



Larry Penry

January 15, 1934 - September 12, 2008

Private family services for Larry Allen Penry, 74, of Roswell were held Tuesday, September 16, 2008 at Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home & Crematory. Larry passed away Friday, September 12, 2008.

Larry was born January 15, 1934 to Robert Lee Penry and Addie Cordelia Leonard in Denton, North Carolina. He was a graduate of the University of North Carolina, attended Memphis State University and the University of Tennessee. Larry was a member of the UNC Alumni Association, Sierra Club, Roswell Senior Circle and a past member of the American Society Quality Control and Fraternity of Delta Sigma Delta. He worked at the Salt River Project in Arizona until his retirement. Larry enjoyed reading, writing stories and poetry and watching the University of North Carolina Tarhills sports. He also enjoyed fishing, playing yahtzee and traveling the world. Larry was of the Methodist Faith. He was a U.S. Navy Veteran and his occupation was a chemist at the Coronado Generating Plant, part of the Salt River Project. Larry, most of all, enjoyed his family he loved them dearly..

He is survived by his wife Nancy of the family home, four children; L. Allen Penry II and his wife Patricia Haley of Las Vegas, NV, Darah Beeles and her husband Brian of Roswell, Mark E. Penry of Colorado Springs, CO and Sarah E. Binder and her husband Robert of Nashville, TN, ten grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Larry was preceded in death by his parents and siblings, Odell Cutting, Minnie Grubb, Robert L. Penry Jr., A. Hill Penry, Richard H. Penry, William G. Penry,

J. Kiffin Penry, Novella Smith and Edith Morris.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the Gideons International or the charity of your choice.

Please share your thoughts and memories with the family in the online register book at andersonbethany.com.

Services are under the direction of Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home & Crematory.

Tribute Wall



“ *Larry Penry*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Our prayers and thoughts are extended to our cousin, Nancy and her family. We certainly remember Larry as a gentleman and his warm smile at our Hayworth Family reunions will be missed. May each family member received the comfort of Christ our Savior with whom Larry resides now.*

Martha & Ernest Macon - September 24, 2008 at 08:27 PM



“ *Nancy and your family, my memories of you and Larry are warm and appreciative. Your concern to stay in touch with the Hayworth family even when you have been so far away has meant much. Jean and I want you to know our love and care during this difficult time. Losing a spouse is perhaps the most difficult of all. At the same time, I know your faith in the unbounded and unbreakable love and grace of God is sustaining you. Love, Jean and Fred*

Fred and Jean Macon - September 23, 2008 at 06:43 PM



“ *Nancy and Family,
My sincerest and deepest sympathy for your loss. Celebrate his life because he certainly lived well and you will have wonderful memories to sustain you.*

Vivian Kelly - September 22, 2008 at 07:22 PM

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“ To Nancy & Family, My thoughts and prayers are with you and I am thankful for all you both have been to so many people. Bless you all during this time. My love, Sande

Sande Hahn - September 22, 2008 at 11:18 AM

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“ I enjoyed the time we worked together at Salt River Project. My thoughts go out to his family. He was a good man with good intentions to all he worked with. He was a man of his word. My only regret was not being able to spend more time with him at SRP. He didn't work here long, but made and impact on those of us he worked with. God bless, Larry Von Stradling

Larry V. Stradling - September 22, 2008 at 11:09 AM

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“ Our families had many sweet memories when we met in Illinois. It has been great to have kept that friendship ongoing over the years. Larry and Gary were very similar in many ways which culminated in a nice friendship.
And of course we love you Nancy and our prayers are with you as you make this transition in your life.
Love & Friendship, Gary & Carolyn Lawson

Gary & Carolyn Lawson - September 21, 2008 at 08:12 PM

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“ Larry Penry

Wilma Tackett - September 21, 2008 at 06:57 PM

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“ There were several pertinent life happenings that the family requested be included in the obituary - which for what ever reason did not get included - 1. Larry was of the Methodist Faith 2. He was a U.S. Navy vet 3. His occupation was a chemist at the Coronado Generating Plant, part of the Salt River Project.. 4.Larry, most of all, enjoyed his family -he loved them dearly..

Nancy Penry - September 21, 2008 at 08:12 AM

BT

“ Nancy and all the family, We sure are going to miss Larry. I'll miss calling and talking. We love you all. You are very special. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Love you, Bobby and Beverly

Bobby & Beverly Talbert - September 17, 2008 at 04:46 PM