



Palmer Lee Price

March 5, 1942 - February 5, 2022

Palmer Lee Price, 79, loving husband, father, grandfather, brother, and uncle died peacefully at home on Saturday, February 5, 2022. He was born on March 5, 1942, in Montgomery County, to Cloyd Palmer Price Jr. and Sylvia Moore Price. He was a 1961 graduate of Blacksburg High School. He married Phyllis Alls Price on August 5, 1966, at Blacksburg United Methodist Church. He was retired from Virginia Tech, after many years of service in the Plant Pathology Department. Upon retirement, he spent his time restoring antique cars, restoring and collecting antique guns, handcrafting knives, watching wildlife, traveling with Phyllis, and doting on his granddaughters. Palmer truly loved life, family, and living in the valley on Catawba Road. He was declared the unofficial mayor of the valley; where he was always welcoming and willing to help any neighbors and friends in need.

Palmer was preceded in death by his parents and a brother, John Thomas Price. He is survived by his loving wife; children Tracey Bernardo (Ken) of Charlotte, NC and Travis Lee Price of Blacksburg, VA; sister Patty Trump (David) of Pembroke, VA; brother Rocky Price of Blacksburg, VA; granddaughters Lauren and Clara Bernardo of Charlotte, NC; nephew Adam Pearman of Blacksburg, VA.

Family and friends are invited to the McCoy Funeral Home, 150 Country Club Dr SW, Blacksburg, from 12-2pm on Sunday, February 13, 2022 for visitation and celebration of life at 2pm. Burial proceedings will be at a family cemetery on the family's land, Catawba Rd. Parking will be limited and boots will be

needed to walk through the field to the gravesite.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be given to Blacksburg Volunteer Rescue Squad or Good Samaritan Hospice.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 13. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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

Celebration of Life

FEB 13. 2:00 PM (ET)

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

Burial

FEB 13 (ET)

Family Cemetery
3661 Catawba Road
Blacksburg, VA 24060

Tribute Wall

RS

“ *Phyllis and family*
Saddened to hear of Palmers passing. I saw him often while I was working at "the old Horticulture Research farm" in Christiansburg as our paths crossed from time to time with plants in hand. He always greeted me with a smile and share a joke or two which seemed to just brighten the day. I have only seen him a few times since leaving VT and his greetings never changed. I pray you will feel the comforting arms of Jesus Christ around you

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Romney Smith - February 17, 2022 at 04:19 AM

CS

“ *Phyllis and family. Sure sorry to hear about Palmer's passing. He was a wonderful person and was always willing to help anyone. He will be missed by all.*
Sincerely, Chuck

Chuck Shorter - February 13, 2022 at 09:02 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Palmer Lee Price.*



February 10, 2022 at 05:22 PM

DL

“ A great "1961" classmate and friend. He will be missed by all of us.
Sincerely, "Dandy" Don & Carol

DON LINKOUS - February 09, 2022 at 12:28 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for
the family of Palmer Lee Price.



February 09, 2022 at 10:10 AM

JC

“ Phyllis, Tracy, Travis and all your family members. I know you will
miss Palmer so very much. I will also miss him. Always smiling and
always anxious to show you the knives he made. Always wanting to
know how everyone else is doing.

Janet Crittenden - February 09, 2022 at 09:51 AM

BF

“ Palmer was a good friend from our days at BHS, class of '61. My
heart and thoughts go out to his family. May he rest in peace.

beulah murray fincham - February 09, 2022 at 09:18 AM

JF

“ Dearest Phyllis, Tracey, and Travis --- I'm so sorry about the passing of Palmer - aka "PL" as he was always called in Plant Pathology, Physiology and Weed Science. He was a dedicated individual in whatever he would set his mind to do on making awesome knives or talking about NASCAR! He will be greatly missed but forever remembered in our Hearts and Minds. I was so glad I was able to see Palmer at the 5th Sunday Song Service at McDonald's Mill back on October 31. He would always ask how things going in the department. In Thoughts and Prayers. Judy Fielder (PPWS)

Judy Fielder - February 09, 2022 at 09:04 AM

BM

“ Our deepest sympathy to Phyllis and the Price family in the loss of Palmer Lee.

*Blessings,
Bill & Norma Martin*

Bill & Norma Martin - February 08, 2022 at 09:07 PM

DW

“ Phyllis, Travis, Tracy, Patty and Rocky. I am so sorry for the loss of Palmer Lee. He will be missed by everyone. You will be in my prayers and my thoughts in the days ahead.
God
Bless. Delores Wall



Delores Wall - February 08, 2022 at 08:23 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Palmer Lee Price.*



February 08, 2022 at 07:38 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Palmer Lee Price.*



February 08, 2022 at 06:14 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Palmer Lee Price.*



February 08, 2022 at 03:26 PM