



Hershel Rose

April 14, 2012

VINTON, VA – Hershel R. Rose, 87, of Vinton, VA, died Saturday, April 14, 2012 at Virginia Veterans Care Center in Roanoke, VA. Born August 23, 1924 at Capels, he was the son of the late Nathan Rose and Ruth Trail Rose.

Mr. Rose attended Iaeger High School. From 1943-1945 he served in the US Navy as a 2nd Class Gunner's Mate on USS Intrepid. He was an engineer for N&W Railroad for 37 ½ years. He enjoyed hunting, fishing and gardening.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife of 60 years, Frances Ann Kennedy Rose in 2006; a brother, J.D. Rose; and a sister, Lillian Lester.

Survivors include two daughters, Toni Whitt and her husband Randy of Ashland, KY and Ginger Buckner and her husband Harold, Jr. of Vinton, VA; one brother, Glen Rose of Beckley; and two grandchildren, Randy Whitt of Fraser, CO and Matthew Whitt and his fiancé Deanna Hill of Columbus, OH.

A cryptside service will be conducted at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, April 17, 2012 at the Roselawn Memorial Gardens Mausoleum Chapel in Princeton with the Rev. Larry Dyer officiating. Military Honors will be conducted by the US Navy Honor Guard.

The family will receive friends from 1:00 p.m. until service hour at the mausoleum.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Good Samaritan Hospice, 3825-A Electric Rd., S.W. Roanoke, VA 24018.

Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home in Princeton is in charge of arrangements. Online

condolences may be sent to the family at www.bailey-kirk.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Hershel Rose*

December 27, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Ginger: I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your beloved father. Our loved ones are never forgotten for they live in the hearts of those they've left behind. May God be with you and comfort you and your family in your grief.*

Linda Garrett - April 17, 2012 at 12:00 PM



“ *Ginger and Harold, Jim and I are saddened to learn of the recent passing of your father. Please know we will be thinking of you and lifting prayers for you and your family.*

Peggy and Jim Robinson - April 16, 2012 at 07:09 PM



“ *Ginger: I am so very sorry to hear about the loss of your Father. I know that he was a very special man to you and will be greatly missed. I am here for you if you need anything at all, please know that. You are in my thoughts and prayers at this most difficult time.*

Barbara Argenbright - April 16, 2012 at 02:35 PM



“ *Ginger, so sorry to hear about your dad's passing. Perhaps you can find some comfort in the fact that he is no longer suffering and is in a better place. Please know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Sabrina Lee - April 16, 2012 at 02:31 PM

DW

“Ginger and Harold: I was so saddened to hear the news of the passing of your Dad. I had been keeping up with him through Marsha and keeping you and the family in my thoughts and prayers. Claim the peace that only God can give you during this most difficult time and the days ahead.

Diana and Clarence Woods - April 16, 2012 at 01:54 PM

MD

“Ginger and Harold Lee: We were so sorry to hear about Hershel. He was such a dear man and we know you have many good memories of him. You both gave him the best of care. May God be near you during this sad time. We love you and are praying for you.

Michael and Brenda Davis - April 15, 2012 at 04:23 PM

MD

“Ginger and Harold Lee: We are so sorry to hear about the death of Hershel. He was a dear man and I know your hearts are heavy. You were both so good to him and gave him the best of care. May God be near you during this sad time. We love you.

Michael and Brenda Davis - April 15, 2012 at 04:19 PM

KF

“Dear Ginger, Toni and family, My deepest sympathy to all of you on the loss of Hershel. He was a very special man and holds a place in my heart as well. Take care of each other. Kelly

Kelly Floyd - April 15, 2012 at 12:53 PM