



Richard Ray Hymer

April 11, 1949 - August 1, 2022

Memorial Services for Richard Ray Hymer (Rosewood Ricky), 73, of Gilmer, Texas, will be held at 2:00 pm, Sunday, August 7, 2022, at McWhorter Funeral Home with Bro. Glen Pierce officiating. The family will receive friends at 1:00 pm, prior to the service. Private interment will be held at a later date at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery, San Antonio, Texas.

Richard was born April 11, 1949, to Francis Edward and Mary Francis Hill Hymer, in Gilmer, Texas and went to be with his Lord and Savior, August 1, 2022. Richard proudly served for over 24 years in the United States Air Force retiring as a major. He dedicated his service the past few years helping at the Upshur County Food Bank. Richard was a follower of Christ and committed to studying the word and sharing that with anyone he came into contact with. He loved everyone and even professedly love for those he didn't even know.

Those left to cherish his memory are his son, Steven Hymer; favorite Grandson Grayson Hymer; daughter, Robin Hymer; brother, Mike Hymer and wife Dana Hymer; niece, Merdith Scudder, husband Christian Scudder and children Blair, Knox, Jude; nephew, Casey Hymer, wife Hilary Hymer and children Jackson and Hunter.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and his brother, Jim Hymer.

Please visit Richard's on-line registration book at www.mcwhorterfh.com to leave a memory for the family.

In lieu of flower, the family asked for you to direct funds to East Texas Food Bank as a donation in memory of Richard Hymer care of Upshur County

Shares.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 7. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ I am a Hymer, and Richard really reminds me of my Grandfather Kenny Hymer. Best wishes and comfort to his family. I was searching for unclaimed property for myself (which comically was \$0.00), and found this entry for Richard Hymer on the Texas Unclaimed Property website: 56176311 RICHARD E HYMER P O BOX 503 GILMER TX 75644 AMERICAN NTL INS CO MATURED POLICY ENDOW, ANNUITIES \$3,848.64 2018. It would be helpful to the family if they would file a claim for it. God Bless you all.

Josh Hymer - January 05, 2023 at 11:50 PM



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McWhorter Funeral Home - August 12, 2022 at 06:33 PM



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“ *Richard was a unique individual. He was a faithful student of the Bible. The Food Bank was his passion. He has now paid the debt which all of us living still owe. Our prayers are with his family for comfort.*

Prayerfully,

Charles & Charlotte Johnson

Charles & Charlotte Johnson - August 04, 2022 at 03:18 PM

MT

Richard you will be missed here on earth, but Heaven just got another faithful servant. Tell Granny, Pa, Pam, Aunt Francis & Uncle Tink, Jim, Uncle Max & Aunt Opal, Uncle Jack & Aunt Peggy, Uncle Charles & Aunt Dell and my mom your Aunt Evelyn that we miss them.

“You will lose someone you can’t live without, and your heart will be badly broken, and the bad news is you never completely get over the loss of your beloved. But this is also the good news. They live forever in your broken heart that doesn’t seal back up. And you come through. It’s like having a broken leg that never heals perfectly—that still hurts when the weather gets cold, but you learn to dance with the limp.” — Anne Lamott

Mark Trim - August 04, 2022 at 06:03 PM

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Richard was a quiet man, but knew how to laugh heartily. He loved the game of golf and wanted to share that joy with others. He cut down two of his clubs for my children to play on his three hole course one summer. I shall treasure the family times that now seem so fleeting (they all revolved around eating!): a fabulous home cooked breakfast, lunches at Granny’s house, Traditions, coffee & desserts! Most of all I’ll miss the spiritual side of Richard. He loved Jesus, knew Him personally and sees Him face to face today. Well done, Cousin. I’ll see you soon!

Kathy Holmes - August 05, 2022 at 10:40 PM