



Joseph D. Amaral

January 13, 2017

Obituary of Joseph Amaral, Jr.

Joseph D. Amaral, Jr, 83, of Wildwood, FL, died unexpectedly Friday, January 13, 2017. He was born in Fall River, MA and moved to Wildwood, FL from Swansea, MA in 1998. He retired from the United States Navy as a Chief Petty Officer, after serving 22 years. Following his retirement from the service, he received an accounting degree from Southeastern Massachusetts University and worked as a Bookkeeper. He enjoyed travel, golf, playing cards, bowling and fishing.

He was preceded in death by his wife Catherine E. Amaral, with whom he had been married for 52 years, and a brother Henry Amaral. He is survived by two daughters, Sylvia (Bill) Panebianco of Fort Myers, FL, Diane (Harold) Eastwood of Swansea, MA, and one son, Joseph (Laurie) Amaral and granddaughter, Savanna all of Seekonk, MA. One sister, Alice Oliveira of Dighton, MA, and one brother, Lawrence (Vivian) Amaral of Somerset, MA. At the time of his death, he was residing with his loving companion, Karen Nichols. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, Wildwood, FL on Monday, Jan 23, 2017 at 11:00 am. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. The family requests in lieu of flowers, that donations be made to the Wounded Warriors Fund.

Online condolences may be left at www.beyersfuneralhome.com

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Leesburg,
FL.

Tribute Wall

MC

“*###GESTURE###*

Michael Castelo - January 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MC

“*I am so very sorry for your loss. Your father was a good man and he was always great to us grove kids growing up. I remember him talking about the navy from time to time and catching a glimpse of some things he had gotten when in. So can say being a sailor myself . You will be missed but never forgot Chief. Fair Winds And Following Seas. We shall meet again at Davys Locker.*

Michael Castelo - January 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MC

“*Joseph D. Amaral*

Michael Castelo - January 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM

CO

“*Diane, My deepest sympathy to you and your family at this sad time. You are in my thoughts and prayers in the days ahead. xo*

Carol Manoogian O'Malley - January 19, 2017 at 12:00 AM

TR

“*Joe, We at AHS support you in this time. We were all saddened to hear of your fathers passing. As you are his legacy, he can die proud of what he is leaving behind. Please let us know what we can do for you. Social Studies Department Attleboro High School*

Tobey Reed - January 19, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MN

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MARY AND TED NUTT - January 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

HD

“ **###GESTURE###**

Harold & Diane - January 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MN

“ *our thoughts and prayers are with you all. we have been friends for 20 years. and will miss you very much. Rest In Peace Joe.*

MARY AND TED NUTT - January 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MN

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MARY AND TED NUTT - January 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ *Our deepest condolences to the entire Amaral family, may God's grace be with you all during this difficult time. Scott & Kim Ritz Friends of Joe, Lauria, and Savanna Chester, VA*

Scott & Kim Ritz - January 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM

HD

“ *Joseph D. Amaral*

Harold & Diane - January 18, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *Joseph D. Amaral*

January 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ Dear Sylvia, Bill and family, it is with heartfelt sympathy that we offer our condolences to you. Life is so strange and we are never prepared for the unexpected. Please know that we are here for you if there is anything at all that we can do. God bless

Arnie & Joann Bernstein - January 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM

TQ

“ So very sorry for your loss. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.

Tim & Denise Quillin - January 17, 2017 at 12:00 AM