parker, & Tyler Priddy. Also surviving are his sisters and spouses Clairmont & Bob Yates and Maxine & June Cook. Curtis dearly loved his nieces like they were his very own, Dana Sutphin, Kay Allen, Joy Palmer, & Michelle Wooddell, and three honorary granddaughters as well, April Clark, Holly Gray, & Taylor Wooddell. Curtis is also survived by many extended family, church family, and dear friends.

The family will receive friends from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm on Tuesday, March 15th, 2022 at McCoy Funeral Home in Blacksburg and the funeral will follow at 1:00 pm conducted by Rev. Richard Hall, & Rev. Clayton Kipps, special speaker Kim Dix. Burial will be at Roselawn Memorial Gardens.

Pallbearers are Tim Cromer, Todd Burris, Mark Moore, Sheryl Sutphin, Tim Allen, & Larry Wooddell.

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Memorial Gardens

2880 N. Franklin Street
Christiansburg, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 15. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

McCoy Funeral Home
150 Country Club Dr. S.W.
Blacksburg, VA 24060
(540) 552-3211
mccoyfuneralhome@verizon.net
<https://mccoyfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

MAR 15. 1:00 PM (ET)

McCoy Funeral Home Chapel
150 Country Club Dr S.W.
Blacksburg, VA 24060

Tribute Wall

MC

“ Our family is deeply saddened by Curtis’ passing! I know Dad has shared some great (funny) stories from their golfing trips and I’m not sure Curtis knew which one of us was missy and which was Candee because he always referred to us as those Woolwine girls which we took as a term of endearment! We love you guys and are praying with you during this time! Mark clara missy and candee

missy cromer - March 14, 2022 at 09:53 PM

BE

“ Our deep love and condolences to the family of our beloved Curtis Linkous.. He was a Merrimac staple from our lifetime and will be missed so much. There are so many memories that we cherish. He loved us and our family and always inquired about them. His smiling face was always a welcome to everyone. One day, he will welcome us all to that new home that he has gone to and we will live together in Merrimac in the sky. We love you. Barbara and Carl Early

Barbara early - March 14, 2022 at 04:06 PM

JY

“ Jennifer Yates lit a candle in memory of Curtis Hubert Linkous



Jennifer Yates - March 14, 2022 at 03:58 PM

JY

God saw you getting tired and a cure was not to be. So He put His arms around you and whispered "Come to Me". I will miss your hugs Uncle Curtis! We will see you soon, Jennifer

Jennifer Yates - March 14, 2022 at 04:06 PM

KA

“ *Kay Allen lit a candle in memory of Curtis Hubert Linkous*



Kay Allen - March 14, 2022 at 12:43 PM

BS

“ *Bobby & Deena Sexton lit a candle in memory of Curtis Hubert Linkous*



Bobby & Deena Sexton - March 14, 2022 at 09:52 AM

DM

“ *I am so saddened to hear of Curtis' passing but I know he is rejoicing with Jesus this morning! As a child and as I grew Curtis was always one of the men I looked up to and appreciated so much. I loved hearing his stories and getting a hug every time I saw him. My thoughts and prayers are with you!*

Denise Linkous Mantey - March 14, 2022 at 09:31 AM

KW

“ Please accept our deepest condolences on your loss, I remember his kindness all through my childhood, He seen a many of us grow to adults, marry our childhood sweethearts and birth of our children, and those children's children, I enjoyed our time of worship at Merrimac inside and outside. He would stop by to visit Mom and Dad after his stroke a blessing to both of them, they enjoyed his company. He will be missed so much in our community and at church, he was a true man of God and a warrior of faith. Until we meet again.

Phillip, Kim, Delores and Nick and Family

KW - March 13, 2022 at 09:04 PM

GL

“ Chester and Debbie so sorry for your loss our prayers are with you and your family at this sad time. Your Dad was a good man and will be missed.

Gary(Bear) and Peggy Linkous

Gary Linkous - March 13, 2022 at 05:47 PM

TE

*CHESTER and DEBBIE,
Curtis was a mentor to many in church and one to me as well. I always looked forward to seeing him on Sunday's. I'm very sad of your Father's passing, I hope God will give you some peace during this time, best always.*

Terry Early

Terry Early - March 14, 2022 at 10:20 AM

KO

“ Chester, Debbie and family. Curtis was a wonderful man. I know he will be missed. My thoughts and prayers to all.

Kathy O'Connor - March 13, 2022 at 05:24 PM

PL

“ So sorry for your loss. Curtis was a great man and a great man of God. I have great memories of him coming to our house and visiting mom and Dad. He was a great uncle. And he will be missed. But he is in Heaven with his Family now. Prayers for you and the family.

Phillip Linkous - March 13, 2022 at 04:49 PM

TH

“ I remember Curtis from the Merrimac church. He was a great leader at the church. He always did a good job as the Sunday School Superintendent at the church. I know he is now happy in heaven with his family there.

Tom Henry - March 13, 2022 at 04:36 PM

SS

“ Chester, Debbie and Family. You are certainly in my prayers right. I'm sad that we won't see Curtis again on this side but oh man, the homecoming in Heaven we'll have one day !!!! Curtis sorta took me under his wing at Merrimac Church. He became a mentor to me at Merrimac. He taught me a lot about being a Christian leader. He and I played a lot of golf together, he witnessed my "hole in one" at the River Course. We hunted together at Powhatan. Curtis and Bobbi were the best neighbors we could ask for. Brother Curtis, I look forward to seeing you again one day !!!! Hallelujah !!!!!

Steve Spradlin - March 13, 2022 at 03:51 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Curtis Hubert Linkous.*



March 13, 2022 at 02:52 PM