



Walter Craven

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Walter Pharr Craven, 92, of Huntersville, died January 6, 2026 at his home. He was born on June 12, 1933 in Catawba County.

Walter served in the US Navy during the Korean War and married Peggy Mayes right off the ship. Their courtship was primarily by mail during his time at sea. While Walter & Peggy never had children of their own, they invested greatly into the lives of many young people and families. Walter was known for his faith, integrity, and handy-man abilities. He served in many capacities at Ramah Presbyterian Church. One of his favorite events to participate in was the Christmas Cantata, Christmas in the Country, and any event that included food and socializing!

Survivors include multiple nieces and nephews; great nieces and nephews, and even 2 great-great nieces!!

His wife Peggy Mayes Craven preceded him in death. Memorials may be made to Ramah Presbyterian Church.

A funeral service will be held at 3PM Wednesday, January 14 at Ramah Presbyterian Church with burial following in the church cemetery. Visitation will be 2:30-3:00 prior in the sanctuary.

James Funeral Home of Huntersville is serving the family.



Events


Walter Craven

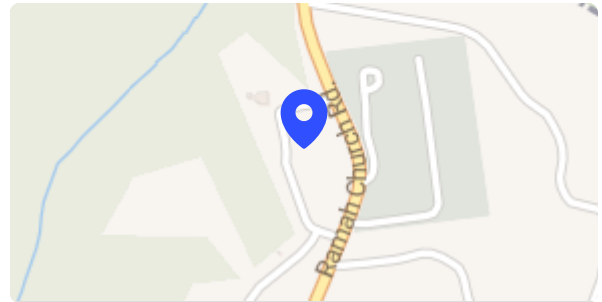
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Visitation

 **Wednesday**, January 14, 2026


 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM ET


 **Ramah Presbyterian Church**
14401 Ramah Church Road, Huntersville NC
28078

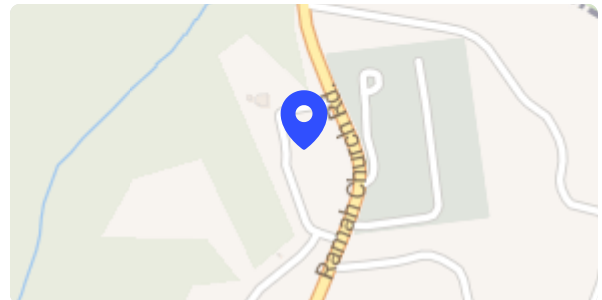


Funeral Service


 **Wednesday**, January 14, 2026

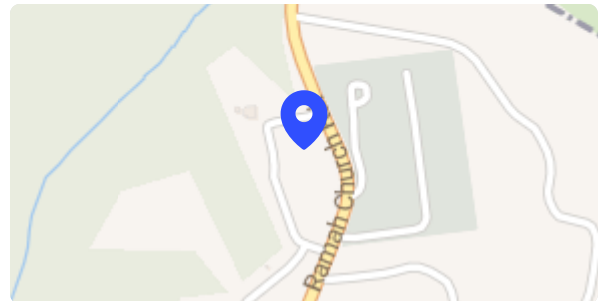
 3:00 PM ET

 **Ramah Presbyterian Church**
14401 Ramah Church Road, Huntersville NC
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Cemetery Details

 **Ramah Presbyterian Church Cemetery**
14461 Ramah Presbyterian Church Road,
Huntersville NC 28078





Tribute Wall

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Rosemary Helms shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.



Walter and Peggy's home was always open to all of us growing up at Ramah. The love they had for each other provided an environment of love and joy that was shared with us. It was the gathering place for afternoons at the pool or just conversation around the kitchen table. I could always count on their wise counsel when life was confusing. This close friendship followed me into adulthood. The love and support I had enjoyed was also shown to my young family. I will always be grateful for their friendship, kindness, and love. They are surely together again resting in the arms of Jesus. Rosemary Helms

January 13 at 12:04 AM



Cynthia Lindsay posted:

Walter and Peggy deeply impacted many youth at Ramah, offering compassion and support that made everyone feel welcome. Their kindness and guidance shaped our values and decisions, and their legacy endures through the lessons they taught us about love, generosity, and community. We will always cherish their memory and the influence they had on our lives. Rest in peace. Cindy Lindsay

January 12 at 9:33 AM



Cynthia B. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Walter.



January 12 at 9:30 AM



Steve B. planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Walter.



January 9 at 7:31 AM



Media

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Walter by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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