



Fred Grimes

January 23, 1946 - February 16, 2025

Fred Grimes, 79, of Waldorf, Maryland, passed away peacefully on Sunday, February 16, 2025 after a short illness.

He was born on January 23, 1946 in Washington, D.C. to the late Norman Grimes and Marilyn Grimes. He was a proud graduate of Oxon Hill High School class of 1965. Fred was a Fiber Optic and Line Technician for Lucent Technologies for 47 years before retiring. In retirement Fred was a devoted volunteer for Meals on Wheels. In his younger years, he was a proud supporter and volunteer with the Boy Scouts of America, as well as being invested in the government and success of Charles County. Fred and his wife were residents of Waldorf for over 46 years. He took pride in his strong work ethic and being a provider for his family.

In addition to his parents, Fred was preceded in death by his loving wife of 54 years, Kathleen Mary Grimes, and by his brother, Sammy Grimes. Fred is survived by his children, Scott Grimes, and Michele (Jeff) Hogan; grandchildren, Kyle Nease, Alexis Hogan, and Sean Hogan; his loving sister, Debi Shifflett, brother, Eddie Grimes, and many nieces and nephews.

A visitation will be held on Friday, February 28, 2025 from 2:30PM until time of service to begin at 4PM at the Raymond Funeral Service, P.A., 5635 Washington Avenue, La Plata, Maryland 20646. A private interment will be

held at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that contributions in Fred's name be made to either the Tunnel To Towers Foundation, 2361 Hyman Boulevard, Staten Island, NY 10306, www.t2t.org or the Waldorf Volunteer Fire Department 3245 Old Washington Road, Waldorf, MD, 20602, www.waldorfvfd.com

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 28. 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Service Chapel
5635 Washington Ave
La Plata, MD 20646

Service

FEB 28. 4:00 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Service Chapel
5635 Washington Avenue
La Plata, MD 20646
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Tribute Wall

JC

“ Jeff Coffren purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathi phyllum* for the family of Fred Grimes.



Jeff Coffren - February 27, 2025 at 06:23 PM



“ *Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Fred Grimes.



February 27, 2025 at 08:48 AM

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“ *Love, Trish, Tammie, Tracy & Mary* purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Fred Grimes.



Love, Trish, Tammie, Tracy & Mary - February 26, 2025 at 10:44 AM

MD

“ During my time of delivering MOW with Springdell I had the pleasure of knowing Fred and Kathy both, and had the utmost respect for them, they were wonderful to work with. My thoughts and prayers and condolences for the family

Marcia David

Marcia David - February 25, 2025 at 05:01 PM

MF

“ Mary, Ronnie, Tracie, Mike, Tricia & Families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Fred Grimes.

Mary, Ronnie, Tracie, Mike, Tricia & Families - February 25, 2025 at 12:39 PM

AD

“ Fred, along with his wife Kathy, were amazing, dedicated volunteers/coordinators of the Meals On Wheels Program. Because of their endless hours of volunteering and hard work, so many elderly people in Charles County were able to have warm meals and full bellies on a daily basis.

Ann Davis - February 24, 2025 at 01:58 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Fred Grimes.

February 20, 2025 at 08:17 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Fred Grimes.*



February 20, 2025 at 08:17 AM



“ *Attended school with Fred starting back in Oxon Hill Elem to graduation in 1965. Fred always had a smile for everyone and was always one of the nice guys. May he Rest in Peace.*

Donna Fife - February 19, 2025 at 11:04 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Fred Grimes.*



February 19, 2025 at 04:47 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Fred Grimes.*

February 19, 2025 at 04:47 PM



“ *We both send our condolences to the family. Richard and Melody Drew*

Melody and Richard Drew - February 19, 2025 at 02:00 PM

AH

Sending our condolences to Scott and the family. Fred was a roommate of my husband while at LaPlata Hospital mid January. Very nice gentleman. Ann and Melvin Herbert

Ann Herbert - February 23, 2025 at 06:29 PM