



Samuel Berry Shumard

October 17, 1932 - May 4, 2021

Samuel Berry Shumard was born October 17, 1932 in Cincinnati, Ohio. He passed away May 4, 2021 in Richmond, Virginia at the age of 88. A Jackson resident for 40 years, Sam and his wife Alice moved to Virginia in 2012 to be closer to family.

Sam is survived by two daughters and sons-in-law, Sally Shumard and John Gibbs of Richmond, Virginia and Susan and Mark Krieger of Arlington, Virginia. He is also survived by three grandchildren, Samuel Taylor Gibbs, Victoria Rebecca Krieger, and Emma Katherine Tatone Krieger: sister-in-law Jo Ann Viox of Milford, brother-in-law, Sam Benzinger of Lebanon, and brother-in-law, Kenny Roberts of Ripley.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 59 years, Alice Benzinger Shumard, his daughter Rebecca Lynn Shumard, and both parents, Victor Dale Shumard, Jr. and Gladys Berry Shumard.

Sam was a kind gentleman. He was fiercely devoted to his family, friends, community, and country. Sam was proud of his involvement during the Korean conflict, serving in Japan as a cryptographer in the Army Signal Corps. He loved Jackson and the many friends made while living there. He loved the comradery he shared for many years with his Jackson breakfast group and was deeply proud of his years serving in Rotary.

Sam, from a young age, was profoundly involved with his father's car dealership and eventually also became a car dealer. Throughout his life he had many jobs, working for the City of Jackson and also at McNally Pittsburg

in Wellston. He enjoyed the later years of his life living peacefully and comfortably in the presence of family in Virginia.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, May 14, 2021 at the Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home with Rev. Janie Karl officiating and burial to follow in the Fairmount Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 6 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, May 13.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the Christ United Methodist Church, 150 Portsmouth Street, Jackson, Ohio 45640.

Condolences can be emailed to <http://mayhew-brownfuneralhome>.

Cemetery Details

Fairmount Cemetery

12 Fairmont St
Jackson, OH 45640
(740) 286-2090

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 13. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home
135 Broadway Street
Jackson, OH 45640
(740) 286-4161

Funeral Service

MAY 14. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

AS

“ *Dr. Shumard,
So very sorry to hear about the loss of your Dad. Be strong
Drew Spencer*

andrew spencer - May 26, 2021 at 09:39 AM

BJ

“ *Dear Shumard Family, so sorry to hear of Sam's passing. Hang in there. Your love and memories will sustain you during this sad time.
Sincerely, Barbara Michael-Jones*

barbara michael jones - May 13, 2021 at 11:27 PM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,

May your memories of Samuel Berry Shumard, give you peace, comfort and strength...

Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten.
My thoughts
and prayers to the family of*

US Army Veteran, Samuel Berry Shumard, is "A True American Hero" God Bless†

† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †

Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum - May 09, 2021 at 12:24 AM

RG

“ *I am so sorry for your loss.*

Robin Greene - May 08, 2021 at 08:00 AM

AU

“ *Sally and Susan and your family, Your dad always seemed like a nice dad. I know you will miss him like I do mine. There is nothing like the love and help we receive from our dads. Hugs to you, Ann Underwood*

Ann Underwood - May 08, 2021 at 01:02 AM

DB

“ *Sam was a gentleman I always made sure we had items for the rotary auction same and my dad both worked at the city and loved to visit David Butts*

David Butts - May 07, 2021 at 11:25 PM