



John Andrew Birt

September 12, 1943 - May 26, 2016

Obituary of John Birt

John Andrew Birt, 72, of Leesburg, Florida passed away on Thursday, May 26, 2016. He was born on September 12, 1943 in Long Beach, CA to Chester and Emma Birt. He moved to Leesburg in 2008 from Winter Park, FL. John was a Veteran of the U.S. Navy and served during Vietnam. After retiring from the Navy he worked as a driver for an auto parts store. He loved bowling and fishing.

He is survived by his wife Mary E. Birt of Leesburg, FL; daughter, Kristina Kloth of Yucaipa, CA; step-daughters, Alice I. Mosley of Biloxi, MS, Alison I. Dougherty of Boothwyn, PA, and Alane I. Hougardy of Marcus Hook, PA; brothers, Chester L. Birt of Inverness, FL and Robert Birt of Gering, NE; his sisters, Mary G. Adams of Port Arthur, TX and Carolyn A. Averitt of Arizona City, AZ and 14 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his brother, Jerry L. Birt and his grandson, Howard "Howie" A. Hougardy.

Visitation will be held at the Beyers Funeral Home Chapel, Leesburg, FL on Tuesday, June 7, 2016 from 10:00 - 11:00 am. Graveside services will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at 1:00 pm.

Tribute Wall

MB

“ *John Andrew Birt*

MARY E BIRT - June 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *You were and still are my "soulmate" and the love of my life for eternity while you are waiting for me.....remember to plant those beautiful "Yellow" roses for me... I will always remember to "Let Go Let God"*

MARY E BIRT - June 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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JM

“ *My condolence an prayers go out to you Mary. John was a wonderful person to know and I will miss him very much.*

Joe Mauk - June 01, 2016 at 12:00 AM

FC

“ *Enjoy the Broncos with Howie....*

Frances Cain - May 31, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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CM

“ *Mary Both Frank & I were saddened to read of John's passing. We are so sorry for your loss. The Merolla's.*

Catherine Merolla - May 30, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ *Sorry for your loss knew Johnny for 70 years we all grew up together. Went to prom military dance with Johnny.prayers sent to Johns family*

MARGIE CAIN Anglin - May 29, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *God Bless you cuz John Birt, not only for your service to your Country, more importantly, our Family. My Heart goes out to Mary. Love, Cuz Jim Henshaw*

Jim Henshaw - May 28, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ John, also a Navy Vet during the end of Vietnam, but more important we are family. "Fair Wind and Following Seas" dear cuz, I remember being younger and hearing your Sea Stories. Mary, I wish you the Best and God Bless you and your family. Love, from the Henshaw part of the family, Jim Henshaw

Jim Henshaw - May 28, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ I am so sorry that John has left us. John and Mary are wonderful people. John is at peace now and may God Bless him and his family.

Linda Bolander Avery - May 28, 2016 at 12:00 AM

KK

“ John Andrew Birt

Kristina Kloth - May 28, 2016 at 12:00 AM

ML

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Michelle Iedesma - May 28, 2016 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ Mary I'm so very sorry ,my heart goes out to you. My uncle Johnny will be missed dearly but never forgotten sending you warm hugs. God bless!

Michelle Iedesma - May 28, 2016 at 12:00 AM



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Michelle ledesma - May 28, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *John Andrew Birt*

May 27, 2016 at 12:00 AM