



John Ashford

May 10, 1938 - April 3, 2015

Mr. John Ashford, 76, widower of Shirley A. Ashford, passed away peacefully on Friday, April 3, 2015 at Kingston Nursing Center in Conway following an ongoing illness.

Born May 10, 1938 in Sacramento, CA, John was the son of the late George and Mildred Wagner Ashford. He was a retired Senior Master Sergeant who served in the Civil Service/Air National Guard as the head of Supply. John also owned a barbershop in East Granby, CT and was the barber for many friends at the Connecticut Air National Guard. He was also a very active life-long member of the Myrtle Beach Moose Lodge and the VFW.

Survivors include his son, David Ashford and his daughter, Darlene Ashford and her partner, Laura Sarvay; his stepchildren, Paul (Caroline) Ostendorf and Tim Ostendorf and his partner, Bobby Parker; 4 grandchildren; 1 great-grandchild; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

John was predeceased by his sister and brother-in-law, Georgia and James Hulsing and his step-daughter, Jodi Ostendorf.

A memorial service will be held at 2:00PM Thursday, April 9, 2015 at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel, officiated by Chaplain Diane Bowker.

Please sign the guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of John Ashford.*



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“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of John Ashford.*



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“ *Darlene, David and Laura,
So sorry for the loss of your Dad at such an early time in life. His journey on earth has ended but the memories will live on as you share stories, view pictures and hold memorable objects. I know how difficult this time is for all of you. Sending hugs from Connecticut. Hope the service is a perfect tribute to this wonderful father and human being. Take care.
With Sympathy,
Ann Marie, Dave and Lauren Cirkot*

Ann Marie Cirkot - April 07, 2015 at 07:59 PM



“ I meet Mr. Ashford about a month or so before his passing, I had a buyer for his property and he was so happy I was able to get it sold so quickly. Mr. Ashford impressed me very much and was very respectful and thoughtful man who cared deeply about his family, community and Country, He served this country honorable for many, many years I know that he will be deeply missed by all his children and friends who know him.

Blessings

Barbara Powell

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