



Richard G. Kimpton

April 27, 1939 - July 10, 2013

Heading: Richard G. Kimpton

Dateline: Greer

Richard Granville Kimpton, 74, of Moore St., died July 10, 2013.

A native of Montana, he was a son of the late George and Mary Cecil Smoot Kimpton, a retired employee of Homelite, a member of El Bethel Baptist Church, and a US Army veteran.

Surviving are his wife, Angela Vaughn Kimpton of Greer; two daughters, Laura Ann Kimpton of Taylors and Cindy Arledge of Tryon, NC; three sons, Jason Kimpton of Tryon, NC, and Andrew Stephens and Richard A. Kimpton both Greer; two brothers, Thomas E. Kimpton of Knoxville, TN and William T. Kimpton of Seneca; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

He was predeceased also by a brother, Allen W. Kimpton.

Visitation will be held 4:00 until 5:30 p.m. Saturday at The Wood Mortuary.

The family is at their respective homes.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ I have 1 father, and 3 Dads. The Father who conceived me, the Dad who adopted me, a step dad, and 1 more special man who had a hand in raising me, Richard. I am so thankful I had a chance to see you before you left us to go with your Eternal Father, and thank you for being in my life when you didn't have to be. I am gonna miss you very much Dad....

Anna Cales - July 20, 2013 at 11:26 AM



“ My heart is sad. I was so close to Richard and then I remarried and moved away. He was always my support when I was a single mom while Angie was my best friend. You couldn't ask for sweeter people. Richard nicknamed me Squiggles, because my husband called giggles, he made his own version, "Squiggles!" He raced with my husband and would always make me unload his race car and laugh as he encouraged me on what to do. He was like a uncle to my kids when they needed one. I will forever remember the days we sat on their porch and waved as friends passed by. A lot of good conversations which helped me become the mommy I am today. And on a funny note, I remember the ferret he let down by me and it ran up the leg of pants, scared the mess out of me. Go race on the Golden Track now Richard! We will all be sitting in the stands for you real soon. We love you all and Richard will never leave our hearts. Every time you see unusual things happen, know its Richard playing his jokes...

Mindy Thurston - July 13, 2013 at 07:15 AM

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I LOVE YOU DADDY SO VERY MUCH I ALWAYS HAVE AND I ALWAYS WILL .I KNOW THAT I WILL SEE YOU AGEAN SOMEDAY WHEN GOD CALLS ME HOME

CINDY ARLEDGE - July 19, 2013 at 09:36 PM