



Gaylord Cochran

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Gaylord Cochran, 67, of Sterling, VA died of complications from brain cancer at his home on Saturday.

Mr. Cochran was born on November 9, 1942 in Webster County, WV, the 7th of 11 siblings born to Mary Bell Duckworth and Gaylord Cochran, Sr. After graduating from Webster Springs High School, where he was an honor student and a varsity athlete, he moved to the Washington, DC area.

Mr. Cochran was a member of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (IBEW) Union #26 for almost 50 years. Mr. Cochran was an avid sports fan, as well as a dedicated husband, father and grandfather. He enjoyed the Washington Redskins, NASCAR and bluegrass music. He coached many youth baseball, soccer and basketball teams in the Sterling, VA area.

He is survived by his wife Ellen, of over 40 years, and his 2 children, John Cochran of Purcellville, VA and Jennifer Page, of Sterling, VA, as well as 3 grandchildren and numerous cousins, nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, and oldest brother Teddy James Cochran of Tarboro, NC.




Memorial services will be held at 1PM, Saturday January 9th at the Loudoun Funeral Chapel, Leesburg, VA, to be followed by a private funeral in Webster County, West Virginia at a later date.



Events

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Service

-  **Saturday**, January 9, 2010
-  1:00 PM ET
-  **Loudoun Funeral Chapel**
158 Catoctin Circle, S.E., Leesburg VA





Tribute Wall

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Loudoun Funeral Chapels shared a **Tribute Video**.



January 2 at 8:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Ellen and Family: Conrad and I are so sorry to hear about GW. Rad let us know Feb. 16th. May all the joy, love and wisdom GW gave in his life, sustain you now in yours. Our love and sympathy go out to all of you. Fondly, Betty and Conrad##imported-begin##Betty and Conrad Burnett##imported-end##

February 20 at 5:34 AM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Ellen and JD and Jennifer: Bobbie and I were so sorry to here that GW had passed away. Regrettably we returned home from a trip to find the SAD news.I've never known anyone who made you feel more welcome in thier life at work or at play. A wonderful working partner and friend to all who him!. Bless You All at this sad time and always. Charlie And Bobbie Brown##imported-begin##Charlie Brown##imported-end##

January 9 at 7:34 AM



Anonymous posted:

Cochran Family - I am so sorry for your loss. Mr. Cochran was such a wonderful person. No one could tell a story better than him! I will truly treasure the time we spent together. A kind heart stop beating, hardworking hands are now at rest. God broke our hearts to prove to us, He only takes the best.##imported-begin##Angie Parker-Coe##imported-end##

January 9 at 5:24 AM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Jennifer and Family, I am so sorry for your loss. I didn't know your father but I heard so much about him and his "Class A RV" through your grandchildren during a trip to Panama City. He sounded like a wonderful man. I wish I can be there today. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.Sharon##imported-begin##Sharon Henry##imported-end##

January 9 at 4:56 AM



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Anonymous posted:

Ellen and family, it's still hard to believe G.W. is gone. After working with G. W. we became good friends and I always looked forward to stopping by to see him after he retired. Any time when I hear a joke or watch Nascar I'll think of the G-Man. He was one the best electricians I ever worked with and he always took pride in his work. He will sadly be missed. If Dottie and I can be of any support or help, please call us. God bless your family. Dottie and Sam.##imported-begin##Sam Orrison##imported-end##

January 8 at 7:55 AM



Anonymous posted:

Our deepest regrets for our loss of GW who was a great husband, father and friend. We will all miss the smile and good cheer that he brought to us all. Words cannot express the sorrow we feel but memories will be with us forever.##imported-begin##John & Ree Sangaline##imported-end##

January 8 at 5:34 AM



Anonymous posted:

GW was a good man, a dedicated and professional worker. We worked on several jobs together while I was at Verizon/Bell Atlantic. He will be missed.##imported-begin##Frank Eagen##imported-end##

January 8 at 4:32 AM



Anonymous posted:

My thoughts and prayers go out the family at this most difficult time. I can say as a fellow worker of GW, he and I go back many years. We worked together on many jobs with several contractors over those years. GW was always up beat and always had a story. He was two years older than me but we had daughters the same age and name. So we shared a lot of things about families. His Jennifer and my Jennifer, Then the grandchildren came along and we would share even more pictures. After we retired we met a few times (as he lived in VA. and I lived in MD.) we would talk family. I guess after saying all this I will miss him as a great friend and fellow worker. I lost two brothers to cancer and it's not easy to stand by and watch someone you love so much go through that. My faith in God made that walk a lot easier. I trust your faith in God will help you as it did for me. May God bless all of the Family as you walk this road, and you will always have the Great Memoires and nobody can take that away from you. God Bless, Dave Ennis##imported-begin##Dave Ennis##imported-end##

January 7 at 9:48 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Dear Cochran family, I am very sorry to hear of your loss. I worked with GW in the mid to late 90's. He was a good hearted and honest person. It was a pleasure to have known GW. I will be thinking of him. Scott Higbie Power Solutions

January 7 at 4:32 PM



Anonymous posted:

Please except my deapest sympathy. I am very sorry to hear about your dad he was a great man and i have a lot of good memories of him. Monica

January 7 at 4:02 PM



Anonymous posted:

I worked with GW many times over the years. He was a fine man and very profesional as an electrician. It is a great shock to hear of his passing. He will be sadly missed. My condolences to the family.

January 7 at 1:03 PM



Anonymous posted:

Our deepest sympathy at GW's passing. Please know that our prayers are with the family at this most trying time.

January 7 at 4:26 AM



Anonymous posted:

Ellen, I am so sorry to hear of your loss, it seems as though I just talked to you two at Bluegrass and you were so happy. If I can do anything for you just let me know. May you find comfort in the marvelous grace of our loving Savior Jesus Christ. Carol Powell

January 6 at 9:03 PM



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Anonymous posted:

It is at times such as these that I wish that my words could somehow express my heart. But as it is, words are simply a slight reflection of what I would love to say to you. My Uncle GW was the epitomy of what a husband, father, and grandfather should be. His love, pride and enjoyment of his family was so evident in his words, his actions, and the twinkle in his eye. He was also the cornerstone of our extended family, showing love and interest in all of us. He went out of his way to visit, congratulate, and celebrate life's moments with each of us. He made us all feel very special and an intregal part of our crazy family quilt. Love was a verb for my Uncle. He lived it every day of his life. I hope to honor him by trying to live by his example. Aunt Ellen, JD, and Jennifer, I love you and look forward to seeing you soon.##imported-begin##Sandy Ward Collier##imported-end##

January 5 at 10:34 AM



Anonymous posted:

I love you and will miss you Uncle Gaylord. You will always be in my heart.##imported-begin##Ellyn Andrews##imported-end##

January 5 at 3:38 AM



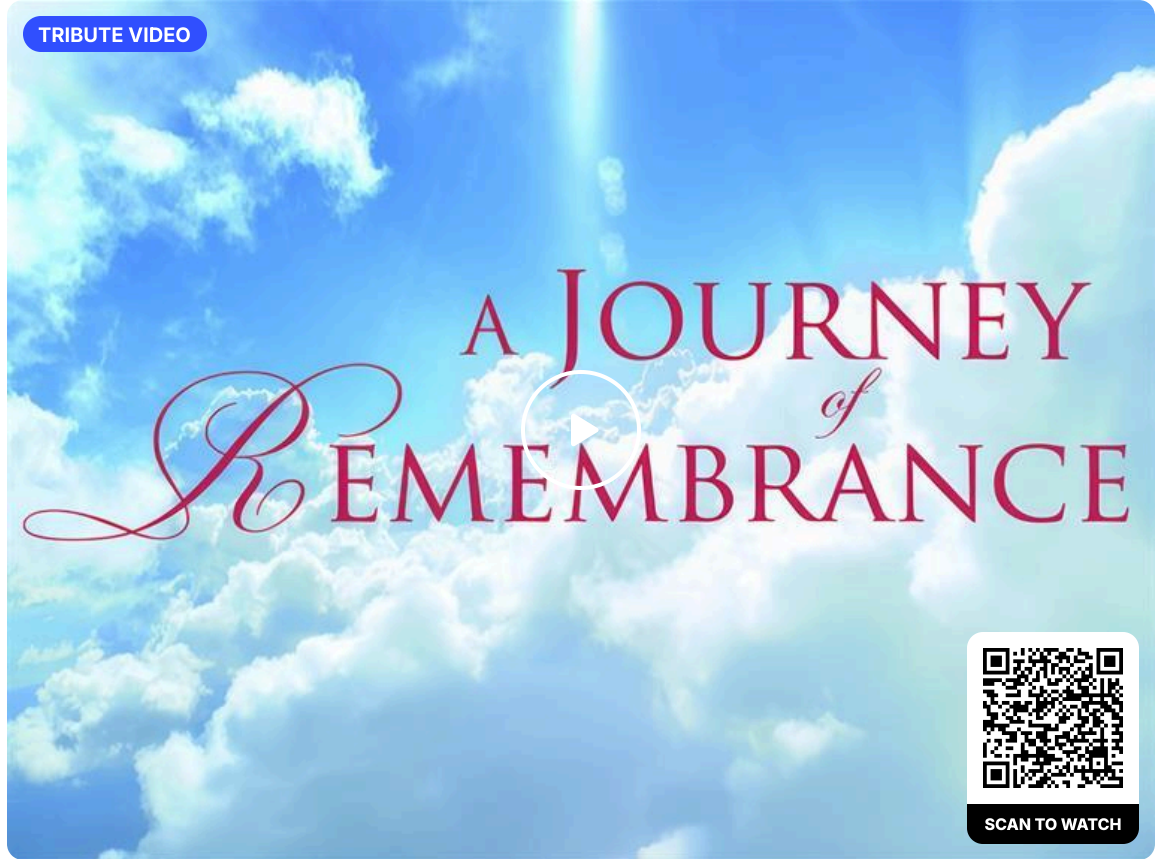
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