



Harry Lee Underwood

November 21, 1940 - May 8, 2021

Harry Lee Underwood of Chester, MD entered eternal life on the 8th of May 2021, at the age of 80.

Harry was born in Sykesville, MD on November 21, 1940, he was the son of the late Charles H. Underwood and Hollus Catherine (Moore) Underwood. After graduating High School, Harry joined the United States Air Force and shortly following he married the Love of his life, Sophie D. Degan. They traveled extensively together while was stationed both in the United States and Germany. After his service of commitment, when he was honorably discharged, he was employed by Chesapeake & Potomac followed by AT&T as a sub-contractor to NASA performing communications support for the space shuttle program.

Harry and Sophie settled in Annapolis, MD for many years before moving to the Eastern Shore, making a home on Kent Island. Where Harry was a dedicated member of the congregation of Safe Harbor Presbyterian Church in Stevensville, MD.

Harry loved working outside on his landscape, garden, and lawn. He also enjoyed working on computers and helping his family and friends with home improvement projects. His zest for life was represented in his character of fun and laughter. He loved playing cards with his many friends.

Harry is survived by his greatest Love, Sophie with whom up until now, were inseparable partners for 62 years, friends, and ultimate companions. He is also survived by twin daughters, Alisa Higgs of Pasadena, MD and Kasey Underwood-Clark, married to Christopher Clark of Elsinore, CA. He was the proud grandfather of six grandchildren, Rutger Souder, Ruston Souder, River Souder, Lauren Clark, William Clark, and Christa Jo Clark; uncle to Brenda Birckhead (Ron), Patricia Wallace (Alfred), Barbara Bateman (Mike), and Denise Underwood. Also, a wonderful sister and brother-in-law to Joann, and her husband Dennis Marine. He is preceded in death by his brothers Leroy and Charles Underwood, Nephew John Starkey, and niece Brandy Terrill.

A memorial visitation will be held at Safe Harbor Presbyterian Church 931 Love Point Rd. Stevensville, MD 21666, on Thursday, June 3, 2021 from 11AM – 12 PM, followed by a memorial service at 12PM.

In Lieu of flowers the family requests donations to be made in Harry's name to the Wounded Warriors Project at woundedwarriorsproject.org, Safe Harbor Presbyterian Church in Stevensville, MD, or to an organization of your choice.

For online condolences please go to www.fhnfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Harry Lee Underwood*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - May 20, 2021 at 01:19 PM



“ *Harry Lee Underwood*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Harry Lee Underwood*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Harry Lee Underwood*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM

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“ When I was 16, Uncle Harry took me to get my drivers license. Afterwards, we drove on my first country road and almost went into a ditch several times as I drove along. He just said "Hey" and smiled at me, never saying a harsh word!
Always a gentle, kind man and will be deeply missed by us all.
Love you Uncle Harry. Rest in Peace.

Patricia K Wallace - May 29, 2021 at 01:28 PM



“ When we think of you, Harry, it's always with a smile, your sense of humor sparkling in the background. An intelligent, creative man who was quick to share or to listen. We are sorry that you had to leave us so soon.

Sandee and Mike Voith

Sandra Voith - May 24, 2021 at 11:23 AM



“ Garden Accent Stone - "I thought of you" was purchased for the family of Harry Lee Underwood.



May 23, 2021 at 06:48 PM

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“ Anne Rieken lit a candle in memory of Harry Lee Underwood



Anne Rieken - May 21, 2021 at 06:01 PM

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“ Sophie, My heart aches for you as the sudden loss of Harry is unimaginable. Know my thoughts and continued prayers are with you. I hope you find comfort with family and friends. Heartfelt condolences go out to your family as well. Love and hugs, Lisa

Lisa C McGrath - May 11, 2021 at 04:58 PM