



Richard Charles Tucker Sr.

July 13, 1943 - December 18, 2022

The staff at Heishman Funeral Home Inc. sends condolences to the family of Richard Charles Tucker Sr.

Richard Charles Tucker Sr., passed peacefully at his home on Sunday, December 18, 2022, surrounded by loving friends and family. A funeral service will be held Thursday, December 29, at 11:00am at New Market Seventh Day Adventist Church.

Richard was preceded in death by his parents, Charles Emmett Tucker and Audrey Burroughs Tucker.

Richard "Dickie" was born in Woodstock, VA on July 13, 1943. He learned the value of hard work at a very young age, milking cattle early mornings before school, and generally helping his family in whatever capacity he could with the many farm and family pursuits. Richard graduated from Shenandoah Valley Academy in 1961 & subsequently moved to Maryland for several years while learning the construction trade. In 1974, he moved his family back home, to 75 scenic acres in Quicksburg, and began forging his own path in the building industry as sole proprietor of Richard C. Tucker Construction. Together, Richard and his wife Ellen planned, designed and built many high quality, beautiful homes across the Valley.

Richard is survived by his wife of 58 years, Ellen Witt Tucker, (son) Richard Charles Tucker Jr. (Anne), grandson Jack Deegan Tucker, granddaughter Madilyn Witt Tucker, (daughter) Michelle Tucker and grandsons; William Witt,

Tucker Kane and Charles Karcher Scafidi, sisters; Pat Hold (Elvin), Connie Wagner (Manfred), and Donna Reed (Clayton). Richard was loved deeply by his family along with many lifelong friends, and he will be greatly missed. The family will receive friends Wednesday, December 28, from 6-8pm at Heishman/Valley Funeral Service, Edinburg.

Memorial Contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society or Shenandoah Valley Academy.

Online condolences may be left at www.valleyfs.com

Arrangements by Heishman Funeral Home Inc., Valley Funeral Service Branch, Edinburg.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **28**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

DEC **29**. 11:00 AM (ET)

New Market Seventh-Day Adventist Church
62 W. Lee Highway
New Market, VA 22844

Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Charles Tucker Sr.*

January 30, 2023 at 03:03 AM



“ *Richard Charles Tucker Sr.*

January 30, 2023 at 12:44 AM



“ *So sorry to hear of Richards passing. He always had a smile on his face whenever I saw him. He loved all of his family so much. He will be greatly missed by everyone that had the honor to know him. Sending Love and prayers to all of you.*

Valerie (Tusing) Fultz - January 01, 2023 at 07:30 PM



“ *Dickie will always be remembered as such a fun guy to be around in school! At every class reunion just enjoyed talking & laughing with him! He was such a wonderful addition to our Class of '61! He will be missed greatly by all who knew him! Jane Ressijac Olson*

Jane Ressijac Olson - December 30, 2022 at 03:52 PM



“ *Rose Remembrance was purchased for the family of Richard Charles Tucker Sr..*



December 27, 2022 at 10:50 AM

YF

“ *your Veritiv friends purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Richard Charles Tucker Sr..*



your Veritiv friends - December 27, 2022 at 09:00 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Richard Charles Tucker Sr..*



December 27, 2022 at 08:59 AM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Richard Charles Tucker Sr..*



December 26, 2022 at 01:45 PM

GB

“ *Sorry for your loss,our thoughts and prayers are with you through your time of sorrow. Sincerely Greg&Linda Bair*

Greg&Linda Bair - December 26, 2022 at 10:58 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Richard Charles Tucker Sr..*



December 25, 2022 at 09:13 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Richard Charles Tucker Sr..*



December 24, 2022 at 01:57 PM



“ *We have known Richard for over 40 years and always thought of him as a good friend. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. Roger & Susan Caldwell*



Roger Caldwell - December 24, 2022 at 11:43 AM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Richard Charles Tucker Sr..*



December 23, 2022 at 10:28 AM

JM

“ *Mr Tucker visited the store a few times with his lovely wife. I was always struck by his obvious love of this wife and family. He was very humble about his success in business and much more proud of family. My heart aches for his family as they are wonderful people. My love to you all.*

James McHone - December 22, 2022 at 02:25 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Richard Charles Tucker Sr..*



December 22, 2022 at 12:36 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Richard Charles Tucker Sr..*



December 22, 2022 at 12:08 PM

CH

“ *Many thoughts and prayers for you, Ellen, and your family Tucker will be missed. I loved talking to him whenever I saw him and always let him know how much I appreciated everything he did for Kris. May your wonderful memories give you peace and comfort. Much love. Carole Jo Harner*

Carole Jo Harner - December 22, 2022 at 11:04 AM

ML

“ *Sending lots of prayers to the family*



Mildred Litten - December 22, 2022 at 10:21 AM



“ *Memories to Treasure was purchased for the family of Richard Charles Tucker Sr..*



December 22, 2022 at 08:44 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Richard Charles Tucker Sr..*



December 21, 2022 at 05:11 PM

DD

“ *Richard built our lovely home in 1997. He was such a pleasure to work with. He always had a smile on his face with a wonderful laugh. Over the years he completed several projects that finished our home. He was a trustworthy craftsman. We send our prayers to his family and know that one day soon they will be together again.*

Dorenda & Bill Dodge - December 21, 2022 at 04:33 PM

BS

I send prayers to his family and friends. Richard will be greatly missed.

Brenda Harper Sheffet - December 21, 2022 at 08:50 PM