Kenneth James Weaver

Kenneth James Weaver, 91, passed away on Tuesday, July 19, 2022, at VMRC's Brunk House, where he was a resident.

Mr. Weaver was born on July 5, 1931, in Lancaster, Pa., to the late Martin Lloyd and Sara Stoner Oberholtzer Weaver, Sr. He graduated from EMC (now EMU) and Goshen Biblical Seminary.

Mr. Weaver spent his life working 66 years for the church, mostly in media, telling the Good News to all the world. He started at Mennonite Broadcast in 1953 and worked with Home Bible Studies and Heart to Heart program for 10 years. He then worked for the Mennonite Board of Missions for 35 years as director of Mennonite Media (now MennoMedia). He finished out his employed years at Virginia Mennonite Conference, working as an administrative associate.

During the years when he was employed, Mr. Weaver was also involved in many Mennonite Church institutions (serving on many boards and committees), including: Eastern Mennonite University and Seminary, Mennonite Board of Education, Virginia Mennonite Conference, Virginia Mennonite Retirement Community, various US and worldwide church media organizations, Brethren-Mennonite Heritage Center (where he worked to restore the historic Brenneman-Turner Mill), and Harrisonburg Mennonite Church (where he served in many capacities, including chair of the building committee and church historian).

On June 11, 1953, he married June Marie Collins Weaver, who preceded him in death on August 2, 2013.

In addition to his wife and parents, Mr. Weaver was preceded in death by his siblings, Sara Jane Wenger and Martin Lloyd Weaver Jr.

Special thanks to: Carefree Home Health, VMRC Crestwood's Walnut neighborhood & Woodland Park's Brunk House for the wonderful care shown to Ken & family over the last three years, especially during the last two COVID-filled years.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to VMRC's Compassion Fund at 1491 Virginia Avenue, Harrisonburg, VA 22802, or to Harrisonburg Mennonite Church's building debt reduction fund or children's ministry fund at 1552 S. High Street, Harrisonburg, VA 22801.

Celebration of Life Kenneth James Weaver July 5, 1931—July 19, 2022



Saturday, August 13, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. Harrisonburg Mennonite Church

Order of Service

Family

Ron Collins

Children: Carol W. Eberly (Wendell) **Prelude** Slideshow

James R. Weaver (Susan) William R. Weaver (Dawn) **Processional** When Peace Like a River Tara Davis Don E. Weaver (Pam)

Welcome & Prayer Pastor Craig Maven **Brothers:** Sam Weaver

Ron David (Susan) VT #435 Blessed Assurance Tara Davis

Sisters-in-law: Sarah Weaver **Sharing**

Betty Lou Collins Sam Weaver. Brother

Melodie Davis, co-worker at MennoMedia Brothers-in-law: Don Showalter Don Weaver, Son

Cynthia Morris, Granddaughter

Grandchildren: Cynthia Morris (Matt) **VT #419** *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* Tara Davis

Jennifer Freed (Tim) Brian Weaver (Stephanie)

Katie Howdyshell (Josh) Kara Ebersole (Drew) Pastor Craig Maven Julie Landis (Kendall)

Benjamin Weaver (Alissa) VT #340 Lift Your Glad Voices Tara Davis Rachel Weaver

Great Grandchildren: Brooke & Blake Morris. **Blessing & Closing Prayer** Pastor Craig Maven

Elizabeth, Isaiah & Grace Freed,

Trinity Brennan, Alysha & Wyatt Howdyshell, Tara Davis **Recessional** *I Am the Bread of Life*

Haverlee & Sutton Ebersole, Jackson & Braxton Landis **Postlude** Slideshow

The family wishes to thank everyone for the many prayers and expressions of love at this time. All are welcome to greet the family in the East Foyer after the service.

Scripture 1 Peter 4:7-10

Meditation

