



## John Joseph Parry

November 1, 1952 - April 30, 2026

John Joseph Parry Sr., 73, passed away on April 30th 2026 at Conway Medical Center in South Carolina, surrounded by his family, and the caring staff from Sharing Hope and Conway Medical Center who lined the halls to show respect for John's final decision to be an organ donor.

John was born on November 1st, 1952 in Troy, New York to the late Robert and Helen Parry of Stillwater, New York. He was a graduate of Stillwater High School, and went on to proudly serve his country during the Vietnam War, during which he was stationed in the Hawaiian Islands.

Throughout his life, he worked various jobs in construction, and eventually moved down to Myrtle Beach, South Carolina where he spent his later years. John is survived by his children Jessica North, John Parry Jr. , Nicole (Ryan) Smith, Jacob Parry, and his grandchildren James, Josh, Jailynn Parry and Tyler Smith. He is further survived by his siblings Beverly O'Connor, Edward (Sherry) Parry, Cathy Parry, Thomas (Lisa) Parry, and Anne (Pat) Gage and their families.

John made the generous decision to be an organ donor through Sharing Hope South Carolina, a commitment he made to help others through his final act of service. He will proudly be remembered by his family and those who knew him for his strength, his service to his country, and for his final sacrifice.

A military service will be held in John's honor at Saratoga National Cemetery at the convenience of his family.