



Douglas Stimson

February 18, 1937 - September 24, 2024

Douglas Stimson, loving husband, father and grandfather, passed away early on the morning of September 24th at the age of 87. He was born February 18, 1937, in Lenoir, North Carolina.

Doug was a dedicated husband to his wife, Martha, with whom he cherished every moment spent with her, saying she was the best wife in the world. They built a life together raising their three children. As a grandfather, he found immeasurable joy in his grandchildren, always willing to share great stories and life lessons.

Doug spent his career as a Quality Engineer and in his later years transitioned to teaching at local technical schools. He was a brilliant man with an impeccable mind and memory up until his last breath.

Doug had a passion for sports and was a lifelong fan of the University of North Carolina Tar Heels. He was known for his spirited cheers during baseball and basketball seasons and his

unwavering support for the team. Doug attended UNC on a baseball scholarship, serving as their starting pitcher. He loved his years there and treasured the friends, teammates and memories.

Doug leaves behind a legacy of love and devotion. He was preceded in death by his parents, Gwyn and Elizabeth Stimson, and his beloved brother, David Stimson. He is survived by his adored wife, Martha Stimson, with whom he shared 57 wonderful years of marriage, his children, Kevin Stimson (wife Jenn), Dawn Stimson Turner (husband Brent) and Jill Stimson Atkins, his beloved grandchildren, Erika, Jacob, Zack, Luke and Maryn, and his sister-in-law, Mary Jo Stimson (nephews Andy, Matt).

Doug will be deeply missed by his family, who will forever hold dear the memories of their time together. Rest in peace, Doug, Dad and Papa. Your love and spirit will always remain with us, until we meet again.

A celebration of life will be held at a later date.

The family requests that all friends and relatives postpone ordering flowers at this time.

Tribute Wall

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“ I'll always cherish the wonderful memories and laughs we've shared ❤️ Thankful to have had Doug as my Father-in-law and to have watched him be a Papa to his grandkids! We miss him so very much! Continued love and prayers 🙏

Jennifer Stimson - October 05, 2024 at 04:33 PM

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Martha Stimson - October 05, 2024 at 12:41 PM

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“ Saddened to hear about the untimely passing of Mr. Douglas Stimson. On behalf of the Irlinger families in Middle Tennessee, we pray for comfort and healing for the Stimson family. Frank Irlinger (Jenn's Dad) Elsie Irlinger (Jenn's Grandmother). Ron & Donna Irlinger. .

Frank Irlinger - October 04, 2024 at 10:12 PM

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Kevin Stimson - October 04, 2024 at 10:49 AM