



Charles Dwight Shoe

May 8, 1929 - August 30, 2012

Charles Dwight Shoe, 83, resident of Newport News, Virginia, passed away August 30, 2012

Born May 8, 1929 in Salisbury, North Carolina, he was the son of the late Arthur Hardy and Marie Cress Shoe.

Dwight received his education in the Salisbury Public Schools and graduated from Boyden High School. He entered East Carolina College on a football scholarship and graduated with a degree in Education and a commission as 2nd Lieutenant in the U. S. Air Force. His two years of service were spent in Wyoming and at Wethersfield Air Base in Essex County, England.

He coached football at Myers Park High School in Charlotte, N. C., at Wingate Junior College in Wingate, N. C., and at Davidson College in Davidson, N. C. During those years he earned a Master's Degree in the Administration of Education from East Carolina University.

In 1964 Dwight left coaching and joined Rand McNally Publishing Company to become a textbook representative to elementary and high schools in North and South Carolina. In 1994 he retired and returned to his first love, gardening and farming, at his farm home out from China Grove, N. C.

In 2010 Dwight and his wife moved to Newport News, Virginia where he was living at the time of his death. He was a member of Calvary Reformed Presbyterian Church in Hampton, Virginia.

One son, Nathan, and two granddaughters, Christie and Jennifer Shoe, preceded Dwight in death.

Survivors include his wife, Anne Osborne Shoe, whom he wed February 22, 1952; daughter, Anne Marie McMichael and husband Scott, of Newport News; sons, Richard Forrest and wife, Angie, of Roanoke Rapids, N. C. and Dwight Hardy and wife Elise of Huntersville, N. C.; twelve grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; brothers, Arthur Hardy

and wife, Bertha, of Salisbury; Arnold Wayne and wife Sadie, of Nichols, S. C.; sisters-in-law, Frances Shoe of Mooresville and Jean Curlee of Statesville; and brother-in-law, Richard Osborne and wife Barbara of Metairie, Louisiana.

The family will receive friends and relatives at Summersett Funeral Home from 1:30-2PM Sunday, September 2, 2012. Memorial service will be held in the Summersett Memorial Chapel at 2PM led by the Reverend Merle Dye, followed by burial at Rowan Memorial Park.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Shoe family. Online condolences may be made at www.summersettfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall



“ Dwight will be sorely missed. Considered him a great friend and a real mans man. Always enjoyed our times at the farm. See you in Heaven my friend.##imported-begin##Tom Millspaugh##imported-end##

September 05, 2012 at 07:26 PM



“ we were sorry to hear about the death of Mr Shoe. You and all the family are in our prayers. God Bless you all.##imported-begin##whitley family##imported-end##

September 02, 2012 at 02:48 PM



“ Anne, We are sorry to hear of the passing of Dwight. May God bless you and your family in this time of breavement. We went to East Carolina together. Clay and Virginia Harris Cook##imported-begin##Clay & Virginia Harris Cook##imported-end##

September 01, 2012 at 02:44 PM



“ My sincere condolences go out to the Shoe family and a big hug for grammy Shoe.##imported-begin##David Mercer##imported-end##

September 01, 2012 at 09:32 AM



“ Thank you, Grandad, for your impact in my life -- for teaching me about hard work, rest, family, earth, heaven, and everything in between. I love you forever and ever and will join you again someday.##imported-begin##Patrick McMichael##imported-end##

August 31, 2012 at 08:37 PM



“ Having been classmates at Boyden High School and becoming much closer friends after the Shoe family moved back to Rowan County I can truly say that Dwight was a very special man, so kind, gentle and thoughtful more than any other man I've ever known other than my own husband who grew to love Dwight and Anne dearly.

My continual prayer for your family will be that you'll be blessed as you have been blessings to so many. Your sister in Christ Jesus.##imported-begin##Barbara O. Thomason##imported-end##

August 30, 2012 at 09:57 PM



“ What a fine, caring and gracious man. Our love and prayers are with you all.##imported-begin##Keith & Cheryl Lippard##imported-end##

August 30, 2012 at 08:50 PM



“ Anne,

I know Bob is writing to you but I wanted to as well. How we both remember with great fondness visiting and staying in your home in China Grove.

I know you will deeply miss Dwight. What a gentleman! Take refuge and strength, knowing he is in the arms of his Savior, Jesus.

June Vetter##imported-begin##June Vetter##imported-end##

August 30, 2012 at 07:43 PM



“ Dear Anne:

Our prayers are with you and your family. Dwight was a great man and we were blessed to know you both.

Bob & June Vetter##imported-begin##Bob & June Vetter##imported-end##

August 30, 2012 at 07:39 PM



“ ##imported-begin##Tim Honeycutt##imported-end##

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