



Larry G Pippin

April 2, 1948 - December 30, 2018

Larry G. Pippin, age 70, of Bristol, VA passed away Sunday, December 30, 2018 at Wellmont Bristol Regional Medical Center.

He retired from his job after 45 years as a field service engineer from Bristol Compressors. He loved to work on antique cars and riding his motorcycle.

He was a veteran of the United States Navy and a member of Highlands Fellowship Church, where he loved being in the parking lot ministry. He loved seeing all the smiling faces coming in on Sunday to worship with the Lord.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Gordon and Vesta Eads Pippin; sisters, Janis Carpenteri and Peggy Blevins; brothers, Donald Pippin, Allen Pippin; his triplet brothers, Garry Vale Pippin and Harry Dale Pippin.

He loved his family and friends and his forever girlfriend, Bess Jones.

He is survived by his daughter, Tammy Pippin Poe and husband, Ricky of Bristol, VA; son, Jamie Pippin and wife, Sarah of Las Vegas, NV; sister, Mary Lynda Gross of Bristol, TN; four grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, several nieces and nephews; His forever girlfriend of 23 years, Bess Jones of Bristol, VA.

The family would like to give a special thanks to his pastor Gary Childers from Highlands Fellowship.

The funeral service will be conducted at 7:00 P.M., Thursday, January 3, 2019 at Highlands Fellowship, 134 Commerce Ct., Bristol, VA 24201 on Bonham Road with Rev. Gary Childers officiating. The committal service and interment will be at 11:00 A.M., Friday, January 4, 2019 in Glenwood Cemetery where he will be laid to rest by his triplet brother Harry and the ashes of Garry with Military Rites conducted by the D.A.V Chapter #40 Honor Guard. Pallbearers will be Shea Poe, Scott Pippin, Kaiden Pippin, Ian McMurray, Ronnie Poe and Roger Poe. The family will receive friends 5:00 – 7:00 P.M., prior to the service at the church.

Condolences may be sent to the family at akardfuneralhome.com

Akard Funeral Home, 1912 West State St., Bristol, TN (423) 989-4800 is serving the Pippin family.

Comments



“ The last time I seen Larry, was at the Candlelight Service, at Highland's Fellowship. He directed me to my favorite parking place, with his antlers in place on his head. He may have been one of Santa's Reindeers guiding the sleighs where they needed to be; but he was truly a god fearing man who loved his family, friends and his church. Most of all he loved his God. I will miss him being at Bess's side every Sunday. Love you friend. Love you Bess.

Barbara Hall Smith

Barbara Smith - January 16 at 07:55 AM



“ I am so sorry to hear about the passing of Larry. Our loss is heavens gain. He was always smiling and so nice. He was a shining light at Highlands Fellowship and will be missed by all who knew and loved him. May God bless and comfort you all in the days ahead. Praying for peace and knowing God is in control.



Susan Dillon - January 04 at 09:39 AM



“ Donna Anderson lit a candle in memory of Larry G Pippin



Donna Anderson - January 04 at 04:07 AM



“ 58 files added to the album LifeTributes



Akard Funeral Home - January 03 at 02:27 PM



“ My prayers are with this family not only today but the days ahead. Larry was a great person and will surely be missed

Becky Fleming - January 04 at 07:53 AM



“ Nancy Carver lit a candle in memory of Larry G Pippin



Nancy Carver - January 03 at 08:14 AM



“ I worked with Larry on field test Compressors for a lot of years. He always treated me good. I will never forget him. I will say a prayer for his family.
Thanks, Barry



Barry Crane - January 02 at 09:21 PM



“ Jennie Bane lit a candle in memory of Larry G Pippin



Jennie Bane - January 02 at 03:14 PM



“ Mark L. Solverud and the NGL Employees purchased the Love Everlasting Bouquet for the family of Larry G Pippin.



Mark L. Solverud and the NGL Employees - January 02 at 09:51 AM



“ Larry was a dear friend to Carl and I. Always smiling and ready to lend a hand. We loved him dearly.

Audrey Powers - January 02 at 07:38 AM



“ KATHRYN MARTIN lit a candle in memory of Larry G Pippin



KATHRYN MARTIN - January 01 at 09:06 PM



“ Condolences to the family. We were childhood friends - 1955-57; lots of memorable moments, as Mrs. Pippin cared for my sister and I after school while our parents worked (we moved to the TN side of town in late '57). Larry and his brothers were couple years older than me; I remember them being lots of fun, but no contact with them after we moved to TN.

KATHRYN MARTIN - January 01 at 09:04 PM



“ Red Poinsettia (Silk Cemetery Flowers) was purchased for the family of Larry G Pippin.



January 01 at 06:06 PM



“ Prayers for the family. I worked with Larry at Bristol Compressors, he was a good man and will be missed by all who knew him.

Vicky Harrison - January 01 at 03:13 PM



“ So sorry for your loss.

Penny M Bishop - January 01 at 12:18 PM



“ So, so sorry to hear of the passing of a dear friend of years back. Had not seen Larry since maybe 1970, but as recent as 2 weeks ago I had tried to reach him thru Facebook messenger, Larry and I served in the Navy on the USS Springfield together, and attended and graduated from Virginia High in Bristol, Va. My dear friend may you sail the Mighty, the high, and rough seas in the Arms of JESUS. To the family of Larry please accept my deepest sympathies on your loss of a dear and precious person in Larry.

Dale Prince - January 01 at 11:10 AM



“ So sorry to hear this. I graduated with the boys from Va high.

Dan Gemmell - January 01 at 02:27 PM



“ Cathy lit a candle in memory of Larry G Pippin



Cathy - January 01 at 10:20 AM



“ Phil And Ann lit a candle in memory of Larry G Pippin



Phil and Ann - January 01 at 07:32 AM



“ Dina lit a candle in memory of Larry G Pippin



Dina - January 01 at 07:08 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Larry G Pippin.



December 31, 2018 at 05:51 PM