



Kenneth Irvin Rich

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Kenneth Irvin Rich, 76, formerly of DeRidder, entered into rest on Saturday, June 27, 2020 at Restoration Senior Living in Covington, Louisiana. Kenneth was born on May 21, 1944 in Bedford, VA to Charles and Isabel Anderson Rich.

Kenneth was a loving husband, father, grandfather and friend. At a young age, Kenneth went to serve his country in the United States Air Force. In 1971, he married the love of his life Sandra Calhoun. Kenneth was an active member for many years of First Baptist Church of DeRidder. Kenneth served as a deacon and taught children's Sunday School for many years. In his early years, Kenneth also served as a Gideon. Kenneth worked for many years as a forestry consultant and he owned Farm Craft in Oakdale, LA. In retirement, Kenneth continued his love of wood working often working on projects for his family and others in the community.

Preceded in death by his parents, Charles Irvin and Isabel Anderson Rich and his loving wife of 43 years, Sandra Calhoun Rich.

Left to cherish his memory are his two sons, Chuck Rich and wife Ann of Madisonville, LA and Chris Rich and wife Amanda of Hot Springs, AR; five grandchildren, Carson Rich, Colby Rich, Ella Grace Rich, Sloan Rich and Aubree Rich; one sister, Carolyn Crowther and husband Leonard of Pennsylvania and extended family.

Visitation will begin Friday, July 10, 2020, from 9:00 AM until Funeral Service begins at 10:00 AM, in Labby Memorial Funeral Home in DeRidder, LA with Rev. Lindsey Burns officiating. Interment will be at Black Jack Cemetery in Pitkin, LA.



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DM

Dwayne And Janice Murphey posted:

Thoughts and prayers to Chuck, Chris and your families, we are sorry for your loss. Kenny was a true Virginia gentleman. Ill never forget listening to Kenny tell his Alaska stories when I was young or talking woodworking with him and my dad.

July 10 at 7:00 PM

WC

Will Colbert posted:

I wish I had the blessing of knowing Ken. My name is Bill Colbert(born William Guy Rich). I am the Son of WilliamHoward Rich and Ruth Erma (Tibbetts)Rich. Ken and Carolyn's father-"Charles Rich" was my half-brother. May Ken rest in peace and have eternal life. Even though I didn't know Ken, I feel privileged to be his biological UncleI pray that Our Heavenly Father will be with all of Ken's family and friends during their time of sadness and missing Ken.

July 9 at 7:00 PM

DC

Dawn Crowther posted:

To me he has always been been Uncle Kenny. He will be greatly missed. He left an amazing legacy through the lives he impacted with his kindness, love for family, and love for Jesus.

July 7 at 7:00 PM

SC

Steve&Kathy Collinsworth posted:

So very sorry for your loss...your Dad was a wonderful man

July 6 at 7:00 PM

VA

Van & Debbie Allen posted:

A true gentleman.

July 4 at 7:00 PM



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Julie Charpentier posted:

What a blessing it was to have known, loved and cared for such a precious man. Praying for peace and comfort for you, Chuck, Ann and family. May it comfort you to know that he is whole again, wrapped in Gods loving arms. Rest In Peace, Mr. Ken...until we meet again. Love, Julie Charpentier

July 3 at 7:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Kenneth by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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