



Major Raymond W. Kitchen

March 4, 1929 - October 31, 2019

Major Raymond Whitman Kitchen, 90, widower of Major Hope Bernice Casarez Kitchen, passed away October 31, 2019.

A native of Logan, West Virginia, son of the late Martin Tracy Kitchen, Sr. and Glee Truth Perry Kitchen, he was a U.S. Navy Veteran of the Korean War and a retired Salvation Army Officer.

Surviving are one son, David Kitchen of Alexandria, Virginia; son-in-law, Major Frank Duracher; one brother, Robert Kitchen of Greenville; two sisters, Frances Hines of Taylors and Phyllis Hope Anderson of Simpsonville; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Major Kitchen was predeceased by one daughter, Margery Ann Kitchen Duracher, one son, Ray Allen Kitchen, one grandson, Henry David Kitchen, two brothers, Tracy Kitchen and Klon Kitchen, and four sisters, Marie Kitchen, Virginia Carey, Lillian Tiller and MinnieBelle Smith.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 a.m. Saturday, November 9, 2019 at The Wood Mortuary. Burial will follow in Woodlawn Memorial Park.

Visitation will be held 6:00-7:30 p.m. Friday, November 8, 2019 at The Wood Mortuary.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Salvation Army Kroc Center, 424 Westfield Street, Greenville, South Carolina 29601.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn Memorial Park

1 Pine Knoll Drive
Greenville, SC 29609

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 8. 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

The Wood Mortuary, Inc.
300 West Poinsett Street
Greer, SC 29650
(864) 877-3351
woodmortuary@bellsouth.net

Service

NOV 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

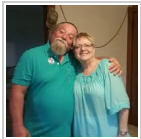
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Tribute Wall



“ Dear David Kitchen and Family, My heart goes out to you with the passing of your Dad. My son lost his Father (my husband) and his sister (my daughter) when he was 21, many years ago. I understand the sorrow and loss you must be experiencing. Death is always a shock, even if expected. May you and your family experience the peace that only God can give at this difficult time. Prayers, Crystal Barbier (a neighbor on Rushden Dr)

Crystal Barbier - November 05, 2019 at 04:42 PM



“ Dear David,
I have great memories of your Dad and Mom when you all were at The Alexandria Ciitadel Corps, in Alexandria, VA. They gave their all. Many caring thoughts and prayers are with you and the family.
Frances Lease - Augustine - Warrenton, VA



Frances Augustine - November 02, 2019 at 03:16 PM

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“ I so adored Mr Kitchen when he came by the Business Office at Brushy Creek Nursing Center where his dear wife was a patient. Always a true Country Gentleman with a smile and kind spirit! Heaven has gained a Godly man! RIP Mr. Kitchens.
Bless your dear family 🙏🙏🙏 Together again with your dear wife, Hope ❤️❤️.



Shirley Beacham - November 01, 2019 at 09:08 PM