



Robert Claude Lowery

August 1, 2007

Robert Claude Lowery passed away on Wednesday, August 1, 2007 at his home surrounded by his loving family. He was 75 years old.

Robert Claude Lowery was born on January 20, 1932 in Stevensville, MD to the late William Cook Lowery and Roberta Council Lowery. He attended Stevensville High School, graduating class of 1948. On October 24, 1951, he married Catherine Skaggs and resided in Stevensville; later moving to Chester. Mr. Lowery spent the majority of his life working as a waterman on the Chesapeake Bay. In 1948 he took a position with the State of Maryland Ferry System, working as a Quarter Master aboard a ferry boat. In 1954, when the ferry system closed, he began working as a toll collector for the Chesapeake Bay Bridge until becoming a state road inspector later that same year. During the time he worked for the state, he also continued working on the water, until the mid 1960's when he became a full time waterman until the early 1990's.

He is a member of the Watermen's Association, Bay Country Moose Lodge, and past member of the Kent Island Yacht Club.

In addition to his wife, Catherine, he is survived by one daughter, Robin C. O'Donnell; five grandchildren, Trent, Tiffany, Troy, Chelsa and Jacob; and four great grandchildren, Erin, Chase, Michaela and Jayden; and aunt, Hazel

Price. One son, Jay C. Lowery, and one brother, William "Bill" Lowery, predeceased him.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, August 3, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, P. A., 106 Shamrock Road, Chester, MD 21619. Interment will be private. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Queen Anne's, 423 Thompson Creek Road, Stevensville, MD 21666 or the American Cancer Society, 1138 Parsons Road, Salisbury, MD 21801.

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