



Capt. Thomas J. Anderson

January 27, 2008

Conway.....Capt. Thomas J. "Tom" Anderson, U.S. Army Ret., age 69, died Sunday, January 27, 2008 at the Medical University of South Carolina. Mr. Anderson was born Conway, a son of the late Thomas Jefferson and Annie Belle Lee Anderson. He was a member of First Baptist Church and the Angler Sunday School Class. Mr. Anderson was a 1957 graduate of Myrtle Beach High School and was a graduate of the University of Nebraska - Omaha. He retired from the U.S. Army in 1976 where he served during the Vietnam War. Mr. Anderson was a former member of the Conway Lions Club where he served as treasurer for 17 years and was Lion of the Year two times. He also retired from the Horry County Assessor's Office in 2002. Mr. Anderson was a member of the Association for Retarded Citizens where he served as treasurer for 14 years. He was a member of the American Red Cross, American Legion, Horry Post # 11, the Vietnam Veterans Association, Chapter 925 and the DAV, Grand Strand Chapter # 30. He was predeceased by one sister, Beverly Ann Housand. Surviving are his wife, Peggy Cooke Anderson of Conway, one son, Thomas J. "Tom" Anderson II and his wife, April of Conway, two grandchildren, Caroline Rembrett Anderson and Thomas J. Anderson III, one brother, Billy Jefferson Anderson of Baltimore, MD, one niece, Pam Shepp of Mt. Pleasant, SC, one nephew, James H. "Jimmy" Housand of Conway, one brother-in-law, Heyward Housand of Garden City, SC, one great nephew, Chris M. Shepp of Mt. Pleasant, SC. Funeral services will be held at 3:00 PM Tuesday at First Baptist Church with Dr. Robert W.

Guffey and Rev. Mack Hutson officiating. Burial will follow in High Point Baptist Church Cemetery directed by Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel. Memorials may be sent to First Baptist Church Activities Building Program, 603 Elm Street, Conway, SC 29526. Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ Hi Peggy, Tom was more than my commanding officer in the 501st MP Co in Ansbach, you and he were my friends. I am sorry to hear that he has passed away, I hope the the Dulcimer that I made for the family gave many of hours of pleasure for the family, PS I was Toms driver while you were in Ansbach.

Larry McPheeters
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Larry McPheeters - October 09, 2021 at 10:31 AM



“ Peggy, I am so sorry to hear of Tom's death, just read about it in the Carolina Forest paper. I certainly would have been there for you and I am here now. You and Tom are in my thoughts and prayers.Remember I love you, you have always been a very dear friend ever tho we don't see each other often.Please let's get together. love,Lenetta###imported-begin###lenetta###imported-end##

February 06, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Peggy, I'm so sorry to learn of your loss. God bless you and your family. I'll keep you in my prayers.###imported-begin##Peggy Chestnut###imported-end##

January 30, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ To Peggy and Tom and the Anderson family: Cpt Anderson was a wonderful person to those in the 558th MP company at Kriegsfeld Depot in Germany. Tom along with 1st SGT Murray always had the soldiers best interests at heart. Those two guys may have seemed like a bulldog and a strict commander but they were gentle souls inside. I was fortunate to have known both of you, Peggy and Tom, at the Officers Club in Weierhof and as a clerk at the 619th. I am so pleased that we were able to be in contact after 40 years; I could visit with Tom on the phone talking about the reunion planned in April of 2008. Life is a mysterious circle and now 40 years later many of Tom's friends from Germany are thinking about him now and you, Peggy, and son Tom who was born in Germany. I assure you that CPT Anderson is still remembered as fondly now as he was 40 years ago. Sincerely, David Holroyd###imported-begin###David Holroyd###imported-end##

January 30, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Mrs. Anderson & Family, Your husband was a kind and loving gentleman. I knew him for just the last couple of years but he always had a warm smile and friendly disposition and truly loved Conway and her people. Please know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult period. Sincerely, Karen & John Horton###imported-begin###John Horton###imported-end##

January 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Tom, you have been a good friend and will be a good friend forever. I'll miss your stories, your words of wisdom and not to forget the advice on thanking God and to appreciate what he gives you. To us at the DAV he was a brother and now we have a link missing in our circle that will be hard to fill. May the Lord take Tom under his wing to his home of everlasting life that he has planned for us so that one day we can all be reunited once again. God bless you Tom, you will be missed but not forgotten!##imported-begin##Rod Miller##imported-end##

January 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Peggy & Tom: My thoughts and prayers are with you. Much love, Evelyn Hammond##imported-begin##Evelyn Hammond##imported-end##

January 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM