



Mr. Guy Ratcliff

April 10, 2011

RATCLIFF, Guy, 84, of Dover, Florida, departed this life on April 10, 2011. He was a veteran of the Merchant Marines having served in WWII. He is survived by his wife of 63 years Geri Ratcliff; children Guy Earl Ratcliff (Shirley), and Gladys Carol Ratcliff; 3 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren; and brothers Claude Ratcliff and Bruce Ratcliff. A Celebration of Life will be held on Thursday, April 14 at 2:00 P.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 SR 39 S, Plant City, where the family will receive friends beginning at 1:00 P.M. Interment to follow at Sunset Memory Gardens, Thonotosassa. Expressions of condolence at www.hopewellfuneral.com.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Memory Gardens

11005 N US Highway 301
Thonotosassa, FL

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 14. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Guy Ratcliff



Hopewell Funeral Home - April 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ Shirley And Guy Ratcliff lit a candle in memory of Mr. Guy Ratcliff



Shirley and Guy Ratcliff - June 16, 2012 at 11:35 AM

SR

Thinking and missing you on this Father's Day and always.

Shirley and Guy Ratcliff - June 16, 2012 at 11:38 AM

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shirley and guy earl ratcliff - April 29, 2012 at 07:58 PM



“ *My Dear Grandpa,*

You have showed me nothing but the best; a life that is to be admired and respected. I will never forget the principles you have taught me. Heaven is a better place now that you have entered it and God Himself is joyful to have such a creation like you have come into it. You have always given me more than I deserved and shown me the best way to live. Thank you dear grandpa. I will always carry that which you taught me and your precious memories with me forever and ever. Thank you

*With the deepest of respect and love from your grandson,
Travis Ratcliff Brotherton*

Travis Brotherton - April 16, 2011 at 12:04 AM

CH

“ *What a Guy! i will miss the kindness and respect you showed a young man(me) thirty years ago. your friendship will be missed always. God Bless your family and your soul. charlie layton*

charleslayton - April 13, 2011 at 03:17 PM

TG

“ *Though I have only known you for about a year, I feel like it has been a lifetime. You had a wonderful sense of humor and you will be greatly missed. Cricket has told me so much about you. She loved you so much and I know you loved her. . I will see you in Heaven!*

Tom Groves - April 13, 2011 at 10:18 AM

MR

“ I just want to say that I am so proud to be a Ratcliff. Uncle Guy is a big part of how I feel. Every memory that includes him is a great memory. I hope that I am a fraction of the man that Uncle Guy was. I will truly miss him but am happy that I have so many good memories that will be with me forever. Having him as an Uncle has been wonderful and made me a better and happier person because of it. To my fellow Ratcliff's, I love and miss all of you.

Mike Ratcliff

Mike Racliff - April 12, 2011 at 04:28 PM

HR

“ I use to go to west va, every summer as a kid and spend the summer with my grand mom
I would spend time over at Guys house as he always had some kind of car / motorcycle
that Guy Earl and I could mess with. I rode my first motorcycle as a kid when I was about
12yrs old and to this day it was one of the best days of my life.
Thanks uncle.
Haven Ratcliff

Haven Ratcliff - April 12, 2011 at 02:39 PM

KR

“ I met Uncle Guy when Haven and I moved to Florida in 1968. We were very young and very broke and had hardly any furniture and Uncle Guy and Geri helped us out with extra furniture for our home. We will always remember the help they gave us when we really needed it. He is such a special person and we will keep him in our hearts forever.

Karen Ratcliff

Karen Ratcliff - April 12, 2011 at 02:21 PM

CR

“ When I first met Uncle Guy 29 years ago I was just a kid. I was getting to know this huge family of Ratcliff's and it was challenging to keep up with everyone! One person always stood out to me from the beginning, Uncle Guy. He was such a quiet man that exuded warmth and made you feel so comfortable around him. How blessed I was to have been touched by his gentleness.

Carol Ratcliff - April 12, 2011 at 12:22 PM

PK

“ Uncle Guy has always been very special to me. When I was a small child with my Dad in the military, I always looked forward to going to see Uncle Guy, Aunt Geri and Guy Earl (Buddy), and Carol. It was a long drive, but the joy of seeing family was well worth it! Uncle Guy always had a quiet, loving presence that made everyone feel special and loved. I will cherish my memories of him always.

Pam Ratcliff Kennard - April 12, 2011 at 09:44 AM