



## Mr. Thomas Howard Grape

May 30, 1952 - March 21, 2011

Mr. Thomas Howard Grape, 58, of Fletcher died unexpectedly Monday, March 21, 2011 at Park Ridge Hospital. A native of Rochester, NY he was son of the late Arnold George and Shirley Smith Grape.

Mr. Grape was a veteran of the US Navy. It was while stationed on the USS Okinawa in the Philippines he met his wife, Victoria Molina. He earned his associates degree in Industrial Engineering from AB Tech. During his career, he worked as a technician at Magnavox in Arden, NC and Greeneville, TN, Atlus Precision in Arden and at Braiform in Arden. He was a member of the Lutheran Church of the Nativity.

He enjoyed photography, taking trips with his wife to visit family in the Philippines and spending time with his granddaughter, Jayna.

His survivors include his wife of 34 years, Victoria Molina Grape; son, Hajji Grape of Asheville; brother, Ted H. Grape of Black Mountain; sisters, Sue Jacklin of Weaverville and Sally Willard of Dacula, GA and granddaughter, Jayna Marie Grape.

A celebration of life will be held 2:00 PM, Saturday, March 26, 2011 at Lutheran Church of the Nativity, 2425 Hendersonville Road with The Rev. Ernest W. Ridenhour officiating. The family will receive friends following the

service. Interment will follow the reception at Calvary Episcopal Churchyard.

In lieu of flowers, the family request memorials be made to your local Lions Club Chapter.

Morris Funeral Home and Cremation Service, 304 Merrimon Avenue is assisting the family. Condolences may be sent through the website [www.morrisfamilyfuneralhome.com](http://www.morrisfamilyfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Calvary Episcopal Churchyard

2840 Hendersonville Road  
Fletcher, NC 28732

# Previous Events

## Service

MAR 26. 2:00 PM (ET)

Lutheran Church of the Nativity  
2425 Hendersonville Road  
Arden, NC 28704  
<http://www.nativity.ws/>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Thomas Howard Grape*

October 07, 2023 at 11:15 AM



“ *I hold fond memories of Tom past and present.....Thank you for contributing your family to this world. My mothr, Ruth, adored Hadjji and Vicki, as wellas Tom! My heart goes out to all who will be suffering your loss. A candle is lit in Spokane for you! Margo*

**margo m caldwell** - March 26, 2011 at 07:53 PM



“ *One of My best friends ever at TCR. Thomas from Tommy you will be missed. Keep looking down on me and I will make you smile my friend.*

**Tommy Powers** - March 26, 2011 at 10:14 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the family; Tom was always a good neighbor and his presence will be missed.*

*Nancy and Tom Eggers*



**Nancy A. Eggers** - March 26, 2011 at 08:15 AM

ML

“ I knew Thomas, through his son Hajji. He's always been a great guy and a great father. Heaven's gain is our loss.

*Matthew Levchuk*



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**Matthew Levchuk** - March 24, 2011 at 08:12 PM

VH

“ I worked with Thomas for many years at Phillips. He was a great man and will be sorely missed by all. Due to recent surgery, I am unable to attend the services but I am there in thought and prayer. I always enjoyed the time I spent with him, he was a pleasure to work with. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

*Victor and Shirley Hensley  
Leicester, NC*

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**Victor Joe Hensley** - March 24, 2011 at 07:38 AM

 Benny  
Evans

“ Lit a candle in memory of Mr. Thomas Grape .  
For  
Juan, Noe, Gonzalo, Benny Irma, Santos



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**Benny Evans** - March 23, 2011 at 08:36 PM

CS

“ Charles & Jennifer Sutton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Thomas Howard Grape



Charles & Jennifer Sutton - March 23, 2011 at 08:07 PM

CS

Tom you will be greatly missed by many.

Charles & Jennifer Sutton - March 23, 2011 at 08:09 PM

KW

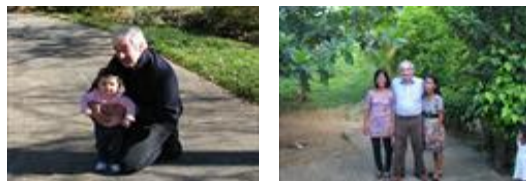
“ Kathy Griswold Woods lit a candle in memory of Mr. Thomas Howard Grape



Kathy Griswold Woods - March 23, 2011 at 05:37 PM

Hajji Grape

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Hajji Grape - March 23, 2011 at 04:28 PM

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**Hajji Grape** - March 23, 2011 at 04:22 PM

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**Hajji Grape** - March 23, 2011 at 04:21 PM

JV

“ *Jessica Viatoro lit a candle in memory of Mr. Thomas Howard Grape*



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**Jessica Viatoro** - March 23, 2011 at 01:05 PM

SS

“ *Victoria and Hajji,*

*You might not remember us but you were our next door neighbors on Sand Hill Rd in West Asheville several years ago. Tom was a good man and you were good neighbors...our thoughts and prayers are with you during this most difficult time. Scott and Betty Spencer*

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**Scott K. Spencer** - March 23, 2011 at 01:00 PM

GG

“ Haiji:

*Please accept our deepest sympathy. We know the loss of your Dad is difficult to deal with. We wish you and your family peace in the days ahead.*

*The Garner Family*

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**Gary & Jan Garner** - March 23, 2011 at 10:59 AM

TP

“ *We were saddened to hear of your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this difficult time.*

*The Ladies of Kmart Pharmacy*

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**Teri Prestridge** - March 23, 2011 at 10:04 AM