



Raymond Aldrich

July 3, 1939 - October 25, 2015

Raymond Alan Aldrich, 76, of Greenville, went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, October 25, 2015, at his home.

Born on July 3, 1939, in New Britain, CT, he was the son of the late Clarence and Elva Brown Aldrich. Mr. Aldrich was retired from Stanley Steel and was a member of Unity Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife of 54 years, Shirley May Smith Aldrich; two children, Timothy Aldrich (Lisa), of St. Augustine, FL, and Betsy Horton (Martin), of Memphis, TN; a brother, Burton Aldrich (Georgia), of Davenport, FL; a sister, Joyce Cichowski (Francis), of CT; six grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Along with his parents, Mr. Aldrich was predeceased by a son, William Ashley Aldrich.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, October 27, 2015 at 2 p.m. at Unity Baptist Church, with visitation prior from 1 p.m. until 2 p.m.

Burial will follow in Mountain View Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, please make memorials to Unity Baptist Church, 12 Piney Rd., Greenville, SC 29611 and/or to the St. Francis Cancer Center, 104 Innovation Dr., Greenville, SC 29607.

Cemetery Details

Mountain View Memorial Park formerly Grand View Memorial Gardens

7 Duncan Rd.
Travelers Rest, SC

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **27**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Unity Baptist Church
12 Piney Road
Greenville, SC SC

Church Service

OCT **27**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

CA

“ Auntie Shirley, Betsy, Tim, and the rest of the family I am so sorry to hear of Uncle Rays passing. you can rejoice in knowing that he finally has been reunited with Billy. I can only imagine how wonderful that reunion was! Uncle Ray was always so happy and funny and I have nothing but fond memories of him. One of the strangest things I remember about him was when he got his first fax machine when you moved to New York and he was explaining to my dad how it worked. I was listening to them talk and was baffled by the fax machine but remember thinking how smart and cool Uncle Ray was to have such equipment in his home. I love you all. Cathi Gonzalez (Tilleman)



cathi - October 31, 2015 at 09:25 AM

DM

“ Donna Marie lit a candle in memory of Raymond Aldrich



Donna Marie - October 27, 2015 at 07:02 PM

RL

“ We have been blessed to have called Ray our friend. He was a loyal friend who loved all he met. He loved his Lord Jesus Christ, his church family, Pastors Green and Ellison and his family. He was a benevolent person, helping those in need, without them knowing. Shirley, we loved Ray and love you also. Ralph and Judy

Ralph Lathan - October 27, 2015 at 08:57 AM

CC

“ *Cindy Colella lit a candle in memory of Raymond Aldrich*



Cindy Colella - October 27, 2015 at 07:45 AM



“ *Ray was like a brother to us and we loved him dearly. He and Shirley were always so encouraging and happy. When they moved here from New Hampshire, it was like we had always known them and we have been close friends since. Ray is with the Lord now and free of the cancer. We will miss him very much.*

Joanne Klinetop - October 26, 2015 at 03:31 PM

SW

“ *Shirley Aldrch and Maggie and the rest of the family . I am so sorry for your loss . I have only known Ray and Shirley and Maggie and her family for about 2 years . He was the 1 one that would shack my hand when i would come i to church when he saw me . He always had a kind word and a smile as well . I will miss seeing him in the choir singing beside Ray peperman and beside Daniel . He will be greatly missed by all of his family and friends at a Unity .*



summer Whitmire - October 25, 2015 at 09:02 PM

FE

“ Although we only knew Ray a short while we will always. remember his kind face and sweet spirit. We so enjoyed his company and reminiscing about places we both knew and loved. We will miss him. Joe and Faye Exley

Faye Exley - October 25, 2015 at 01:49 PM