



Russell Edward Lowther

December 28, 1928 - December 12, 2015

Russell Edward Lowther, 86 of Nitro passed away Saturday December 12, 2015 at Hubbard Hospice House, West, South Charleston.

Born December 28, 1928, Russell was a son of the late John and Evelyn Lowther. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by his wife Helen Louise Lowther and sister Vera Litton.

Russell had the unique opportunity that most don't have; to have work in various fields throughout his life. He was a projectionist at the Robey Theatre in Spencer, rigger in the oil fields, volunteer fireman, drove a school bus but his favorite was being a District Manager at the Charleston Newspapers. Russell was also a member of Twin City Bible Church and gave his life to the Lord at the age of 84.

He is survived by his son Dr. Gary A. Lowther and wife Toni Poster of Hurricane; grandson, Putnam County Deputy Sheriff Scott A. Lowther; five great-grandchildren, Zachary, Cassidy, Madisyn, Blaise and Jackson Lowther; brother Roy Lowther and wife Evelyn of St. Albans and sister Rita Borousk of Ft. Myers, Fla.

The family would like to thank the staff of Dunbar Center, Thomas Memorial Hospital and Hubbard Hospice House, West for their excellent care of Russell.

Funeral service will be held at 2:00pm Wednesday December 16, 2015 at Twin City Bible Church, Nitro with Pastor Scott Bandy officiating. Entombment will follow in Sunset Memorial Park, South Charleston.

Visitation will be held two hours prior to the funeral service at the church.

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

Cemetery Details

Sunset Memorial Park

4301 MacCorkle Avenue
South Charleston, WV 25309

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 16. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Twin City Bible Church
100 1st Avenue
Nitro, WV 25143

Funeral Service

DEC 16. 2:00 PM (ET)

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100 1st Avenue
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Tribute Wall



“ *Russell Edward Lowther*

October 06, 2023 at 08:41 AM



“ *The Lowthers were neighbors of our family in Sattes Circle when Butchie and I were kids. I just recently asked a neighbor about Russ when I was visiting my Mom. Russ was a fine man and gentle soul. On the rare occasion when my Dad didn't get his Sunday newspaper all had to do was call Russ and it was taken care of. My thoughts and prayers to Gary and family. Steve Dye, Lexington KY*

Steve Dye - December 15, 2015 at 09:02 PM



“ *I was a paper carrier when I was a youngster and Russell was my manager and I always wanted to be like him . He always had time to talk to us kids and if it wasn't for him a lot of kids would have gotten into trouble . He will be missed*

Jerry Summers - December 15, 2015 at 02:09 PM



You nailed Russ! Thanks for the post

Steve Dye - December 16, 2015 at 05:15 PM



“ *BILL PHELPS lit a candle in memory of Russell Edward Lowther*



BILL PHELPS - December 15, 2015 at 12:54 PM

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“ Did not know this gentleman, But his Brother Roy Lowther ,I knew very well,a best friend of mine and Emma June Phelps. May he rest in Peace and God Bless his family.BILL PHELPS.

BILL PHELPS - December 15, 2015 at 12:53 PM

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“ My sincere sympathy to the Lowther family. My two brothers and I had newspaper routes in Dunbar and Mr. Lowther was our district manager. I remember him so well as he always greeted us with a smile and encouragement when we met him to turn in our money every week. Mr. Lowther was very encouraging to me as I was one of the first "newspaper route girls" in town. With kindest regards,
Gail Pitchford
Charleston, WV

Gail Pitchford - December 15, 2015 at 07:06 AM