



Douglas Harsh

March 14, 2013

Obituary of Douglas Harsh

Douglas Eugene Harsh Jr., 60, Leesburg, FL died on Thursday, March 14, 2013. He was born in Leesburg and was a lifetime resident. Mr. Harsh was employed by Walt Disney World and worked in fiberoptics. He enjoyed the outdoors and fishing and loved spending time with his family and friends.

Survivors include his wife: Debra Poe, Perry, FL son: Jason Harsh and companion Lisa Carter and her children Devan and Landen, Bellview, FL; 3 grandchildren: Preston, Logan and Michael Jr. Knowles, Lady Lake; Son-In-Law Michael Knowles SR.; brother Rev. Dr. Paul (Lori) Harsh, Lady Lake; sister Kathy Harsh, Leesburg; father Douglas (Melba) Harsh, Leesburg; and nieces Shannon, Kayce and Kristin. He was predeceased by his daughter Brandy Harsh Knowles and mother Mildred Harsh.

A memorial service will be held at the Lady Lake Chapel of Beyers Funeral Home on Saturday, March 23, 2013 at 11:00 AM with Pastor John Stricklen officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, Lake-Sumter Unit, 1650 West Main Street, Suite 3, Leesburg, FL 34748.

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Tribute Wall

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“ WHO SAID IT WAS DOUG'S TIME WHO ORDERED HIM TO DIE, THERE'S SO MUCH FOR DOUG TO STILL DO THE YEARS WERE SO VERY FEW. IT WAS A NICE SUNNY DAY WHEN OUR FRIEND PASSED AWAY, WE HELD HIS HAND & SAID GOOD-BYE WE CRIED WHEN YOU CLOSED YOUR EYES. AS A FRIEND, HE ALWAYS HAD A BIG HEART LIFE AS WE KNOW IT, HE BARELY GOT TO START, PLEASE LET HIM COME BACK, SO MANY MEMORIES THAT HE LACK. DOUG RARELY COMPLAINED OR SAID IT WASN'T FAIR, EVEN WHEN THE TREATMENT TOOK HIS HAIR, HE FELT SUCH PAIN EVERYDAY YET, HE HARDLY HAD A HARSH WORD TO SAY. THERE ARE SO MANY THINGS THAT HE STILL HAVE LEFT TO SHARE, THANK GOD HE HAS AMAZING FRIENDS & FAMILY WHO TRULY CARE. AS I WATCHED YOU LEAVE US I WAS SIMPLY BLOWN AWAY, HOW COULD THIS BE POSSIBLE, WE WERE JUST LAUGHING YESTERDAY. TIME SLIPS BY AND LIFE MOVES ON, BUT FROM OURS HEARTS YOU WILL NEVER BE GONE. WE THINK ABOUT YOU ALWAYS WE TALK ABOUT YOU TOO, WE HAVE SO MANY FOND MEMORIES BUT WE WISH WE STILL HAD YOU. UP IN HEAVEN THEY HAVE SOMEONE NEW, WHEN YOU REACH THE GATES DOUG WILL BE WAITING FOR YOU.

Chad & Deborah Robinson - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Jason and family, We are truly saddened by your Dad's passing. We take comfort in knowing that he is in God's loving arms. Although it may seem hard to believe now, a time will come when memories will make you smile and laugh. He held great trust in his friends and family. What a great gift to have received.

Jan and Quentin Maurer - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ So sorry to hear about Doug, Jr. My Prayers are with the family..
God Bless....

Jack Penturff - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ Doug, I've always felt honored to be considered as your friend and it
saddened me so much to see you so broken hearted about the loss
of Brandy, rest in peace brother. Kenny Amis Leesburg, FL

Kenny Amis - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

NR

“ So sorry, thought great of you all these years. Much peace to you!!
nancy

Nancy Reichman - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ We are so sorry about your dad, he was a great man. I know he and
Brandy our together and he's in peace. we love you all.

The Molinary's - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BL

“ Jason & Family , I am so sorry for your loss . Hugs and Prayers to
you and your family .

Bonnie Harris Lehmuth - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DP

“ I love you Doug, always will. No matter how much they try to erase me. I am still your wife, will always be. 20 years, good and bad. I remember the first time I met you, you were in your Gran Torino cruising the What a burger, you called me a narc. I still smile. They left out that you are a award winning fishing rod builder, made a set of Bucs rods for Gruden after they won the super bowl. You were proud of your rods and you were proud that my brother Donnie taught you to wrap rods when he was too sick to go on. We were a family: Sheena, Shelby, Damien. They met you when you crossed the bridge. Where we are going there is no ill will, no precieved slights, you won't be in pain anymore and when you opened your eyes Brandy was there and your mom. Vios Con Dios, my love and friend, Your wife, Debra Poe Perry Fla

Debra Poe - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ Our sympathy goes out to "The Harsh Family" during this most difficult time. We are Truely saddened in our Hearts. TRUE FRIEND TO THE END! Sincerely: The Robinson Family & Max!

Chad & Debbie Robinson - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AV

“ I love Jason! Love, prayers and thoughts with you!

Aunt Vickie - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM