



## Larry "Butch" Richard Porter

October 21, 1943 - January 12, 2018

Larry Richard "Butch" Porter of Chestertown, MD, died surrounded by his family at his home on January 12, 2018. He was 74.

He was born in Chestertown on October 21, 1943, the son of the late Maynard Porter and Clara Rollison Porter. Butch went to Chestertown High School and enlisted in the U.S. Army in 1962. He returned following an honorable discharge and worked as a painter for several years before taking a job with C&P Telephone. He was married to Elsy Ann Stenger from 1970 to 2006 and enjoyed his life with their three children.

Butch worked as a service technician with C&P, Bell Atlantic, and now Verizon, retiring after 28 years. He enjoyed playing golf and was a member of Chester River Yacht and Country Club and Garrison Lake Country Club along with several others over the years. Butch was an outstanding pool player and a member of the American Pool Association (APA). He also enjoyed playing cards and horseshoes, fishing, and bowling (was a league bowler for many years). He was a member of the Betterton American Legion Post and Chestertown Elks Lodge #2474.

Butch Porter was an original. Admired and loved by many. He will be truly missed.

In addition to his parents he was predeceased by five siblings: Ann Startt, Robert Porter, Paige Montgomery, Barbara McGuire, and Nugget Porter.

He is survived by his children, Natalie Turner and her husband Kevin of Galena, MD, Neal Porter and his wife Melissa of Worton, MD, and Noel Porter of Chestertown, MD; grandchildren, Callie, Collin, Siara Brooke, and Emma; his longtime companion and caregiver, Darleen Hyland-Allwein; their son Patrick Ingram, his wife Amy, and children, Jake and Taylor.

He is also survived by nine siblings: Jean Darrah, Carol Cox, Patsy Whiteley, Sonny Porter, Norman Porter, Happy Porter, Rusty Porter, Pat Riggleman, and Debbi Riggleman Dilk; along with many nieces and nephews.

Services will be held on Saturday, January 20, 2018, at Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home, 130 Speer Road, Chestertown. Visitation for friends will be from 10 am – 12 pm. Services will begin at 12 pm with fellowship following at the Chestertown Elks Lodge.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Compass Regional Hospice.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 20. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Chestertown Location  
130 Speer Road  
Chestertown, MD 21620  
(410) 778-0055  
info@fhfuneralhome.com

## Service

JAN 20. 12:00 PM (ET)

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## Reception

JAN 20 (ET)

Chestertown Elks Lodge  
Chestertown, MD 21620

# Tribute Wall



“ *Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with all my family today. Love you all!  
Will miss his beautiful smile. Uncle Butch is with all our family in  
heaven now and out of pain. He will be truly missed by all and  
forever loved.*  
*Vickie Klein*

**Vickie Klein** - January 20, 2018 at 01:45 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of  
Larry "Butch" Richard Porter.*



January 19, 2018 at 01:10 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter.



January 19, 2018 at 11:22 AM



“ Gale Martin and Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter.



**Gale Martin and Family** - January 18, 2018 at 01:18 AM



“ So sorry to hear about butch he will be sadly missed All the silver Foxes are leaving us !Sincerely , Shirley Foster



**shirley Foster** - January 17, 2018 at 12:43 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter.



January 17, 2018 at 12:41 PM

LT

“ I am sending my condolences to the entire Porter family, Butch was a great man who will be missed by many. I am glad to have known him. Now he can rest in peace and join his longtime friends like my Dad (Tom Patrick) . We will miss Butch and his smile.

Laura Taylor - January 16, 2018 at 03:52 PM

BL

“ Brian and Leslie purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter.



Brian and Leslie - January 16, 2018 at 11:16 AM

GP

“ Gene & Lynda Palmatary sent a virtual gift in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Gene & Lynda Palmatary - January 16, 2018 at 11:03 AM

GP

Darlene: Thinking of you and your family at this time during the loss of Butch. He will surely be remembered by many. It is a loss for your community, but he will always be with his friends and family. Many blessings and prayers are with you at this time. God Bless each one of you. Gene and Lynda Palmatary

Gene Palmatary - January 16, 2018 at 11:07 AM

TT

“ Tonya Thomas lit a candle in memory of Larry  
"Butch" Richard Porter

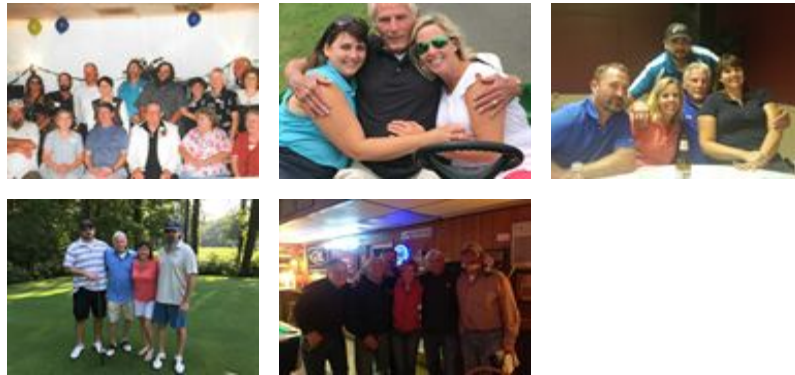


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**Tonya Thomas** - January 16, 2018 at 10:37 AM



“ 140 files added to the album LifeTributes



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**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - January 16, 2018 at 10:27 AM

CF

“ Connie Fithian lit a candle in memory of Larry  
"Butch" Richard Porter



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**Connie Fithian** - January 16, 2018 at 09:39 AM

BW

“ *Never forget helping my father cut a Christmas tree alongside of 213 and hauling back to house.*



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**Barney Willis** - January 16, 2018 at 07:25 AM

NB

“ *Norm Blakeney lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



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**Norm Blakeney** - January 15, 2018 at 05:53 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter.*



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January 15, 2018 at 05:15 PM

JM

“ *Jen & Jim McColigan lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



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**Jen & Jim McColigan** - January 15, 2018 at 03:09 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter.*



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January 15, 2018 at 02:41 PM



“ *Eddie Price lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



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**eddie price** - January 15, 2018 at 02:17 PM



“ *Nick Nickerson lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



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**Nick Nickerson** - January 15, 2018 at 01:01 PM



“ *Seth Powell lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



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**Seth Powell** - January 15, 2018 at 12:18 PM

CD

“ Casey Darrah lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



casey darrah - January 15, 2018 at 12:10 PM

CD

*Thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

casey darrah - January 15, 2018 at 12:12 PM

CA

“ Cheryl Anderson lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Cheryl Anderson - January 15, 2018 at 10:55 AM

DD

“ Debbie Dalrymple lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Debbie Dalrymple - January 15, 2018 at 10:19 AM

BF

“ *Brian & Paula Ford lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



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**Brian & Paula Ford** - January 15, 2018 at 09:34 AM

PS

“ *Dear Porter family - I was so sad to learn of Butch's passing. He was a gentleman and a gentle man. Your family's loss was the community's loss as well. May your faith and memories sustain you. With deepest sympathy and love,*  
*Pat Vickers Smith*

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**Pat Vickers Smith** - January 15, 2018 at 09:15 AM

JF

“ *Judy Fleming lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



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**Judy Fleming** - January 15, 2018 at 02:17 AM

BJ

“ *Brandy Jewell lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



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**Brandy Jewell** - January 14, 2018 at 10:03 PM

DB

“ Dave And Margaret Bland lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Dave and Margaret Bland - January 14, 2018 at 09:25 PM

JB

“ Jim Bigelow lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Jim Bigelow - January 14, 2018 at 08:11 PM

JC

“ Jerry & Joyce Coleman lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Jerry & Joyce Coleman - January 14, 2018 at 07:48 PM

DB

“ Doris Bramble lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Doris Bramble - January 14, 2018 at 07:26 PM

SM

“ Susan Martinez lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Susan Martinez - January 14, 2018 at 04:55 PM

Mary Gordon

“ Mary Gordon lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Mary Gordon - January 14, 2018 at 04:04 PM

LB

“ Linda Bennett lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Linda Bennett - January 14, 2018 at 03:39 PM

DO

“ Dorothy O'Melia lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter

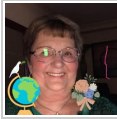


Dorothy O'Melia - January 14, 2018 at 03:38 PM

DO

*I will always remember Butch as a friend; going out to dinner with Elsy, my husband Don, friends and members of the Country Club. Traveling to Rehoboth Beach for golf tournaments. Good times and memories. He will be missed.*

**Dorothy O'Melia** - January 14, 2018 at 03:47 PM



*Butch will be miss by a lot of people. He was a patient man and loving person. I will miss him. My thoughts and prayers go out to his family.*

*Mary McAllister*

**Mary McAllister** - January 15, 2018 at 09:39 AM

LO

“ *Leslie Owens lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



**Leslie Owens** - January 14, 2018 at 03:37 PM

GC

“ *George And Peggy Comegys lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



**George and Peggy Comegys** - January 14, 2018 at 03:28 PM

GC

*to the family of Butch ,we are so sorry to hear of his passing.He is in Heaven looking down on you.All of you are in our thoughts and prayers*

**George and Peggy Comegys** - January 14, 2018 at 03:31 PM

ZA

“ I don't remember you ever not being a big part of my life, since I was 5. We shared a special bond, always looking out for one another from the time we were kids. I would tell you secrets, you would tell me yours. Always so much fun growing up. You will always remain in my heart. I am so sorry you have gone to another place, but I know a happy place, with our family in heaven. I am grateful you are no longer in pain, but I will miss your smile, the twinkle in your eyes and that quiet strength. Soar in the heavens. You will be missed by all. I will always love you and miss you. You made an impression on everyone you met. Such a wonderful, charismatic presence. You lived your life to the fullest and did it your way. Rest that beautiful soul in peace. Zoa Ann



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**Zoa Ann** - January 14, 2018 at 03:17 PM



“ To all of Butch's family, so sorry for your loss.

*Rose Marie Frank Maus*

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**Rose (Frank) Maus** - January 14, 2018 at 01:08 PM

LP

“ Lola And Elmer Price lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



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**Lola and Elmer Price** - January 14, 2018 at 11:39 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss. May you find peace at this difficult time.*



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**Carol Connolley** - January 14, 2018 at 11:08 AM

MP

“ *Miles & Kristi Parsons lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



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**Miles & Kristi Parsons** - January 14, 2018 at 10:26 AM

PE

“ *Peggy States Edwards lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



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**Peggy States Edwards** - January 14, 2018 at 10:09 AM

PE

*It is with deep regrets that we will not be able to attend the services for Butch. Butch left many memories with everyone, a gentle soul always spoke, had a smile and time to chat. Our prayers and thoughts will be with the family. We pray that the memories you hold within your hearts will bring comfort during this very difficult time. Butch you will be sorely missed. RIP our friend.*

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**Peggy States Edwards** - January 14, 2018 at 10:13 AM

PE

*And Carlton Edwards too. I clicked before I realized I had not signed his name.*

**Peggy States Edwards** - January 14, 2018 at 10:14 AM

TE

“ *Terry lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



**Terry** - January 14, 2018 at 08:43 AM

CS

“ *Chrissy Stickland lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



**Chrissy Stickland** - January 14, 2018 at 07:59 AM

ML

“ *Matt And Tammy Larrimore lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



**Matt and Tammy Larrimore** - January 14, 2018 at 07:12 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter.*



January 14, 2018 at 05:20 AM



“ *Anna Fairbank lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



**Anna Fairbank** - January 14, 2018 at 03:30 AM



“ *Melissa And Gary Horsey lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



**Melissa and Gary Horsey** - January 14, 2018 at 12:53 AM



“ *Brandy Parks lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



**Brandy parks** - January 14, 2018 at 12:44 AM

GM

“ Gale Martin lit a candle in memory of Larry  
"Butch" Richard Porter



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**Gale Martin** - January 14, 2018 at 12:15 AM

DF

“ My Sympathies to his family



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**Debbie Fuchs** - January 13, 2018 at 11:01 PM

JG

“ Jeff & Vicky Galt



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**Jeff Galt** - January 13, 2018 at 10:51 PM

SM

“ Stacey Morris lit a candle in memory of Larry  
"Butch" Richard Porter



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**Stacey morris** - January 13, 2018 at 10:25 PM



“ Matt Larrimore lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Matt Larrimore - January 13, 2018 at 10:16 PM



“ Ryan & Heidi Luff lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Ryan & Heidi Luff - January 13, 2018 at 09:54 PM



“ Sheila Blyman Dlugoborski lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Sheila Blyman Dlugoborski - January 13, 2018 at 09:41 PM



“ Tom And Nancy Lee Jewell lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Tom and Nancy Lee Jewell - January 13, 2018 at 09:28 PM

TJ

*He was a very good friend of ours and he will be missed by all. Prayers to the family.*

**Tom and Nancy Lee Jewell** - January 13, 2018 at 09:30 PM

AC

“ *Heaven gained a great man yesterday 💙 I love you Uncle Butch, you will be missed by so many. Rest In Peace...*




**Abby Cheek** - January 13, 2018 at 09:23 PM

LL

“ *Linda Lane lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



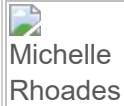
**Linda Lane** - January 13, 2018 at 09:22 PM

  
Michelle  
Rhoades

“ *Michelle Rhoades lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



**Michelle Rhoades** - January 13, 2018 at 09:21 PM



Michelle Rhoades

“ I have so many fond memories of "Uncle" Butch. He was the best man in my parents wedding and even though we weren't blood related I will always think of him as family. I am so sorry for the Porter families loss, Uncle Butch will be deeply missed by many. I can see him & my Dad playing pool together now & forever. My Mom also sends her condolences to all of you. Rest Easy

Michelle Rhoades - January 13, 2018 at 09:20 PM



Jennifer Tunis

“ Jennifer Tunis lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Jennifer Tunis - January 13, 2018 at 09:08 PM

JM

“ Jessie & Bob Merritt lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Jessie & Bob Merritt - January 13, 2018 at 07:52 PM

FS

“ Faye & Bruce Sutton lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Faye & Bruce Sutton - January 13, 2018 at 07:18 PM



“ *The billiard world will not be the same with out you.. You will truly be missed.* ”



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**Sherry Williams** - January 13, 2018 at 07:03 PM



“ *Jen & Jim McColigan lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter* ”



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**Jen & Jim McColigan** - January 13, 2018 at 06:55 PM



“ *Jenny Voelker lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter* ”



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**Jenny Voelker** - January 13, 2018 at 06:38 PM



“ *John M Larrimore lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter* ”



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**John M Larrimore** - January 13, 2018 at 06:27 PM

SF

“ Shirley Foster lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



shirley Foster - January 13, 2018 at 04:48 PM

DF

“ Dana Fellows lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Dana Fellows - January 13, 2018 at 03:18 PM

JM

“ Jerry And Marie lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



jerry and marie - January 13, 2018 at 02:18 PM

S

“ The beautiful part about our community is that Butch was and will remain a part of our family. I loved flirting with him. It always made him laugh... I think it made Darleen laugh more because he was so quiet and took it in stride. Butch - a trustworthy and authentic professional and friend. Stacy

Stacy Kendall - January 13, 2018 at 02:03 PM

BN

“ *Bob & Debbie Nickerson lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



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**Bob & Debbie Nickerson** - January 13, 2018 at 01:05 PM

JB

“ *Joyce Benton lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



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**Joyce Benton** - January 13, 2018 at 12:15 PM

NC

“ *Nettie Clough lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



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**nettie clough** - January 13, 2018 at 11:53 AM

DS

“ *Dave And Donell Smith lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter*



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**Dave and Donell Smith** - January 13, 2018 at 09:59 AM

SC

“ Sharon Crew lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Sharon Crew - January 13, 2018 at 09:39 AM

LM

“ Loren And Tina Mayr lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Loren and Tina Mayr - January 13, 2018 at 09:17 AM

WM

“ Wayne Merchant lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Wayne Merchant - January 13, 2018 at 08:52 AM

BS

“ Bill Spencer lit a candle in memory of Larry "Butch" Richard Porter



Bill Spencer - January 13, 2018 at 08:31 AM