



Victor Leslie Dawson

February 10, 1937 - December 31, 2020

Victor L. Dawson, 83 MAGNOLIA — Victor L. Dawson passed away Thursday, December 31, 2020 at KGH Bay Health Dover. He was born on February 10, 1937 in Bermuda to the late Leslie and Minnie Dawson. He was a Merchant Marine seaman and traveled over the world in his younger years. He met the love of his life Nelly Gray Dawson and was committed to her for 27 years. He worked at the Blue Hen Mall for 25 years. He was preceded in death by his wife, Nelly; and a step son, Charles Felty. He is survived by step daughter and husband, Deborah and Clarence Vigil of Orlando, Fla.; stepdaughter and husband, Tammy and Melvin St. Clair of Woodside, Del.; grandchildren, Anthony and his wife Sherri Garner and KiKi L. Singleton and her fiance Will; greatgrandchildren, Ashton and his wife Victoria Garner, Zaden Garner, and Raevyn Horton. Graveside service and burial will be at the Odd Fellows Cemetery on Thursday, Jan. 7, 2021 at 1p.m. Family and friends may do a walk through greeting also Thursday from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Trader Funeral Home, 12 Lotus Street, Dover. The family request that memorial contributions be given to help in the funeral expenses. Letters of condolences may be sent to www.traderfh.com

Cemetery

Odd Fellows Cemetery

Camden, DE,

Comments



“ Anthony Garner lit a candle in memory of Victor Leslie Dawson



Anthony Garner - January 07 at 08:34 AM



“ Grandpa Vic will always be remembered for his humor, determination, empathy and faith. He was always wanting to joke and make those around him smile. He loved having the ability to start a little mischief. We knew it was in fun. He never forgot his "mates" or "buddy's" special moments, birthdays or family anniversaries. He picked the phone to call to say a quick hello and wish a good time on the special day. He kept up on family events. I wish I could hear his voice right now. And that laugh... He was interested in the boys activities and asked about them all the time. One time when we flew him down to Florida he got to see Zayden ride his horse. He fell off during a jump. Grandpa told him don't give up mate get back on that horse and he did. Once he got home, he always asked if he was still riding horses. I told him yes. He rode horses up until this year. We are glad we had him for a couple of Christmas and his birthdays. We also had many great memories of walking on the pier with him in Rehobeth. He and Anthony had to get those Boardwalk fries they could eat the large size and then turn around and have grandpa's favorite vanilla ice cream cone. He didn't let things stop him from doing what he wanted and was grateful for everyone who helped him. He touched so many people with his smile and love. For all those who had the opportunity to be in his life know how special he was and will always be to all of us. I love you grandpa! We all love you!

Forever,

Sherri, Anthony, Ashtin, Zayden and Victoria



Anthony Garner - January 06 at 07:21 PM



“ Vic and mom always loved to visit all of us in Florida. He loved NASCAR. Here is a memory when he went to the NASCAR museum in Daytona.



Deb Vigil - January 06 at 10:56 AM



“ Uncle Vic will truly be missed. He had such a sweet and kind soul. He, along with Aunt Nelly, will always hold a special place in our heart.
Love you, Judy, Bria and Christopher Culleney



Judith Culleney - January 05 at 06:41 PM