



Bernard Lyle Hammer

January 10, 1928 - January 21, 2018

Bernard Lyle Hammer, 90, of Centreville, MD died on January 21, 2018 at Compass Regional Hospice.

Born in Price, MD on January 10, 1928, he was the son of the late Alfred Peter and Lillian Rhodes Hammer. Mr. Hammer was raised by his aunt and uncle, Elizabeth and Tilghman Rhodes. He graduated from Church Hill High School and began working on his uncle's farm. He married Mildred I. Grussing on November 27, 1952, and together they raised their family in Centreville on the farm. They were married for 62 years. He managed the farm while going to work for Southern States as a Shop Foreman working on equipment and spraying crops. After 18 years of service, he retired, but he continued to manage/own the farm. He was a member of Our Mother of Sorrows Catholic Church. He loved his family farm, collecting antiques, hunting, yard sales, big gardens, family get-togethers and going out to eat.

Mr. Hammer is survived by three sons: B. Alan Hammer and his wife Teresa Ann of Centreville, David W. Hammer of Centreville, and Mark A. Hammer and his wife Typhne of Crumpton; three daughters: Karen T. Dean and her husband Mike of Ruthsburg, Beverly A. Brannock and her husband Barry of Golts and Mary Margaret Chansler of Easton, MD; 17 grandchildren; and 22 great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by his wife, Mildred I Hammer; a daughter in-law, Debbie Hammer; and his siblings: Marion Hammer, Carl

Hammer, William Hammer, Catherine Phillips, Howard Hammer, Agnes Hammer and Louise Jester.

Friends and family may visit on Thursday, January 25 at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. in Centreville, MD from 6-8 pm.

A funeral liturgy will be celebrated at 11 am on Friday, January 26 at St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church in Queenstown, MD. Burial will follow at St. Peter's Catholic Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Compass Regional Hospice, 160 Coursevall Dr., Centreville, MD 2617.

Cemetery Details

St. Peter's Catholic Cemetery

5319 Ocean Gateway
Queenstown, MD 21658

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **25**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Centreville Location
408 South Liberty Street
Centreville, MD 21617
(410) 758-1151
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Service

JAN **26**. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church
5319 Ocean Gateway
Queenstown, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Bernard Lyle Hammer*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - January 23, 2018 at 12:55 PM



“ *Bernard Lyle Hammer*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Bernard Lyle Hammer*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Bernard Lyle Hammer*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Sue Wolff lit a candle in memory of Bernard Lyle Hammer*



Sue Wolff - January 25, 2018 at 09:26 AM

FP

“ *Frank And Tish Palmatary lit a candle in memory of Bernard Lyle Hammer*



Frank and Tish Palmatary - January 25, 2018 at 08:36 AM

DB

“ *Our deepest sympathy to Alan, David and entire family for their loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. Debbie & Henry Bitter*



Debbie Bitter - January 25, 2018 at 07:45 AM

GS

“ *Greg & Laura Saddler lit a candle in memory of Bernard Lyle Hammer*



Greg & Laura Saddler - January 23, 2018 at 11:05 PM

LG

“ *My family and I send you our thoughts and prayers. You are all in our hearts.*



Lisa Kay Rhodes George - January 23, 2018 at 09:46 PM

JB

“ *David & family,
We are so sorry about your Dad. Please know
you and your family are in our thoughts and
prayers.*
Wayne & Joyce Bradley



Joyce Bradley - January 23, 2018 at 05:58 PM

KO

“ *Kari Oulahyane lit a candle in memory of
Bernard Lyle Hammer*



Kari Oulahyane - January 23, 2018 at 05:16 PM

LP

“ *Lisa Plummer lit a candle in memory of
Bernard Lyle Hammer*



Lisa Plummer - January 23, 2018 at 03:39 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for
the family of Bernard Lyle Hammer.*



January 23, 2018 at 02:14 PM

DP

“ *Doug Pierson lit a candle in memory of Bernard Lyle Hammer*



Doug Pierson - January 23, 2018 at 08:57 AM

RJ

“ *ROBIN JOINER lit a candle in memory of Bernard Lyle Hammer*



ROBIN JOINER - January 23, 2018 at 07:21 AM

JN

“ *Joyce Nicholson lit a candle in memory of Bernard Lyle Hammer*



Joyce Nicholson - January 22, 2018 at 11:12 PM

GP

“ *Gene & Lynda Palmatary lit a candle in memory of Bernard Lyle Hammer*



Gene & Lynda Palmatary - January 22, 2018 at 09:42 PM

GP

Have many great memories of Bernard when living on the farm and when he worked for daddy at Southern States. He was a great person and loved his family. Our prayers and blessings are with you at this time. He is surely with your wonderful mother and enjoying good times. God Bless each one of you. Gene and Lynda Palmatary

Gene Palmatary - January 22, 2018 at 09:44 PM

TB

“ *Tamy Buckel lit a candle in memory of Bernard Lyle Hammer*



Tamy Buckel - January 22, 2018 at 08:11 PM

BS

“ *Bill & Stephanie Spencer lit a candle in memory of Bernard Lyle Hammer*



Bill & Stephanie Spencer - January 22, 2018 at 08:09 PM

JA

“ *Oh my goodness! I am very sorry to hear of Mr. Hammer's death. I so enjoyed visiting with him while he was in rehab! I am so glad he was able to celebrate and enjoy his 90th birthday- his family was his world! May you each find comfort in all the great memories!*

Jane Anthony - January 22, 2018 at 07:05 PM



“ *Pam Teat lit a candle in memory of Bernard Lyle Hammer*



Pam Teat - January 22, 2018 at 06:17 PM

SR

“ *Sharon, Denny, Donna, Deena and Robin purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Bernard Lyle Hammer.*



Sharon, Denny, Donna, Deena and Robin - January 22, 2018 at 06:06 PM

MF

“ *Matt And Roxanne Dean & Family lit a candle in memory of Bernard Lyle Hammer*



Matt and Roxanne Dean & Family - January 22, 2018 at 04:39 PM