



Ralph Eaton

September 27, 1944 - June 13, 2024

Ralph Eaton, 79, of Chesapeake, VA and formerly of Woodbridge, VA passed away on June 13, 2024.

Ralph was born on September 27, 1944, in Roanoke, VA. During his early years growing up, he and his family lived in Woodbridge, Quantico, and Lorton until his family settled in Woodbridge on F Street in 1954. Woodbridge remained his hometown until moving to Chesapeake four years ago.

He retired from Piledrivers Local 2311 and also worked for WMATA (Metro system) and VDOT.

Ralph is survived by his wife, Debbie of 47 years; their two sons, Michael of Dumfries, VA and Brian of Manassas, VA; his beloved yellow lab and constant companion, Stacy; and sister Brenda Steele and brother Ronald Eaton.

He was preceded in death by his parents William and Nadine Eaton, brother Donald Eaton, and sister Shannon Hanna.

Service is scheduled for 1 p.m. Monday, June 24 at Miller Funeral Home and Crematory, 3200 Golansky Blvd., Woodbridge, VA 22192. Reception will follow at VFW Post 1503, 14631 Minnieville Road, Montclair. The family will receive visitors Sunday, June 23 from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. at the funeral home. Interment will be held Thursday, June 27 at 1 p.m. at Chesapeake Memorial Gardens, 524 Cedar Road, Chesapeake, VA 23322.

Previous Events

Family Visitation

JUN 23. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Miller Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc.
3200 Golansky Blvd.
Woodbridge, VA 22192
703-878-CARE (2273)
<https://millerfuneralhome.net/>

Service

JUN 24. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Burial

JUN 27. 1:00 PM (ET)

Chesapeake Memorial Gardens
524 Cedar Rd
Chesapeake, AK 23322

Tribute Wall

KH

“ Kim H. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ralph Eaton.

Kim H. - June 24, 2024 at 08:55 AM

WF

“ With Love, Tameka and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ralph Eaton.

With Love, Tameka and Family - June 23, 2024 at 06:10 PM

WF

“ With Love, Tameka and Family purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Ralph Eaton.



With Love, Tameka and Family - June 23, 2024 at 06:10 PM

TS

“ I will always remember his spirit and enthusiasm during volleyball at family picnics!

Tammy Silipigni - June 23, 2024 at 03:45 PM

RM

“ Ron and Barbara Mills planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ralph Eaton.

Ron and Barbara Mills - June 23, 2024 at 12:44 PM

RM

“ *Ron and Barbara Mills purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Ralph Eaton.*



Ron and Barbara Mills - June 23, 2024 at 12:44 PM

SE

“ *Prayers for the family. Ralph was a joy to be around. He and my dad met many years ago at the Charles Town Race Track. My dad worked the parking gate and they became instant best friends. He would give me money to bet on a horse which was always a winner. He visited as much as he could with my parents, take my dad places to eat and get seeds, plants to grow in the garden. He loved working in the garden helping to plant potatoes, dig potatoes and even pull weeds. He always made sure my family had honey baked hams at Christmas. He and dad can talk garden stuff again. He will be missed.*

Stacey Ebeling - June 23, 2024 at 08:38 AM

TG

“ *Terry and Jane Greenfield purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Ralph Eaton.*



Terry and Jane Greenfield - June 22, 2024 at 09:07 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Ralph Eaton.*



June 21, 2024 at 01:53 PM



“ *Travis R. purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Ralph Eaton.*



Travis R. - June 21, 2024 at 10:30 AM



“ *We all Gathered one Christmas to ride and see the Christmas Lights. Afterward we went to an Ice Cream place to sit down and enjoy some ice cream. Ralph had gotten the young lady who was service us to bring a can of whip cream to the table. I this the top actuator came of. Ralph sat the can on the table to put the cap bag on when it activate and shot whip cream into the air. It was a great laugh had by all. Great memories a better times.*

Travis Talbott - June 21, 2024 at 10:06 AM