



Edward Lee Watson

June 21, 1944 - May 9, 2021

Edward Lee “Eddie” Watson, 76, of Salisbury passed away on Sunday, May 9, 2021 at Coastal Hospice at the Lake in Salisbury.

He was born on June 21, 1944 in Chincoteague, Virginia, the son of the late Harvey and Elaine Watson.

In his early years, Eddie proudly served his country in the U.S. Navy. He began his career working for Preston Trucking, before going on to own several businesses of his own. Those businesses included Ace Motor Company, Eden Auto Center, and Eddie’s Towing, as well as having many residential rentals. Prior to his retirement, he drove a tow truck for Hans Auto and Truck Clinic. He loved his John Deere tractor and enjoyed clamming and crabbing with his family. He was a member of Faith Baptist Church in Delmar for several years. He is survived by his wife, Betty L. Watson; son, Bryan G. Watson (Donna); stepchildren, Cassey Lankford (Will), Carol Ann Lankford, Crystal Johnson (Travis), and Clayton Bennett (Tricia); grandchildren, Andrew Watson (Tiffany), Colton Lanham, Samantha Lanham, Stevie Lanham (Taylor), Kristin Ott, Alex Collins, Courtney Eskridge, Aubrey Pete, Autumn Bennett, Desmond Walker, Blake Bennett and many more step-grandchildren; great granddaughter, Marlena Watson; and two step great-grandchildren, Kash Pete and Waylon Lanham.

In memory of Mr. Watson, contributions may be sent to Faith Baptist Church, 1207 E. State Street, Delmar, MD 21875 or Coastal Hospice, P.O. Box 1733, Salisbury, MD 21802.

A memorial service for family and friends will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 15, 2021 at Faith Baptist Church in Delmar. Pastor Ken Johnson will officiate.

Arrangements are in the care of Short Funeral Home in Delmar. Online condolences may be sent to the family by visiting www.shortfh.com.

Previous Events

Service

MAY **15**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Faith Baptist Church of Delmar
1207 E State Street
Delmar, MD

Tribute Wall

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“ I am so very sorry for your loss. Eddie was a wonderful person and he will be dearly missed. Being Garry's best friend, Eddie was always like a second brother to me. He was always there for me when I needed him, no matter what it was. He once told me, I was the "little sister" he never had. Eddie touched so many people's lives in such wonderful ways, and I have memories of Eddie that I will cherish forever.

Paula Cherricks Witt - May 15, 2021 at 09:56 AM

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“ So sorry for your loss. You are in my prayers.

Brenda - May 13, 2021 at 09:01 PM

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“ So sorry for your loss Ms. Betty..

Robin Grist (Horne) - May 13, 2021 at 07:27 AM

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So sorry Betty Prayers to You and Family.

Patti Griffith - May 13, 2021 at 09:04 AM

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Betty & Bryan, just wanted you to know that your both are in my thoughts and prayers. I know you will miss him. 🙏❤️❤️

Joyce Bowden Sackett - May 13, 2021 at 08:44 PM

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Bryan I'm so sorry for your loss my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family

Jamie Owens - May 13, 2021 at 08:56 PM