



Mr. Gordon G. Chalfant, Jr.

August 10, 1933 - April 25, 2013

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North Augusta, SC—Graveside Services for Mr. Gordon George Chalfant, Jr., 79, who entered into rest April 25, 2013, will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in Pineview Memorial Park. Minister Scott Patterson officiating.

Mr. Chalfant was a native of Kansas City, Missouri, having made the North Augusta-Aiken area his home for the past 58 years. He was a graduate of La Salle High School, Niagara Falls, NY and Tulane University where he earned a degree in Mechanical Engineering. Mr. Chalfant obtained a Professional Engineer Rating from the State of Louisiana and was past president of the Aiken Chapter of the Society of Professional Engineers. He was employed by E.I. DuPont at the Savannah River Plant for 34 years where he held the position of Staff Engineer and was assigned to DOE Headquarters in Washington for licensing nuclear weapons packaging. During his time at the Savannah River Plant, he was responsible for the design, testing and licensing of radioactive shipping containers for the Department of Energy. Mr. Chalfant was awarded a patent on the design of a radioactive shipping container, known as the Chalfant Container, which is still in use today. He was a member of Central Church of Christ in Augusta and Banner Elk Church of Christ in Banner Elk, NC. Upon retiring Gordon and Mary enjoyed spending the summers in Linville Land Harbor, North Carolina. He enjoyed fishing and served as Chairman of the Land Harbor Fishing Committee.

Survivors include his wife Mary Burke Biggar Chalfant; North Augusta, SC; a

son and daughter-in-law, Philip and Dorris Biggar, Ladson, SC; two grandsons, Jamie Biggar (Shannon), Goose Creek, SC and Chad Biggar, China; a nephew, Byron Crytzer, North Augusta, SC; a niece Joylynn Crytzer, North Augusta, SC.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home Saturday afternoon from 5 until 7.

The family would like to thank the staff of National Health Care, North Augusta, SC for their kind and compassionate care.

Posey Funeral Directors of North Augusta in charge of arrangements (803.278.1181). Visit the registry online at www.poseyfuneraldirectors.com

Cemetery Details

Pineview Memorial Park

450 West Five Notch Road
North Augusta, SC 29841

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 27. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Posey Funeral Directors
1307 Georgia Avenue
North Augusta, SC

Service

APR 28. 3:00 PM.

Graveside

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Gordon G. Chalfant, Jr.*

October 06, 2023 at 06:29 AM



“ *Mr. Gordon G. Chalfant, Jr.*

September 24, 2022 at 12:12 PM



“ *Mary:*

So very sorry to learn of Gordon's death. We enjoyed his humor, his assistance in adjusting to life in the mountains and his devotion to our Shih-Tzu, Chewie. He would drop in, allegedly, to visit us, but in reality to bring dog treats to Chewie. He loved to take Chewie on walks. However, the only one walking was Gordon. To the huge enjoyment of our neighbors, Chewie was proudly carried around our circular street.

Gordon, thanks for everything. Now you can finally relax and watch over Chewie 24 hours a day. The best measure of life is to be remembered well in death. You earned our wonderful memories.

John and Mary Carey

John and Mary Carey - April 27, 2013 at 03:03 PM

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“ *Mary:*

We were saddened to read about Gordon's passing this morning. I have called your house several times today but no answer. I was unaware that he had been ill. Anyway, please accept our condolences. I had great respect for Gordon's abilities and appreciated his friendship. May you feel God's loving touch during this difficult time.

In Christ,

Marcia and Bob Scaggs

Bob Scaggs - April 26, 2013 at 04:41 PM