



Mr. Louis C. Shirley

March 22, 1929 - July 4, 2020

Mr. Louis C. Shirley, 91, passed on July 4, 2020. He was a loving husband, supportive father, generous grandfather, and a proud great-grandfather. He was a compassionate, loyal caregiver to his first wife, Iris Compton Shirley as well as his second wife, Christine Smith Muldrow Shirley.

Louis is preceded in death by his father, Louis A. Shirley, and his mother, Carrie Lee Douglas Shirley of Hartsville, SC; his brothers, Alvin, Eugene, and Levern along with his sisters, Ruby Lee McDugle, Mary Law Shumate (May) and Francis Byrd (Kitty).

Surviving Louis is his son, John Louis Shirley of Bishopville, SC; step-children, (Christine's children) Beverly Muldrow Reid of Charlotte, Bob Muldrow of Florida as well as his three grandchildren, Chris, Sharon and Brad, his great-granddaughter, Amanda and her two children, his great-great-grandchildren, Kendall and Bradley. He is also survived by nieces and nephews with a special mention to his niece, Jean Shirley Watkins of Hartsville, SC.

Louis retired from the US Marines as a Gunnery Sargent after 30 years of dedicated service. Six years were served in the Fleet Reserve stationed in Guam in the late 1940's, Korea in the 1950's and Vietnam and Guantanamo Bay, Cuba during the late 1960's; afterward, he went on to 20 years working as the Public Works Director of Lee County, SC.

Louis was a hardworking active member of Bishopville Masonic Lodge #104, Bishopville, SC, for over 40 years. He was also a dedicated member of the Order of the Eastern Star, Chapter #74, of Bishopville, SC, and a devoted member of the Bishopville Presbyterian Church where he married Christine.

Louis and family would like to extend appreciation and thanks to the Bishopville Presbyterian Church congregation with the special help and support given by Martha Kay Hunt, Tyson Eckley, and JohnEllen (T-Bo).

Friends are invited to pay their respects from 5:00 until 7:00 pm on Tuesday, July 7, 2020, at Hancock-Elmore-Hill Funeral Home; however, the family will not be present to greet guests. Military Honors with Masonic Rites will be given at the graveside service held at 2 o'clock on Wednesday, July 8, 2020, at Bishopville Presbyterian Church Cemetery, with the Rev. Chris Parnell officiating. Hancock-Elmore-Hill Funeral Directors are caring for the family.

Cemetery Details

Bishopville Presbyterian Church Cemetery

215 S Main St
Bishopville, SC 29010

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 7. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Hancock-Elmore-Hill Funeral Home
200 West Church Street
Bishopville, SC 29010

Service

JUL 8. 2:00 PM (ET)

Bishopville Presbyterian Church Cemetery
215 S Main St
Bishopville, SC 29010

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Louis C. Shirley*

October 08, 2023 at 04:16 PM



“ *Mr. Louis C. Shirley*

March 25, 2023 at 11:01 AM



“ *Clara McElveen lit a candle in memory of Mr. Louis C. Shirley*



Clara McElveen - July 08, 2020 at 10:16 PM



“ *Deborah Sage lit a candle in memory of Mr. Louis C. Shirley*



Deborah Sage - July 07, 2020 at 02:42 PM

LL

“ *Laura Logan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Louis C. Shirley*



Laura Logan - July 07, 2020 at 01:48 PM

MC

“ *Margaret Copeland lit a candle in memory of Mr. Louis C. Shirley*



Margaret Copeland - July 06, 2020 at 07:31 PM

SJ

“ *Uncle LC was a special man. The last living sibling of my mother’s family...I’m sure his “Heavenly Homecoming” was amazingly full of love. He will truly be missed by many of us..my heartfelt prayers are with his only son, John!* 🙏❤️🙏❤️



Sheila Johnson - July 06, 2020 at 04:02 PM

AH

“ *Anita Hearon lit a candle in memory of Mr. Louis C. Shirley*



Anita Hearon - July 05, 2020 at 05:00 PM

MB

“ *Matt Bramlett lit a candle in memory of Mr. Louis C. Shirley*



Matt Bramlett - July 05, 2020 at 03:54 PM

HT

“ *Hugh Tindal lit a candle in memory of Mr. Louis C. Shirley*



hugh tindal - July 05, 2020 at 02:43 PM

HT

Rest in Peach, Mr Louis

hugh tindal - July 05, 2020 at 02:44 PM

AH

“ *I had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Shirley 6/14/20 and that is the day I started as his night caregiver. I was blessed to care give for him the short amount of time as well as the conversations that I had with him.*

Thoughts/prayers for family/friends during this time of loss.

Anita Hearon - July 05, 2020 at 10:16 AM