



Harold Clayton Sensabaugh

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Harold Clayton Sensabaugh, 86, of Leesburg passed away Tuesday, December 24th, due to a severe stroke. Harold was born in Rose Hill, VA but spent most of his life in Loudoun County. After graduating from Leesburg High School and serving in the military he set out to make a life for he and his lovely bride, Barbara, of 63 years. Harold was not afraid of work. He farmed with his dad, worked for Safeway and drove a school bus all while attending high school. From there he started his own business as a cabinetmaker. This gave him an opportunity to meet and interact with many Loudouners to transform their kitchens and libraries. He loved his work and serving people wherever he went. He rarely stopped but did on occasion to watch football, bowling or golf. Between his work and cooking at his church, Leesburg Community Church, Chef Harold, was loved and admired by many. He prepared early morning coffee, sweet rolls for the LCC staff, many Wednesday night dinners and special occasions. In his spare time he volunteered with Lucketts Volunteer Fire Department and did some photography on the side.

Harold is survived by his wife, Barbara Newton Sensabaugh of Leesburg; his sister, Wilma Hite (husband, Andy) of Leesburg; his sister, Gracie Nelson (husband, Jan) of Leesburg; and many nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Theodore Roosevelt and Grace Wilder Sensabaugh; a brother, John Emory of Ohio; a brother, Charles of Leesburg; a sister, Martha, at a young age; and 2 other siblings at birth.

Funeral services will be held at his church, Leesburg Community Church, on Saturday, December 28th at 2PM. Visitors will be received prior to the service beginning at 12 Noon. Graveside service and interment will be Tuesday, December 31st at 11AM at Leesburg Union Cemetery.



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Memorial contributions may be made to Leesburg Community Church.



Events

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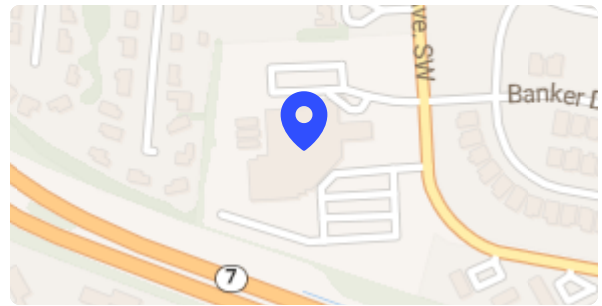
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Visitation

Saturday, December 28, 2019

12:00 PM - 2:00 PM ET

Leesburg Baptist Community Church
835 Lee Ave, SW, Leesburg VA

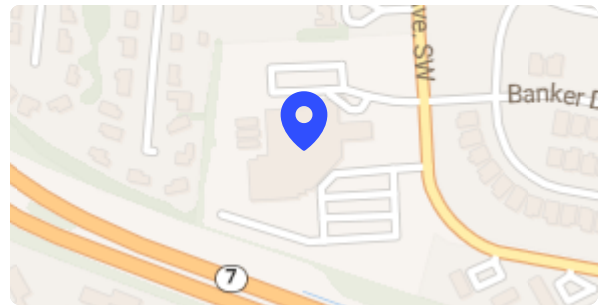


Church service

Saturday, December 28, 2019

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM ET

Leesburg Baptist Community Church
835 Lee Ave, SW, Leesburg VA

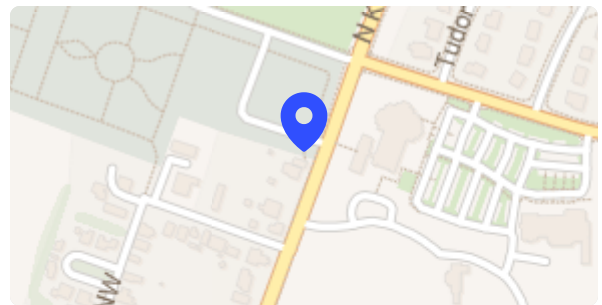


Graveside

Tuesday, December 31, 2019

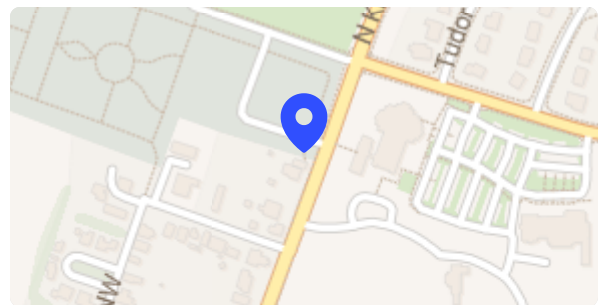
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET

Union Cemetery
323 North King Street, Leesburg VA



Cemetery Details

Union Cemetery
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Page Lee Weadon lit a candle in honor of Harold.



January 11 at 11:50 AM



Page Lee Weadon January 11 at 12:54 PM

So sorry about your loss. Chef Harold was such a nice, kind person who always greeted people in a friendly way. He was a good cook, and knew how to entertain people at events with his sense of humor. He was a "people person", and no one he met was a stranger to him. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this time.



Rose Fiske lit a candle in honor of Harold.

So Sorry Barbara for your loss...I pray you will find peace and comfort. Harold was just such a nice, friendly person and will be missed by so many. especially the Church family.



December 31 at 6:06 PM



Julia Buchen posted:

Many fond memories of Chef Harold from LBC. We will always treasure the Chef Harold cookbook that we won at the Dominion Academy auction. Prayers for Barbara.-Mark & Julia Buchen

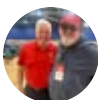
December 30 at 5:41 PM



Bill & Teri Sanborn posted:

Harold was such a kind, giving, gentle and very talented man. We have many fond memories of him at LCC. Many delicious ones too! What a great cook!! We treasure the bookcases he made us for our first home. Our heartfelt condolences to Barbara and family.

December 29 at 11:43 AM



Adam Bell posted:

DEAR Harold Clayton Sensabaugh i am miss you good friend to me

December 28 at 3:16 PM



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DL

Dawn Lambert posted:

Harold was very Beloved at LCC. He had a servants heart and a great sense of humor. I have fond memories of volunteering along side of him in the kitchen and cooking for big events. I will cherish his little sayings and the recipes he gave me. He was a Gem and will be missed by so many.

December 28 at 2:58 AM



Anonymous sent a Basket of Memories to the Sensabaugh family.



December 28 at 2:25 AM

PT

Pamela B. Teaford lit a candle in honor of Harold.



December 27 at 4:58 PM



Christine Isakson lit a candle in honor of Harold.



December 27 at 2:12 PM



Anonymous sent a Crystal Cross Bouquet to the Sensabaugh family.



December 27 at 10:25 AM

YS

Yvonne Schiemee lit a candle in honor of Harold.



December 27 at 9:20 AM



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NE

Norma Ellison lit a candle in honor of Harold.



December 27 at 8:21 AM

SS

Susan South posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with each member of Harold's family. I have fond memories of all of the Sensabaughs and wish you many memories as well. Susan Fawley South

December 27 at 7:42 AM

NL

Nancy Leake posted:

Chef Harold was a wonderful man who served us when we lived in Leesburg at Leesburg Baptist Church and he was wonderful as a cook and as a person. May he rest in peace. Nancy and Terry Leake

December 27 at 7:13 AM

CB

Carolyn Ashton(Buns) lit a candle in honor of Harold.



December 27 at 4:22 AM

KL

Keith Lambert posted:

Every so often a servant of the Lord makes such a quiet contribution, for so long, with such joy, that you know when they're gone, that a gap will be left in their place - which just can't be refilled. Harold was such a man. May the angels rejoice to greet you Harold. Till we meet again.

December 27 at 12:07 AM

SH

Shirley Hagen posted:

So sorry for your great loss, Barbara. Harold surely did make many delicious meals at LBC/LCC. He will be deeply missed. Heaven gained a sweet soul. Shirley Hagen

December 26 at 6:03 PM



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SC

Shirley Cameron posted:

Harold was a very special man, loved by so many. Enjoy your eternity in Heaven. Shirley Cameron

December 26 at 5:04 PM

HH

Holly Howard posted:

Rest In Peace Chef Harold, you will be missed by many. Our prayers are with his family 🙏 He worked so hard for the Church. His was certainly a life of service!

December 26 at 4:54 PM

JN

Jennifer Nix posted:

Chef Harold will be dearly missed. He was a precious friend to my grandparents, especially my grandfather, Kenneth Litton, whom he loved to spoil with his great cooking! Chef Harold was a kind and compassionate man who treated others as he hoped to be treated. A real gem! My sympathies to his family. May you know the comfort of the Holy Spirit as you grieve his passing. I look forward to continuing our talks about cooking on the other side.

December 26 at 4:30 PM

GN

Gracie Nelson December 27 at 7:52 AM

Thank you, Sandy, for all you are doing to help Bobbi. She is so fortunate to have you at her side. May God bless you! Gracie Nelson

KM

Katy Mccauley December 27 at 7:52 AM

My sincere condolences to Bobbie and Family 🙏

SM

Sandy Mckinley December 27 at 7:14 AM

Barbara and Family, I pray you find comfort in our Lord.

VC

Vicky Chrisner posted:

OH NO! I am heartbroken to hear of Chef Harold's passing. I enjoyed seeing him at church, the farmers market and bowling. Wherever he was, he was always a blessing. The world was a better place because he was here. He didn't just feed hungry bodies with this scrumptious food, he fed hungry souls with this smile and warmth. Chef Harold will be missed dearly by hundreds of people, including my children and I. Our most sincere condolences to his wife, family and many, many friends. May God bring you comfort and peace.

December 26 at 4:22 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Harold by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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