



Rev Richard Lee Morris

February 6, 1942 - May 8, 2020

Reverend Richard Lee Morris went to be with his Lord on May 8, 2020. He had been in declining health for two years.

Rev. Morris was born on February 6, 1942, in Danville, Virginia to the late Harry and Minnie Talbot Morris. Rev. Morris was the pastor at First Independent Methodist Church in Danville, Virginia for twelve years.

He never met a stranger and enjoyed helping others in the ministries by serving with the Good News Jail and Prison Ministry for nineteen years. He will be truly missed by his family and friends.

He leaves behind his wife of fifty-five years Brenda Dooley Morris and his daughter Joyce Morris McFarling (Ricky) of Blanch, N.C., five grandchildren, Brandy McFarling, Leighann Puett, Nathan McFarling, Jacob McFarling (Sierra), Destiny McFarling and seven great grandchildren, a brother Kenneth Morris of Danville, two sisters Gloria Mills of Danville and Nadine Frye of VA. Beach.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by a brother Bill Morris.

The family is aware that there are many people who would like to attend the funeral, however, due to the constraints of public gatherings during the

COVID-19 outbreak, there will be a private graveside held at Danville Memorial Garden. The family encourages you to leave your memories and condolences online at www.wrenn-yeatts.com.

Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel is respectfully serving the Morris family.

Tribute Wall

RH

“ I loved Richard Morris he was a dear friend confidant and fellow servant of the Lord many hours I know that we spent together while in the jail ministry he was always a blessing and when he would drop by the house he was always such an encouragement and a light how old is truly sorry to hear about his passing I broke into tears when I saw it and Brenda I pray for you and your family Richard was one of the best God bless I love you Rickey and Robin Hundley

Reverend Rickey Hundley - July 22, 2020 at 02:45 PM

DT

“ Brenda, sorry for your loss! I worked with you many years ago at the hospital. Whenever he came to see you, he always took the time to stop an speak to me.

Donna Turner - May 14, 2020 at 12:27 AM

TB

“ Brenda and Joy-so sorry to hear about Dicky.
Terri Beardsley

Terri Beardsley - May 10, 2020 at 09:41 PM

HG

“ Dear Brenda and family,

I am praying for you during this difficult time. Richard is with the God he served for so long and so well, but he will be greatly missed. It was my great privilege and honor to serve the Lord together with Richard. May God be your peace and strength in all ways. God bless.

Harry Greene

Harry Greene - May 10, 2020 at 02:26 PM

DQ

“ Sorry to hear about your loss he was a very caring man I have good memories of him and his wife Brenda My prayers are with the family Please let me know if you need anything Denise Queen

Denise Queen - May 10, 2020 at 01:19 PM

JQ

“ When I was a volunteer with the prison ministry, Richard shared an encouraging word with me, which really helped.

John quinlan - May 10, 2020 at 07:38 AM

AN

“ I knew the chaplain many many many years ago I know he meant well and all his works I hope the look and tell him good work my child

Anonymous - May 10, 2020 at 06:12 AM

JH

“ I was so sorry to hear of Rev. Morris passing. He was a Godly man. May his family find peace in knowing that he is with the Lord. Please know that my prayers are with you all.



Janet Teague Hullender - May 10, 2020 at 02:28 AM

LH

“ My husband and I both went to school with him . He stood with us and by us when my husband’s mother past . He was a great friend . So sorry to hear of his passing but know he is in a better place

Linda Hill - May 09, 2020 at 06:24 PM

NS

“ He was a true friend to all he met. He will be missed dearly.

Norma Summers - May 09, 2020 at 12:10 PM

BN

“ Becky Zelonka Nash lit a candle in memory of Rev Richard Lee Morris



Becky Zelonka Nash - May 09, 2020 at 06:17 AM

DM

“ I am so very sorry to hear of the passing a brother Richard. He came to me when I was at my very lowest and brought me up and would come to visit me about every week and a have prayer with me. Sometimes when I felt good enough I would even go to church with him and his wife. He was one wonderful man and he will be greatly missed.



Donna metz - May 09, 2020 at 02:46 AM

DM

My sympathy goes out to his wife and family.

Donna metz - May 09, 2020 at 02:49 AM

DS

“ Deborah B. Smith lit a candle in memory of Rev Richard Lee Morris



Deborah B. Smith - May 09, 2020 at 01:15 AM