



Raymond Edward Drake

September 23, 1942 - November 8, 2024

The staff of Heishman Funeral Home/Valley Funeral Service sends condolences to the family of Raymond Edward Drake.

Raymond Edward Drake, 82, of Edinburg, passed away Friday, November 8, 2024, at his home. The funeral service will be held Sunday, November 10, 2024, at 3:00 p.m. at Valley Funeral Service in Edinburg. Pastor Paul Rash will officiate. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service. Burial will be on Monday, November 11, 2024, at 10:00 a.m. at Sunset View Memorial Gardens in Woodstock.

Mr. Drake was born September 23, 1942, in Wadena, MN., son of the late Harvey Richard Drake and Ethel Lillian Tritsch Drake. He retired in 2007 after 40 years from Halle Construction Company in Maryland and was a member of Lighthouse Freewill Baptist Church. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Linda Drake and granddaughter, Hailey Drake.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Layne Loy Drake; children, Wade Drake (Dawn) of Annapolis, MD. Rayelynn Murphy (Anthony) of Martinsburg, WV. Becky Wakeman (Jeff) of Edinburg, VA and Doug Loy (Judy) of Gilbert, AZ; sister, Esther Steinhorst of Lusby, MD.; brother, Harlan Robert Drake of Lusby, MD.; 15 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Wade Drake, Treyton Drake, Trent Drake, Doug Loy, Daniel Wakeman, Riley Murphy, Anthony Triggs, Tim LeMay, Mike Mullins, and Chris Layne.

Honorary pallbearers will be Jeff Wakeman and Bobby Thompson.
In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Blue Ridge Hospice, 333 W. Cork Street, Suite 405, Winchester, VA 22601. Special thanks to Dr McCusker's and Rodney Huff at Shenandoah Oncology in Winchester, VA. Online condolences may be left at www.valleyfs.com
Arrangements by Heishman Funeral Home Inc., Valley Funeral Service Branch, Edinburg.

Cemetery Details

Sunset View Memorial Gardens

2677 Fravel Rd
Woodstock, VA 22664

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 10. 2:00 PM (ET)

Valley Funeral Service
14116 South Middle Road
Edinburg, VA 22824
(540) 984-3700
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<https://www.valleyfs.com>

Funeral Service

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Graveside Service

NOV 11. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

PJ

“ So sorry Mary about the lose of Ray. He was so nice. Phyllis Johnson

Phyllis Johnson - November 10, 2024 at 06:27 PM

TR

“ Rich and I are so sorry to hear about Raymond. We all worked together for many years and Raymond was always a pleasure to be around. We are thinking of the family and sending prayers. Love, Rich and Tree Rounds

Theresa Rounds - November 10, 2024 at 12:48 PM

JB

“ Jon and Sarah Bolles purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Raymond Edward Drake.



Jon and Sarah Bolles - November 08, 2024 at 04:08 PM

JB

“ Jon and Sarah Bolles planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Raymond Edward Drake.

Jon and Sarah Bolles - November 08, 2024 at 04:08 PM