



Richard E. Hale

October 15, 1929 - March 2, 2019

HALE, Richard E., age 89, of Lebanon, passed away Sat. March 2, 2019 at Hillspring of Springboro.

Richard was a Korean Conflict Army veteran and retired from NCR after 26 years of work. He also worked 20 years at the Warren County Career Center.

He was preceded in death by his parents Virgle and Dorothy Ehrling Hale, step-mother Virginia Hale, sisters Ethel Wells Griffis and Janet Kirby Baker. He is survived by two sisters Ruth (Harold) McCall and Virginia Cox; three brothers Virgil (Tambra) Hale, Howard (Sandra) Hale, and James (Carol) Hale; and many nieces and nephews.

Richard enjoyed eating at Country Kitchen in Lebanon at least twice a day – sometimes three. He was the second customer at their opening in 1972 and continued to patronize them daily until the summer of 2016. He enjoyed chatting with and monitoring the waitresses as they performed their duties. He would tell you that he'd trained many.

He loved watching sports and was a Nascar fan. To while away the hours, you could find him looking at new automobiles at the local car dealerships. His refrigerator was used mostly for his all-time favorite snack of milk and gingersnap cookies. Richard's personal motto was this: A bachelor is a rolling stone who gathers no boss.

A memorial service will be held this coming spring at Stubbs-Conner Funeral Home in Waynesville (details to come). Burial will be at Edwardsville Cemetery in Harlan Township. Condolences at www.stubbsconner.com.

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Douglas Combs - March 09 at 01:52 PM



“ Bubba Myre lit a candle in memory of Richard E. Hale



Bubba Myre - March 06 at 09:01 PM



“ I am sure I have seen Richard at Country Kitchen as we usually eat there every Sunday. Once when a man seated at the counter with a veterans hat on was being harassed by another man at the counter.there was a ruckus and every employee was on the side of the veteran. It might have been Richard. Didn't realize he was a Hale. Wish I had known him. Virginia Hale was my first husband, Bob Clark's aunt.

Linda Fox - March 07 at 10:30 AM