



Charles L. Hodge III, of Lunenburg

September 8, 1933 - January 30, 2025

LUNENBURG: Charles L. Hodge III, 91, a Lunenburg resident of over 60 years, died Thursday, January 30, 2025 at The Highlands, Fitchburg.

His wife, Alice (Murray) Hodge, died in June 2019.

Mr. Hodge was born in Fitchburg, September 8, 1933, a son of Charles L. and Etta M. (Grimley) Hodge and attended St. Bernard's Elementary School.

For the last forty years Mr. Hodge, along with his son Joseph, owned and operated Ayer Auto Parts in Ayer, officially retiring in 2013. He was an avid skier and enjoyed driving his Ford Model A. He was a communicant of St. Boniface Church in Lunenburg. He served his country for two years in the United States Army.

He leaves three sons, Michael C. Hodge of Coldwater, Michigan, Timothy J. Hodge of Maynard, Joseph P. Hodge and his wife, Kerry, of Lunenburg; nine grandchildren, Kelly Wolfe, Allison Farrow, Erin Hodge, Miles Hodge, Katie Hodge, Sean Hodge, Adriana Norton, Cole Hayes and Liam Boyce; five great grandchildren, Riley Miller, McKenna Wolfe, Etta Mae Norton, Joshua and Evelyn Farrow.

Mr. Hodge's family will receive relatives and friends at calling hours 4-7 PM

Wednesday, February 5, 2025 at the Anderson Funeral Home, 25 Fitchburg Road, (Rte. 2A) Ayer. www.andersonfuneral.com.

His funeral Mass will be celebrated 10 AM Thursday, February 6, 2025 at St. Boniface Church, 817 Massachusetts Avenue, Lunenburg.

Interment with military honors will follow at Woodside Cemetery, Westminster.

Memorial contributions may be made to Clear Path for Veterans New England, PO Box 2073, Devens, MA 01434.

Cemetery Details

Woodside Cemetery

9 Narrows Road
Westminster, MA 01473

Previous Events

Calling Hours

FEB 5. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Anderson Funeral Home - Ayer
25 Fitchburg Road ~ Route 2A
Ayer, MA 01432
(978) 772-2355

Funeral Mass

FEB 6. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Boniface Church
Mass Ave
Lunenburg, MA

Tribute Wall

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“ 1 file added to the album Charles L. Hodge III.



Anderson funeral home - February 07, 2025 at 10:35 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Charles L. Hodge III, of Lunenburg.



February 05, 2025 at 08:11 AM

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“ Groton Family Dentistry purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Charles L. Hodge III, of Lunenburg.



Groton Family Dentistry - February 04, 2025 at 02:17 PM

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“ Groton Family Dentistry planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charles L. Hodge III, of Lunenburg.

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“ *Sending condolences and heartfelt sympathy to Tim and family from Andy and Melissa Farrow.* ”

Melissa P. Farrow - January 31, 2025 at 06:50 PM