



## David Nathan Upton

January 9, 1952 - May 10, 2014

David Nathan Upton, 62, of Charlotte, died Saturday, May 10, 2014, at Novant Health Center, Matthews NC Campus.

David was born in Middletown, Ohio, on January 9, 1952, the son of William Hobbs and Maenell Price Upton. His family moved to Charlotte, NC, where he graduated from Garinger High School. David went on to join the Charlotte Fire Department, graduating from the academy in 1972. He spent 23 years in service to the city before retiring as an Engineer of Engine 29 with Charlotte Fire Station 29. During his fireman career, he also served as a director with the fire department credit union and was a member of Local 660. David also started and operated Upton and Sons Plumbing which he invested 25 years in before his death. On May 14, 1977, he married Patricia Turner at ARP Presbyterian Church in Charlotte. While he enjoyed his time in the fire department and his plumbing business, what he loved most were his family and friends, and he will be sadly missed by all who knew him.

David is survived by his wife, Patricia, and four children: George Upton of Charlotte, Tina Fisher (husband Dennis) of Indian Trail, Susan Kisiah (husband J.T.) of Charlotte, and William Upton (wife Mia) of Mint Hill, NC. He is further survived by his sister, Donna Kay Setzer of Matthews; nine grandchildren: Chris, Samantha, Nick, Luke, Hunter, Natalie, Grace, Morgan, and Castiel; and numerous other family and friends. David was preceded in

death by his parents, a sister Susan Diana, and a brother, William Hobbs.

David's family has given the family of Lowe-Neddo Funeral Home the privilege of caring for them. Services celebrating David's life will be held at 12 noon on Thursday, May 15, in the funeral home chapel located at 4715 Margaret Wallace Road, Matthews, NC 28105. Visitation will be held from 10 am until time of service. Following the service, David will be taken in procession to his final place of earthly rest at Sunset Memorial Gardens.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Memory Gardens

8901 Lawyers Road  
Charlotte, NC 28227  
<http://www.cmseast.com/sunset-memory-gardens/>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 15.** 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Lowe-Neddo Funeral Home  
4715 Margaret Wallace Road  
Matthews, NC 28105  
(866) 682-4043  
[info@loweneddo.com](mailto:info@loweneddo.com)  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *David Nathan Upton*

October 05, 2023 at 07:26 AM



“ *David Nathan Upton*

October 24, 2022 at 08:52 PM



“ *Tina & Upton family we are so sorry for your loss. I know Mr. Upton was so loved & will be surely missed. God Bless you all. The Dickersons*

**Wayne Debbie** - May 14, 2014 at 09:40 PM



“ *you will be missed I went to school with david he was always so nice to everyone prayers to his family*



**susan artz rinehardt** - May 14, 2014 at 05:26 PM



“ *The loss of a dear loved one is a heavy burden. May family and friends comfort one another at this time and be comforted in knowing that the Father of tender mercies truly cares and feels your pain. (2 Corinthians 1:3,4)*

**G. Powell** - May 14, 2014 at 01:49 PM

LR

“ David always told us that when he was a young fireman, one time he was trying to find a particular station but did not stop to ask directions because he was in a firetruck- and thought it might look silly! -We will miss you so much, David-Rest in the everlasting arms , now-

Lynn Price Rorie - May 14, 2014 at 11:58 AM

YP

“ Your Friends in CMC-Mercy Sterile Processing purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of David Nathan Upton.



Your Friends in CMC-Mercy Sterile Processing - May 14, 2014 at 09:34 AM

CF

“ Chuck & Linda Dale Pennington, Summerfield, Florida. purchased the Pink Lily and Yellow Rose Mix (Silk Cemetery Flowers) for the family of David Nathan Upton.



Chuck & Linda Dale Pennington, Summerfield, Florida. - May 14, 2014 at 08:28 AM

RR

“ Rick and Lynn (Price) Rorie purchased the California Healthy for the family of David Nathan Upton.



Rick and Lynn (Price) Rorie - May 13, 2014 at 10:23 PM

LR

“ Remembering our cousin David always. Right now, with feelings too deep for tears. Loving condolences to his family and friends at this most difficult time -



Lynn Price Rorie - May 13, 2014 at 10:03 PM

June Stilwell

“ Too many happy, funny memories to share... David was a fine CFD engineer, a great friend, he loved his family....I loved him....Pat, Kay, Billy, George, Tina and Donna...He loved you all so much. I love you too. Thinking of you all.

June Stilwell - May 13, 2014 at 05:38 PM

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June Stilwell - May 13, 2014 at 05:37 PM

Troy Johnson

“ My family and I were blessed to have known David for almost ten years. I was first asked by his son, Bill 'if we teach you plumbing, would you mind helping us?' Ever since then, David and Pat have always welcomed my family as a part of theirs. David taught me a skilled trade as well as a different outlook on life. Bill and I call each other ' Brothers from other mothers'... But David.... He made any man proud to call him DAD... He will be missed...

Troy Johnson - May 13, 2014 at 04:59 PM

BE

“ We are very sorry to learn of David's passing, he was a good man and will be missed by many. We have very fond memories of David and family. Our thoughts and sympathies are with each of you. Bill and Gaye Ensley

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**Bill & Gaye Ensley** - May 13, 2014 at 04:27 PM