



Richard Olin Barber

January 29, 2020 - December 20, 2020

Richard Olin Barber, 73, of St. Albans passed away Sunday, December 20, 2020.

Born January 29, 1947 in St. Albans, he was a son of the late Olin Dale and Anna Mae Biddle Barber. He was also preceded in death by his brother, James Randy Barber.

Rick was a member of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters, Charleston, the National Rifle Association and Twin City Bible Church, Nitro. He served his country proudly with the United States Army during Vietnam.

Surviving are his sisters, Cheryl Ann Workman (Frank) of Aiken, SC, Carol Lynn Phelps (Jerry) of Hurricane; brother, Michael Dale Barber (Pattie) of Fraziers Bottom; nieces and nephews, Mike Barber, Jr. (Amy), Amy Basler (Michael), Stacey Leadmon (Michael), Danelle Wilson (Matthew), Trey Workman and Will Workman as well as several great-nieces and great-nephews.

Funeral service will be 2pm Sunday, December 27, 2020 at Chapman Funeral Home, Hurricane. Burial will follow in Tyler Mountain Memory Gardens, Cross Lanes. Visitation will be held one hour prior to the service at the funeral home. Masks are required and social distancing guidelines will be observed.

“Their sacrifices, and the sacrifices of all Vietnam veterans, must always be remembered,...Not just today...but every day, let us remember the sacrifice and the valor of those who paid the ultimate price for freedom. Let’s remember those who are paying that price right now, too.” John Caldwell

Chapman Funeral Home, family-owned and located at 3941 Teays Valley Road, Hurricane is honored to serve the Barber family.

Cemetery Details

Tyler Mountain Memory Gardens

5233 Rocky Fork Road
Cross Lanes, WV 25313

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 27. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Chapman Funeral Home Hurricane
3941 Teays Valley Road
Hurricane, WV 25526
(304) 757-7531
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Funeral Service

DEC 27. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Olin Barber*

October 06, 2023 at 08:41 AM



“ *RIP my High School Buddy. I am sorry I couldn't make over for a visit. Your friend...Jerry Jeffries.*

Jerry Jeffries - December 24, 2020 at 06:38 AM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,*

May your memories of Richard Olin Barber, give you peace, comfort and strength...

Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten.

*My thoughts
and prayers to the family of*

*US Army Veteran, Richard Olin Barber, is “A True American Hero”
God Bless†*

† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †

Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum - December 23, 2020 at 03:54 AM

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“ *Mike and family,
I am so sorry for your loss. Rick and I were in basic training
together. I would
Run into him ever so often. A very nice
Guy. We were in Nam at the same time
But in different units.*

Scott Henderson - December 22, 2020 at 04:49 PM