



Roy Edward Bolick

March 21, 1935 - February 24, 2026

Roy Edward Bolick, age 90, of Taylorsville, went to the Lord on February 24th, 2026 while at his residence after a brief illness. Roy was born on March 21st, 1935, in Alexander County, to the late Ray Bolick and wife Sallie Bolick. Roy was a member of the Friendship Lutheran Church and a proud Marine veteran. He always said, "Once a Marine, always a Marine." He served from 1952 to 1955 and fought in the Korean war. He was an avid golfer and loved yard work. He worked in the furniture industry all his life and worked his way up to becoming manager before his retirement.

In addition to his parents, Roy is preceded in death by his brother Charles Bolick, and his two sisters Ruby Sipe and Hazel Mitchell.

Roy is survived by his wife Reba Bolick of the home, his daughters Dawn Shoebridge and husband Todd, and Jill Kerley and husband Jeff, his step-children Wendy Cline and husband Tommy, and Wesley St. Clair, his grandchildren Drew Allison and wife Rachel, Heatherlyn Flanagan, Adam Shoebridge and wife Ellery, Devin Allison and wife Leah, Jacob Kerley and wife Jess, Jodi Farley and husband Kerigan, Bryson Cline, and Payton Cline, his great grandchildren, Connor Flanagan, Krew Allison, Marigold, and Marlowe Shoebridge, Malcolm Kerley, and KJ and Paxton Farley, and special family members Marcia and Guy Schlizwenz and sons Eliot and Alden.

A celebration of life will be conducted at Friendship Lutheran Church , on Sunday March 1st, 2026 , at 3 p.m.. A visitation will be held an hour prior to the service, with the family receiving friends in the family life center.

Memorials may be given to Alexander Hospice, Address: 50 Lucy Echerd Ln,
Taylorsville, NC 28681, Telephone: (828) 632-5026

Chapman Funeral Home is proudly serving the Bolick family.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 1. 2:00 PM (ET)

Friendship Lutheran Church
5300 Church Rd
Taylorsville, NC 28681
<https://www.friendshiptaylorsville.org/>

Celebration of life

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Tribute Wall

SM

“ Roy was a genuine good and friendly man. I enjoyed getting to know him at Friendship Lutheran Church. (Stephen Moore)

stephen moore - March 05 at 06:01 PM

LH

“ Luana & Blake Hassan purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Roy Edward Bolick.



Luana & Blake Hassan - February 28 at 07:32 AM

TR

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your family during this time. John Arney and Tanya Russell, Edward Jones Granite Falls

Tanya Russell - February 25 at 09:56 AM

LC

“ Always loved your Dad, He was an amazing guy! Prayers and Hugs to all the Family!

Lisa Crump - February 24 at 09:54 PM