



Richard Carl Hootman

June 14, 1947 - July 27, 2025

Richard Carl Hootman, 78, passed away peacefully at home in Jeromesville, Ohio on Sunday, July 27, 2025. Richard was born on June 14, 1947 to Mary Hootman (Geitgey) and Howard Carl Hootman in Bucyrus, Ohio. He attended Westerville High School graduating in the class of 1965, and he joined the Ohio National Guard after high school. Richard (“Barber Dick”) went on to own The Worthington Barber Shop in 1975. Over the course of 40 years he made many friends and colleagues.

Richard was a member of New England Lodge #4, Worthington Shrine Club and he was a former Sharon Township Trustee. Richard is preceded in death by his parents, Howard and Mary Hootman, sisters Joyce Althausen and Nancy Merrick, brother Jack Hootman and his son, Chad Christopher Hootman.

Richard is survived by his loving wife of 49 years, Sandra Hootman (Knoebel), son Jeffery Carl Hootman (Jennifer) of Worthington, Lisa Kay Smith (Dill) of Jeromesville, Ohio. Grandchildren Cody Hootman (Rachel), Bailey Marcum (Alex), Troy Hootman and Abigail Smith. Great-granddaughters Emilia Rose Marcum and Emmy Ann Hootman.

Our family will be forever grateful for the love, support and kindness shown. The family will receive friends from 11:00 am - 1:30 pm on Thursday, August 7, 2025 at Rutherford-Corbin Funeral Home, 515 High Street, Worthington, Ohio 43085. Memorial service will begin at 1:30 pm. Private family burial at Walnut Grove Cemetery following the service.

In lieu of flowers, please donate to your choice of charity or the following:

Pathways Hospice Ashland

41 Briggs Dr, Unit 31

Ontario, OH 44906

National Kidney Foundation of Ohio

Northern Ohio

P.O. Box 40555

Bay Village, Ohio 44140

Previous Events

Viisitation

AUG 7. 11:00 AM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Rutherford Corbin Funeral Home
515 High Street
Worthington, OH 43085

Memorial Service

AUG 7. 1:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Condolences to Sandy and all of Dicks family members. We just heard of his passing. My family was acquainted with Dick for many years. I especially had a long history with him since we both attended Westerville High School. After graduation I had a daily visit from him at the Worthington Savings Bank where he stopped to make deposits from his barber shop. Also many visits for hair cuts for my son and then later hair cuts with my grandchildren. He was a great person and I regret missing his memorial. Again I send my condolences to Sandy and all of Ducks family.
Pete and Linda Noble & family

Linda Noble - August 22, 2025 at 10:46 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Richard Carl Hootman.



August 06, 2025 at 08:36 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Richard Carl Hootman.

August 06, 2025 at 08:36 AM

DJ

“ Don and Janet purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Richard Carl Hootman.



Don and Janet - August 05, 2025 at 10:33 PM

DJ

“ Don and Janet planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Richard Carl Hootman.

Don and Janet - August 05, 2025 at 10:33 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Richard Carl Hootman.



August 05, 2025 at 05:15 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Richard Carl Hootman.

August 05, 2025 at 05:15 PM

HS

“ Dear Sandy and family, I am so sorry for your loss! Sending you all good thoughts. Hedda Stewart

Hedda Stewart - August 04, 2025 at 04:10 PM

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“ *Local 2507 purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Richard Carl Hootman.*



Local 2507 - August 04, 2025 at 10:38 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Richard Carl Hootman.*



August 04, 2025 at 08:24 AM

MS

“ *Marla S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Richard Carl Hootman.*

Marla S. - July 31, 2025 at 10:01 AM