



Eric Warren Whitlow

October 17, 1969 - September 27, 2019

Eric Warren Whitlow, 49, received his golden halo on September 27, 2019 due to a tragic accident. He was born on October 17, 1969 and was a 1987 graduate of Hermitage High School. His first job was as a machinist where he worked for approximately 15 years. He then married Janet Weymouth in October of 1994 and around that time also started his own business, Whitlow Tree Service. Eric and Janet were the proud parents of three sons and were active with them in many sports and scouting activities throughout the years. Eric's business grew and the couple moved their family to New Kent County, where they renamed the company Whitlow Landscaping and Design, along with adding another facet to the business, Blackwater Outdoors.

Eric was a man of God and was always there for those in need with a kind word, a smile, or a helping hand. He was an active member of Journey Christian Fellowship in New Kent. Eric was an amazing man, a caring son, a loving husband, a terrific father, a great brother and friend, but most importantly he was a true Christian. Eric, we can only imagine how you felt when you saw the Father's face.

Eric lost Janet in March of 2018. While he had his family and his church family, he was blessed to meet a lovely woman, Jennifer Hess Burrow, who became a very important part of his life.

Besides his beloved wife, Eric was also preceded in death by his father, Frank H. Whitlow. He is survived by his mother, Peggy Whitlow Bass; his mother-in-law, Katherine A. Weymouth; sons, Eric Shane, Jason Richard (Kelsi Peters),

and Thomas Allen; his brothers, G. Neal (Kim), Scott F., Tracy R. (Danielle), Keith H. (Jennie); sisters, Evelyn V. Whitlow, and Deborah Lumpkin (Jon); as well as many nieces, nephews, and numerous extended family members; along with his beloved four legged companions, Danners and Rosie.

A visitation will be held 10 AM to 2 PM, Saturday, October 12th at Vincent Funeral Home, 9923 Pocahontas Trail, Providence Forge, VA 23140. A Celebration of Life will be held 4 PM, Sunday, October 13th at Rockahock Campground, 1428 Outpost Rd., Lanexa, VA 23089.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Journey Christian Fellowship for the ARK Fund, PO Box 768, Quinton, VA 23141, <http://www.journeycf.org/>, but possibly the best way to honor Eric's memory would be to take a child to church or out hunting and fishing, as Eric would have done.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **12.** 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Vincent Funeral Home, Providence Forge Chapel
9923 Pocahontas Trail
Providence Forge, VA 23140
(804) 966-7075

Memorial Service

OCT **13.** 4:00 PM (ET)

Rockahock Campground
1428 Outpost Rd.
Lanexa, VA 23089

Tribute Wall

TT

“ Terry Tucker lit a candle in memory of Eric Warren Whitlow



terry tucker - November 10, 2022 at 10:03 PM

TT

really good family man down to earth i am shore your missed by many !!!,loved working with this man ,,,,was a really great boss to work for and to be around !fly high boss !

terry tucker - November 10, 2022 at 10:07 PM

TS

“ He was a good man true to his word..talked about taking the kids hunting. And how much he loved his late wife... I'm so grateful to had gotten the chance to talk with him and to be friends with him again since our teens.. God took a great man ..i just learned of his death this morning.. I'm so shocked..Sorry for your loss..

Tammy smith - January 05, 2020 at 02:24 PM

JH

“ Eric was definitely a true example of being Christ's hands and feet extended~ Such a great friend~

Jana Hicks - October 13, 2019 at 09:19 PM

SV

“ *Shane, we just heard about your father. Please know how sad we are for you. You and your brothers are close in our hearts and prayers. We are praying that God will continue to be with you in the days and months ahead.*

Susan & Robert Vick

Susan Vick - October 11, 2019 at 08:15 PM

RS

“ *Eric's death came as a shock. My deepest condolences to his family and friends. I didn't know him well, but enough to know that he was a great big man with a great big heart.
Rest in Peace.*

Ronald L Stilwell - October 10, 2019 at 03:34 PM

KH

“ *So sorry to hear that Eric passed away. I have a lot of good memories of fishing with Eric, his dad, and the rest of his family.
Peace my friend*

Keith N Hurley - October 07, 2019 at 09:15 PM

SD

“ *A great man, father, family man and Christian. My thoughts and prayers are with the family. We will all miss Eric. Our loss is Heaven's gain.*

SELDEN DENTON - October 06, 2019 at 05:39 PM

WE

“ R.I.P Eric.. Sending healing prayers to his sons, family and friends. Good guy with a big ❤️ !!



Wendy - October 05, 2019 at 10:27 AM

LM

“ Eric my heart hurts knowing I have not had the time to see y'all and the family time just passes so fast and we never know when the good lord will come to us last time I saw you was at uncle franks viewing I don't know if I can get down but my thoughts are with the boys and the rest of the family.we grew up together and we're close had a lot of fun going camping. Your love for Janet and family was so truth and beautiful you well be missed by many love y'all always



Lynn Carle Massini - October 04, 2019 at 08:29 PM

ET

Did not get to know you..but my prayers and thoughts are with your family..as your sister Evelyn is my dear friend. God Speed. Evelyn

Evelyn Taylor - October 08, 2019 at 08:06 PM

LD

Wow! There are just no words to express the immense loss and hole that is left in the lives of so many with your passing. You are loved and will be missed every day. My heart and prayers are with all those you and Janet left behind, but my heart sings with the thought that the two of you are together again. RIP in each others arms.

Lloydette Diggs - October 11, 2019 at 08:41 AM

MG

“ A real man and true salt of the earth.

Mark Gardner - October 04, 2019 at 07:35 PM

NW

“ I knew Eric only through the wonderful stories my beautiful friend, Jenny Burrows, told me. I knew he was funny and loving. I knew he was a great fisherman and outdoorsman. I know he was a great father and that he was kind and gentle. I know Jenny loved him, and I am so sorry I will not get to meet him. My heart is pouting out to his sons, Jenny, all his family and church family. Rest in Power Eric Whitlow!

Natalie White - October 04, 2019 at 05:38 PM

AC

“ To the Whitlow sons, former students of mine, my heart is so heavy for all of you! I wish I could give you all a big hug! But unfortunately I will be out of town on business the days of the services. I remember so well your Dad's expert removal of a huge Loblolly pine “too close” to our house and leaning towards it!! Your family will be in my prayers for a long time to come!

Alice Cook - October 04, 2019 at 03:34 PM

BC

“ Eric was so proud of his sons and he loved them dearly. I remember him calling me some mornings and ask me to go bang on Thomas's camper and tell him to get to school, he was going to make sure his youngest was going to graduate and he did. You will be so missed Eric and the it has been an honor to know you.

Betty Cauthorne - October 04, 2019 at 02:42 PM

BA

“ *To Eric's family and friends, May you feel God's presence as you have never felt it before.*

Brian Aylor

Brian Aylor - October 04, 2019 at 01:48 PM