



Richard M. "Rick" Waldron

February 1, 1947 - October 30, 2009

Funeral services for Richard Monroe "Rick" Waldron, 62, will be held at 3:00p.m. Monday, November 2, 2009 at Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home Chapel. The Rev. Wayne Cottle will officiate with burial in Magnolia Cemetery. The family will receive friends Sunday, November 1, 2009 from 4-6 p.m. at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to the Hartsville A. A., Box 15, Hartsville, SC 29551,

Mr. Waldron died Friday, October 30, 2009. Born in Hartsville, SC, he was a son of the late Jack T. "Big Jack" Waldron and the late Dorothy Bullard Noble. He was a member of Chapel Hill Baptist Church and the Hartsville DAV. He was a U. S. Army veteran of the Vietnam War and received the following citations: Purple Heart, Silver Star, National Defense Medal, Expert Marksman. He enjoyed woodworking, animated Christmas displays, and gardening.

Surviving are his wife, Wittie Moore Waldron; son (spouse), Richard Lee (Shannon) Waldron of Hartsville, SC; daughters, Lynda Michelle Waldron of Baton Rouge, LA, Kimberly Hope (Renea Matthews) Waldron of Effingham, SC; sister, Dottie (Randy) Byrd of Hartsville, SC; brother, Jack (Cathy) Waldron of Seattle, WA; stepmother, Jackie Waldron of Hartsville, SC; grandchild, Chasity Lee Waldron; numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his sister Linda Kay Waldron.

Tribute Wall



“ *Dear Wittie and family.
I was sorry to hear about Rick. I pray the Lord will give you comfort
and strength in the days ahead. This is such a difficult time for all of
you but remember we're all praying for you.##imported-
begin##Brenda Northcutt##imported-end##*

November 03, 2009 at 08:29 PM



“ *Hope, I'm so very sorry for your families loss it is a very difficult time
you are all in my prayers. Love, Heather Smith##imported-
begin##Heather Powers Smith##imported-end##*

November 03, 2009 at 07:51 PM



“ WHITTIE AND FAMILY,

THERE IS A OLD SAYING "A PERSON NEVER TRULY DIES AS LONG AS THERE IS SOMEONE HERE TO REMEMBER AND CALL THEIR NAME".

I WILL ALWAYS CALL RICK'S NAME AS LONG AS I AM ON EARTH.

RICK WAS SPECIAL IN MY LIFE AND I WILL FOREVER MISS HIM. IT GAVE ME PEACE AND COMFORT TO KNOW THAT ALL WAS WELL WITH HIS SOUL (COMMENTS FROM THE PASTOR AT THE SERVICE).

WHITTIE, RICK WORKED AT LIVING "ONE-DAY-AT-A-TIME" AS WE ALL ARE ADVISED TO DO, AND SO I GAVE YOU THAT TOKEN AS A REMINDER THAT YOUR LIVING HAS TO BE "ONE-DAY-AT-A-TIME" ALSO.

*THE WHOLE THE LOSS OF A LOVED ONE LEAVES IN OUR HEARTS CAN NEVER BE FILLED BY ANYONE ELSE OR ANYTHING
HOWEVER, TIME DOES SOOTHE THE HEART SOMEWHAT.*

WHITTIE MY SISTER, ALWAYS KNOW THAT WE OF THE PROGRAM LOVE YOU JUST AS WE DID RICK AND I PERSONALLY WANT TO OFFER MY HAND OF FRIENDSHIP TO YOU AND YOUR FAMILY NOW AND WHENEVER YOU MAY NEED A EMPATHETIC/SIMPATHETIC SOUL IN THE FUTURE.

BE WELL MY FRIEND AND SISTER IN CHRIST, I LOVE YOU,

JAMES##imported-begin##JAMES E. SAMUEL##imported-end##

November 03, 2009 at 07:28 PM



“ Hope and family,

I am so sorry about the loss of your father. I know how hard it is, and my thoughts and prayers are with you all. May God continue to comfort and keep you in his loving arms during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Jenanne Smith##imported-end##

November 03, 2009 at 08:25 AM



“ Dear Wittie,

I am so sorry to hear about Rick. I will keep you in my prayers. Love Debbie##imported-begin##Debbie Morrell##imported-end##

November 03, 2009 at 07:17 AM



“ Dear Wittie, Lee, Michelle and Hope,

I am so sorry for your loss. I will remember you in my prayers.##imported-begin##Dale Hill##imported-end##

November 02, 2009 at 09:00 PM



“ Dottie and Hope, So sorry for your loss. Gary and Annie##imported-begin##Gary and Annie Vann##imported-end##

November 02, 2009 at 07:16 PM



“ Lee and Shannon, I am so sorry to hear about your dad, please know you are in my prayers. Love you! Melissa##imported-begin##melissa##imported-end##

November 02, 2009 at 02:26 PM



“ Hope, Joseph and I are so sorry to hear of your father's passing. Mr. Rick was truly a remarkable man, whom I had a great deal of respect and admiration for. Hope, remember that God will wrap you in his arms and help you and your family in finding solace right now. You are in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Scott McDonald & Joseph Mostella##imported-end##

November 02, 2009 at 02:08 PM



“ Dear Wittie. I am so sorry to hear about Rick. He was a special person. You are in my prayers.##imported-begin##Cindy Ellefson Griggs##imported-end##

November 02, 2009 at 10:41 AM



“ Wittie and Waldron family,
I am so sorry to hear of your loss of Mr. Rick! My prayers and thoughts are with all of you! May the Lord give each of you comfort & peace during this difficult time! Wittie, I am here if you need me to do anything for you!
Love,
Crystal Hendrix Perdue & Family##imported-begin##Crystal Hendrix Perdue ##imported-end##

November 02, 2009 at 10:01 AM



“ We are so sorry we could not be there for you. We only heard of Rick's untimely passing last night. Ricky was one of our favorites-- even if he did tell the water skiing mishap story ever time we saw him!! Love Butch and Kathy Grantham##imported-begin##Butch and Kathy Grantham##imported-end##

November 02, 2009 at 10:00 AM



“ Dottie, I'm so sorry to hear about the loss of your brother. May the Lord be with you & your family. We will keep you in our thoughts & prayers. Love Terri Huggins###imported-begin##Terri Huggins###imported-end##

November 02, 2009 at 09:26 AM



“ Chasity and family, I am so sorry for your loss. Chasity, always remember how much your granddaddy loved you and how proud he was of you. Please give your daddy and mama a hug from me. I love you all.###imported-begin##JocelynSanderson###imported-end##

November 01, 2009 at 09:41 PM



“ Dear Hope and Family,
We are so very sorry to hear about your loved one. You are in our thoughts and prayers. We love you Hope and if you need to talk or anything just let us know.
Love,
Danny Crystal Cameron and Danielle###imported-begin##Crystal Talbert Minnehan###imported-end##

November 01, 2009 at 08:59 PM



“ Lee - So sorry to hear about your Dad. I know that he was proud of you for carrying on the Christmas lighting project! We always enjoyed seeing his displays... the girls especially liked what they called "the jumping up and down Santa!" Remembering you and your family in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##laura crouch##imported-end##

November 01, 2009 at 07:32 PM



“ Wittie, Lee, Micelle, Hope and Family sorry to here of Rick passing. I alway thought a lot of him and all of you. If there is anything I can do just let me know. Love all of you.##imported-begin##Terry Boseman Smith##imported-end##

November 01, 2009 at 07:01 PM



“ Hope, I'm so sorry for the loss of your dad. I will be praying for you and your family.##imported-begin##Stacy Tucker Legg##imported-end##

November 01, 2009 at 06:24 PM



“ Dear Jackie And Dottie, I am so sorry to have heard the news about Rick, My thoughts and prayers go out to you and the rest of the family if you need a friend to talk with please call me or come by and I will be there fore you and the family. Sorry once again .##imported-begin##Melissa Soires##imported-end##

November 01, 2009 at 05:36 PM



“ To the Waldron family, we are so sorry to hear of your loss. You all are in our thoughts and prayers. If we can do anything for you, please do not hesitate to let us know. George and Jamie Kelly###imported-begin##George T Kelly###imported-end##

November 01, 2009 at 04:25 PM



“ My deepest sympathy for the family , What a legacy Rick has left for me and countless others , I felt his presence in the meeting last night when I was giving Keith his 2 year chip. Rick has made a huge impression in my life and countless others , he will be missed but his spirit will live on with me until I am greeted by him when I retire to that "big meeting in the sky" please call me if anything I can do (843-617-6620) He fought a good fight , He kept the faith , He finished the course Amen johnny creech jr.###imported-begin##Johnny Creech Jr###imported-end##

November 01, 2009 at 04:20 PM



“ To the Waldron Family: We are so sorry to learn of Rick's passing. May God bless and strenghten you during this time.We are praying for you.
Tommy and Jean Lee###imported-begin##Jean Lee###imported-end##

November 01, 2009 at 03:32 PM



“ Wittie, So sorry to hear about Rick. You and your family are in our prayers. God bless. David and Beverly###imported-begin##David and Beverly Byrd###imported-end##

November 01, 2009 at 02:28 PM



“ Hope and Family,

It was a pleasure to have met and know your father. He was a great man and great father and husband. I am so sorry for your loss and you and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers.

Nicole Barefoot###imported-begin###Nicole Barefoot###imported-end##

November 01, 2009 at 10:24 AM



“ Hope, I am so sorry for the loss of your dad. One thing you have to remember is that he is not suffering anymore and that he is in a better place. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. I am here if you need anything. Love you!!!!###imported-begin###Rhonda Owens & Myles Odom###imported-end##

November 01, 2009 at 09:39 AM



“ I AM SO SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT RICK'S PASSING.I CAN REMEMBER GOING OVER TO YOUR HOUSE ON MCFARLAND AND PLAYING IN THE TREEHOUSE.HE ALWAYS HAD A SMILE ON HIS FACE.MAY GOD KEEP YOU IN HIS ARMS!!!!###imported-begin###TED JORDAN###imported-end##

November 01, 2009 at 09:24 AM



“ Sorry to hear about Rick. We will be praying for you and yor family. Mickey and Shirley Wilkes###imported-begin###Mickey and Shirley Wilkes###imported-end##

November 01, 2009 at 12:37 AM



“ Wittie and family I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I will be praying for you and your family that GOD will give you sweet memories and good times to remember and meet your every need.

Sincerely,

Linda###imported-begin##Linda Stewart Knorr###imported-end##

October 31, 2009 at 11:50 PM



“ Waldron family: I am praying for each of you during this special time. God is always near us and will hold you in His arms with love. Trust God to help you through these coming days. You will feel His presence and this will help you with your fond memories of Rick.

You all are loved!###imported-begin##Nelia Paine###imported-end##

October 31, 2009 at 10:25 PM



“ Dear Wittie and family, I am so sorry for your loss. I am praying that GOD will give you the comfort and peace you need today and in the days to come. I remember when Dottie and I use to come over all the time and play cards with you and Rick. We also always took the kids when they were little to feed the ducks every Sunday. I love you and am thinking of you.###imported-begin##Gloria Wase

White###imported-end##

October 31, 2009 at 09:54 PM



“ Whittie, Lee, Michelle and Hope.

I was so sorry to hear of Rick's passing. I think of him fondly and remember how he use to make us laugh whenever he was at Mama's. The memories will be hard at first but then time and God's grace will make those memories help you smile again. Please know all of your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

Linda Cobb##imported-begin##Linda, David and Thomas Cobb##imported-end##

October 31, 2009 at 09:17 PM



“ To the Waldron Family, My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. May God wrap His loving arms around you and carry you during the days and weeks ahead. God Bless all of you.##imported-begin##Edna Faye Warr##imported-end##

October 31, 2009 at 08:56 PM



“ DEAR WITTIE AND FAMILY,
SO SORRY TO HEAR OF YOUR LOSS. YOU ARE IN OUR
THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS.
LOVIE IN CHRIST,
BLAKE AND PATRICIA HOFFMAN##imported-begin##BLAKE AND
PATRICIA HOFFMAN##imported-end##

October 31, 2009 at 08:13 PM



“ To the Waldron family. I am sorry to hear of the passing of your loved one.
I have been a friend of Jack, Jackie and Dottie for many years. I know Jack welcomed Rick with open arms. May GOD give all of you strength and comfort at a time like this.##imported-begin##Paul Howle##imported-end##

October 31, 2009 at 08:13 PM



“ Dottie-I am sorry to hear of your brothers passing. You and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers. If there is anything that I can do, please don't hesitate to call.

May God bless you during this time of need.##imported-begin##Christine Brigman Wilson, friend##imported-end##

October 31, 2009 at 08:07 PM



“ Dear Waldron family,so sorry to hear of Rick's passing.I can remember when I was a little girl he and Jimmy being together pulling jokes on everyone,again I will keep you in my thoughts and prayers.Ann##imported-begin##Ann Brown Crowley##imported-end##

October 31, 2009 at 02:29 PM