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Larry Eugene Fann

Aug. 2, 1947 - March 14, 2023

Larry Eugene Fann, 75, of Morganton, NC, passed away Tuesday, March 14, 2023 after a long battle with leukemia.

Born in Alamance County, NC on August 2, 1947, he was the son of the late Johnny Thilmer Fann and Ruby Lowe Fann. Larry had a life-long, successful career as a textile salesman. He also owned Bio Star Chemicals. Mr. Fann enjoyed playing golf, traveling to the beach, and NASCAR.

Larry is survived by his soulmate, Jo Ann Houk; sons, Bobby E. Fann , Chad Fann, and Michael A. Fann; son for life, Steve Houk; four grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and brother, Rev. Bobby F. Fann.

The cryptside service will be held at 2 p.m., Monday, March 20, 2023 at Burke Memorial Park Mausoleum with Pastor Mike Whisnant officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Sossoman Funeral Home and Crematory Center is assisting the family with the

arrangements.

Tribute Wall

This is belated condolences for My friend Larry Fann.we worked together at Virkler for 16 years. Larry and I were the majority of virkler sales. Larry was one of the best sales person ever. He was organized,and stayed in touch with his customers every week. His customers and associates loved Larry.. he will be missed by many.. Rest in peace my friend.

–Bob McGuffey



Larry thank you for so many wonderful memories!!! I will never forget you!!! My prayers go out to Bobby, Mike and Chad. Love Always, Dinka

–Diana Barricks



Your family will be in our continued prayers. I will miss Larry as a neighbor and a friend.

–Scotty Chapman

We have known Larry since the 80s when he moved in next door to our family. He was a kind and generous man and you couldn't ask for a better neighbor. Over the years Larry & Fred developed a special relationship as Fred began to work with Larry. We will miss him dearly. Thoughts and prayers to his 3 sons and their

families...

–The Chapman Family



I worked with Larry at Wamsutta Mills (in the olden days). He invited me to a couple cookouts at his house. Good guy!

–Tony Nichols

You may no longer be with us, but you will never be forgotten my brother. Thoughts and prayers to Bobby, Mike and Chad Take care.

–David & Reva Martin



Larry was my friend for many years. We met when both of us worked at Wamsutta Mills in the early 70's. He was such a caring and kind man. Always looking for an adventure and loved to travel. He loved going to NASCAR races and always wanted his friends to travel with him. I have so many wonderful memories of being with him and Joanne. He will be missed by many. I will see him again someday. Praying for Joanne, Steve and his sons.

–Betty Pendergrass



–Chris Fann & Family



My sincere condolences to Larry's family. I worked with Larry for over 16 years at Virkler. Larry was a dear friend and the best salesman I have ever met. He was a hard worker and his customers loved Larry. Rest in Peace my dear friend. Bob McGuffey

–Bob McGuffey



He will be missed but not forgotten always a good guy to me

–Eddie Godfrey

We found out today about Larry’s passing. I’ve known Larry since at least 1985. Done business with him for many years. Prayers for you all. He will be missed.

–Allen Whisnant

I only knew Larry for a year or so and we lost touch after that. What I remember most about Larry was his sweet nature and his warm smile. He was such a gentleman and I know he will be greatly missed by his family. my thoughts and prayers are will all those who knew and loved him.

–Melissa Meyer

I have known Larry for many years - always such a nice fellow! Thoughts and prayers for JoAnn, Steve and Larry's sons.

–LAURA McCOY



Larry was a wonderful man, very loving to his family and friends. He was the most generous soul. So glad he is out of pain now and with his friends who have passed before him. Prayers fior his family, Jo Ann and Steve and all his friends. He will be missed terribly by all who loved him. . .

—Kathy Frazier