



Mr. Frank Eagle Whisnant

August 29, 1939 - January 13, 2018

Frank Eagle Whisnant, age 78, died January 13, 2018 at the NC State Veterans Home after 4 years of declining health.

Frank was born August 29, 1939 in Mecklenburg County, son of the late Isaac Perry Whisnant and Dorothy Eagle Whisnant Major.

He was a 1957 graduate of Spencer High School and also a graduate of Gaston College. He served in the US Navy as a Machinery Repairman aboard the USS Hoist (ARS-40). He was an aircraft designer working for Lockheed Martin and General Dynamics before moving back to Salisbury where he became a licensed Electrician working at Fluor Daniel and retiring from Norandal.

He was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, The American Legion Post 342, Spencer Masonic Lodge 543 and a lifetime member of the NRA.

In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by his step father Samuel E. Major.

Those left to cherish his memories are his wife Barbara Boggs Whisnant whom he married on June 21, 1969; three sons Donald E. Whisnant of Waterloo, IA, Jeffrey A. Whisnant and wife Jennifer of Salisbury and Kenneth E. Whisnant and wife Bethany of Rockwell; grandchildren Lauren, Lindsey, Calen, Wyatt and Emma Whisnant; brothers George (Perry) Whisnant and wife Patricia of Salisbury and Paul Lee Whisnant of Hampstead.

Visitation: 6-8:00 PM Tuesday, January 16, 2018 at Summersett Funeral Home.

Service: 11:00 AM Friday, January 19, 2018 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church conducted by Rev. D. J. Lura with burial to follow in the church cemetery with Military Honors.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 205 St. Paul's Church Rd., Salisbury, NC 28146.

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

Cemetery Details

St. Paul's Lutheran Church Cemetery

205 St. Paul's Church Rd.
Salisbury, NC 28146

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 16. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Summersett Funeral Home
1315 W. Innes St.
Salisbury, NC 28144
(704) 633-2111
<https://www.summersettfuneralhome.com>

Service

JAN 19. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
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Tribute Wall

JP

“ We have fond memories of beach trips (several of Class of '57). Barbara & Frank always had a good time - we played games and yes, Frank participated. He really enjoyed our going out for seafood and the meals we had together. I was so glad I got to visit with him once at the VA Medical Center. Joyce Poole

Joyce Poole - January 23, 2018 at 06:23 PM

MA

“ Our condolences to each and everyone of you! Dad was sharing some memories of all the time he and Frank spent together in childhood and as young adults. The rest of our family have fond remembrances of visiting our Salisbury family. Blessings- and take care of one another. Our memories are the fabric of today and tomorrow. Love and prayers. John Eagle (and Carol Cavanagh), Maureen Eagle Alders (Ken, Breanne, Brennan and granddaughter, Mackenzie), Stephen Eagle (Donna, Matthew and his girlfriend, Cassidy) {Your transplanted kinfolk in Nova Scotia}

Maureen Eagle Alders - January 17, 2018 at 04:37 PM

CR

“ Ken and Family, please accept my condolences for your loss. I did not know Frank but I know Ken well enough to know that Frank must have been a good man, a good father. Possibly a very fast driver too, based on Ken ;-)

In time, may you find peace and keep him in your loving memories.
Chris Redhouse & Family

Chris Redhouse - January 16, 2018 at 03:59 PM

DR

“ *Barbara I am sorry about your loss. Dianne Walser Ray*

Dianne Walser Ray - January 16, 2018 at 03:06 PM

JF

“ *Joe Bredahl - John Deere Power Systems - FOCUS purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mr. Frank Eagle Whisnant.*



Joe Bredahl - John Deere Power Systems - FOCUS - January 16, 2018 at 11:44 AM

SS

“ *Srivatsala, Lokesh & Srivarennya purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Mr. Frank Eagle Whisnant.*



Srivatsala, Lokesh & Srivarennya - January 16, 2018 at 10:35 AM

AH

“ *Dear Barbara and family,
I am so sorry for your loss. I pray our Lord and Savior wrap you in His arms and give you the peace, comfort, and strength you need for the days ahead.
Love and prayers,
Ann Heard*

Ann Heard - January 16, 2018 at 02:00 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Mr. Frank Eagle Whisnant.



January 15, 2018 at 03:29 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Mr. Frank Eagle Whisnant.



January 14, 2018 at 06:33 PM