

David Meador

May 30, 1941 – October 6 1999

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DAVID R. MEADOR

David R. Meador, 58, of Harrisville, WV, formerly of Hinton, died Wednesday, Oct. 6, 1999, in a Morgantown hospital.

Born May 30, 1941, at Hinton, he was the son of the late George A. and Juanita Shirey Meador.

Mr. Meador was a graduate of Hinton High School and Concord College with a BS in science, English and K-12 in multi-studies.

While a student he received a Blue Key Award and was editor of his college yearbook. He earned a master's degree from Marshall University and did graduate work at WVU, COGS, and VPI. His career included teaching in Hampton, VA, and Ritchie County.

Mr. Meador was a principal, assistant superintendent and superintendent in Ritchie County schools and was a former WVU County Extension Agent in Ritchie County.

He was a U. S. Air Force Vietnam conflict veteran, where he was an intelligence specialist in Udorn, Thailand.

He was a member of the Harrisville Baptist Church, where he was a deacon, trustee, Sunday School teacher for the Cannon class, and choir member.

Mr. Meador was a lifetime member of the PTA and was the last president of Kanna Sigma Kappa Fraternity and the first president of the Theta Xi Fraternity, Harrisville Chapter No. 29 Order of Eastern Star, Harrisville Lodge No 98 AF and AM, Scottish Rites of Parkersburg, Masonic Fraternity and had been on many State Committees on Superintency. He was also an Appomattox instructor for canoeing and swimming in Virginia.

He was preceded in death by an infant child.

Survivors include his wife of 34 years, Toni Kay Wayne Meador; a daughter, Lisa Ann Meador Ervine and husband, Leigh, of Martinsburg; two brothers, Richard L. Meador and wife, Mildred, of Jumping Branch, and George W. "Bill" Meador and wife, Janice, of Covington, VA.; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Saturday, October 9th, at the Harrisville Baptist Church, with Pastor Robert Perine officiating. Burial followed in the Harrisville IOOF Cemetery.