



## Wilbur Stuart Morris

November 2, 1924 - December 29, 2023

Of Springfield, Virginia, passed peacefully December 29, 2023 at the age of 99. He is survived by his loving wife of 57 years, Jane M. Morris; daughter Lisa Wood and her husband, Trace; daughter Amy Moore and her husband Curtis, and two cherished grandchildren Malcolm Wood and Collin Moore.

Wilbur devoted 42 years of his career to the Richmond, Fredericksburg & Potomac Yard Railroad (RF&P now CSX). He held numerous positions at RF&P in their different locations. His last role there was as Master Mechanic, in charge of the mechanical department.

After retiring from RF&P in 1985 he turned his gardening talents into a second career and was the Master Gardener at the Virginian retirement community in Fairfax, VA for 10 years.

Wilbur was a proud Rotarian and fully subscribed to Service Above Self. He was Rotarian of the year 1994-1995, received special awards of service and was a Paul Harris Fellow. He also served on the board of directors at the Alexandria Day Nursery and Children's Home. He was also a member of the Elks Lodge since 1949.

He was an active member of Plymouth Haven Baptist Church serving as an usher, deacon and also on many committees. The church grounds benefited

from his green thumb as he led efforts for many years to keep beautiful flowers blooming outside.

In his free time, Wilbur enjoyed gardening at his home where he had magnificent vegetable and flower beds. In addition, he delighted in fishing trips, Bible study, family and reminiscing about his time on the railroad.

A celebration of his life will be held at 11:30 am at Plymouth Haven Baptist Church on Thursday, January 4, 2024.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Memorial Gardens

3702 Loren Drive  
Fredericksburg, VA 22408

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

JAN 4. 11:30 AM (ET)

Plymouth Haven Baptist Church  
8523 Fort Hunt Rd  
Alexandria, VA 22308

# Tribute Wall

RJ

“ Condolences to Mr. Morris's family. He was a mentor and boss to me at Potomac Yard. R.M. Guyton

Robert M Guyton, Jr - January 03, 2024 at 02:37 PM

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“ The Teixeira Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wilbur Stuart Morris.

The Teixeira Family - January 02, 2024 at 03:05 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Wilbur Stuart Morris.



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January 01, 2024 at 12:57 PM

CJ

“ Condolences from the family of Inez Ming, Superintendent's Office.

Cathy Ming Johns - December 31, 2023 at 06:43 PM

DJ

“ Aunt Jane, and girls and family, Sending you our deepest condolences for the loss of Uncle Wilbur. May you be blessed with comfort, peace, and strength to face the days ahead. Uncle Wilbur is remembered for a life well lived and for his heart felt caring for others. So glad we were able to talk with him recently. We always remember he could slice a ham the best at all the family reunions! You are blessed with wonderful memories to cherish forever. God Bless.

*Donnie & Carol Jones in Tx*

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**Donnie & Carol Jones** - December 31, 2023 at 05:42 PM