



Joseph D Wheeler, Jr

February 27, 1945 - May 4, 2016

Joseph D. Wheeler, Jr.

Joseph D. Wheeler, Jr. age 71, died Wednesday, May 4, 2016 at Grand Strand Regional Medical Center.

Born in New York, NY, he was a son of the late Doris and Joseph Wheeler, Sr. Survivors include his wife of 16 years, Elisa Diane Wheeler; a daughter, Josette Wheeler of Olney, MD and stepsons, Mark Minor of FL and Christopher Minor of FL.

Services will be private.

Sign an online guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com/obituaries

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Blooming Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Joseph D Wheeler, Jr.*



May 13, 2016 at 09:31 AM



“ *With a heavy heart, I sit remembering the impact Joe had on my life.*

I have known Joe since I was a very young engineer. In the 35 years since I have relied on Joe's knowledge, humor, guidance and his friendship. I am humbled to have known him and benefited greatly by his tutelage. He was truly a man of his word, comfortable with himself and hugely proud of his family and occupation.

He will be remembered for his happy demeanor, jovial style, quick wit and extreme intelligence. His friendship will be missed the most.

Sam Torrence - May 10, 2016 at 02:16 PM



“ *We are so sorry to hear about Joe's passing here at Geico in Fredericksburg. He was an amazingly smart and talented man. He also had some funny jokes. He will be terribly missed. I wish that he had had more time to enjoy his retirement.*

Stephanie Cofer - May 10, 2016 at 01:43 PM

JW

“ I loved my dad i can't believe he's gone i wish i had more time with him i will miss our talks we used to have on the phone i always knew when my dad was in a good mood he would sing tunes on one of his birthdays i finally found the best present i found a song he would sing to me ever since i was a child it was the green door by jim lowe i played that for him at dinner I will forever miss the only dad i will ever have

Josette Renee Wheeler - May 09, 2016 at 06:35 PM

GS

“ I worked side by side with Joe for the last eight years and I can honestly say I've never met someone more passionate about their job than he. Joe was a friendly guy and a great story teller I sure will miss him.



Greg Sargent - May 09, 2016 at 01:26 PM

AD

“ Elisa we were sorry to hear of your loss. We are blessed to have known him and call his a friend. Our thoughts & prayers are with you and the family .

Jim Workman & Alice

Alice Davidson - May 09, 2016 at 12:49 PM

JM

“ Joe was the consummate professional always having the needs of his customers as his top priority while also taking the time to talk with them and share his life and experience. A real asset to Boland and all who had contact with Joe. Sorry that he could not enjoy a longer retirement but blessed to have known him and in the assurance that he is in a better place. My condolences to Elise, and all his family and friends. Jim Mertz

Jim Mertz - May 09, 2016 at 12:02 PM



“ Working with Joe in the water treatment department was a joy and a privilege. I could always approach him to pick his brain on how to best solve my customer's problems. Joe was always there to help in any way he could. One of his customers recently told me that Joe was the smartest water treatment professional he has ever seen. I readily agreed. Rest in piece Joe!! You will be missed and your stories will live on,

Ben Feeney.

Ben Feeney - May 09, 2016 at 10:00 AM

RH

“ I worked with Joe over 30 years. He taught me alot over these many years and I will have very fond memories of our experiences. I really enjoyed sitting down with Joe over a beer and sharing stories. I think his most famous quote was "To make a long story short". I will miss Joe but I know he is in good hands. Rest in Peace my friend.

Rick Hopkins

Rick Hopkins - May 09, 2016 at 09:15 AM

LB

“ I had the privilege of working with Joe for over 30 years. He was the consummate technician to all his customers and he cared deeply about them. Joe was a one of a kind with his wit and ability to tell stories, many of them about himself. They broke the mold when Joe left us.

Lynn Buri

Lynn Buri - May 07, 2016 at 08:57 PM

 Lanet Forrest

“ Joe we will miss your kindness, love, plus the gift to love and give. I know Joe you loved your job. May God be with you and your family. I will miss talking with you. You are now our angel in heaven. God heal and be with Elise for we know that is what you would want for her. One day soon you can say hello sending her a star or a rainbow or a rain shower.



Lanet Forrest

Lanet Forrest - May 07, 2016 at 08:39 PM

BB

“ It's a special person, indeed, that can bring a smile to one's face by the mere thought of him. Joe was that kind of person. Joe, we will think of you often, and, so, smile often as well. What an enduring gift you leave us. RIP

Bill Berney - May 07, 2016 at 10:35 AM

AM

“ Joe, always enjoyed talking to you when we had a few minutes at the office. RIP.

Ann Mecanko - May 06, 2016 at 04:08 PM

JB

“ Joe Wheeler was a great friend and associate at Boland for over 40 years. We are very saddened by Joe's passing. Joe was a dear friend and always had a joke for any occasion. We pray for Joe and we will all miss our dear friend. God Bless Joe !!!---Jim Boland

jim boland - May 06, 2016 at 03:49 PM



Joe loved your company Jim Boland. Thank you for treating Joe well.

Lanet Forrest - May 07, 2016 at 08:44 PM