



Kenneth Bitting

April 26, 1938 - August 2, 2009

Obituary of Kenneth Bitting

KENNETH P. BITTING, 71, of Leesburg, Florida,

Ken passed away peacefully on Sunday, August 2, 2009. He was born April 26, 1938 in East Greenville, Pa. Parents the late Paul S. Bitting and Mamie L. (Trexler) Bitting. Ken was a fine competitive athlete, lettering in baseball, football, and basketball during his high school years. He graduated from Upper Perkiomen High School in 1956. After graduating he and his close friends joined the US Army, serving in France for two years. Upon being discharged he relocated to the Lansdale area accepting employment at Merck & Co working there for 30 plus years. After retiring he moved to Florida, where he became an avid golfer and enjoyed bowling again. He enjoyed sharing his talents with others and enjoyed helping them improve their game. He was well respected and liked and those that knew him well took enjoyment in his humorous wit.

He is survived by his loving wife of 23 years, Theresa J. Bitting; Children: Kenneth jr., and Debra Bitting, Step- children, Christina Frankhouser of Lansdale, Pa, Ronald J. Fox (Darlene) of Strasburg, Pa, and Cynthia Fox of Gilbertsville, Pa. Grandchildren, Rachel Frankhouser, Jocelyn Fox, Shawna

Bergen, Ronnie Fox, Jr. Tyler Bergen, Gabrielle Fox and Bridget Bergen, and sister, Lucy (Peter) Melcher of Leesburg, Fl.

In lieu of flowers, the family request memorial contributions be made to Cornerstone Hospice Foundation, 2445 Lane Park Rd. Tavares, FL 32778.

Visitation

Funeral Services will be held at Beyers Funeral Home Chapel on Friday, August 7 at 5.00 PM with visitation prior to service from 3:00 - 5:00 PM.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Kenneth Bitting*

October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *I met Ken for the first time 6 years ago and liked him right away. At that time I tried to tell him about Jesus. You Know the result. About 5 mos. ago I met him at the mail box and asked how he was doing and he said he was truly blessed. After a brief convercation I can say he is with Jesus now. PTL Marvin*

Marvin A. Pullins - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Ken (Youngblood) and I were very close friends during our US Army service time in Chinon, France. We traveled a lot during those times and I will never forget him. God Bless him. Ron Rhinehart, Canfield, Ohio*

RON RHINEHART - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Ken, we will miss you tremendously. We will miss your laughter and sense of humor especially the funny comments you interjected when Terry and I spoke on the phone. We feel so grateful to have been able to share in your friendship and love. Do they have golf in heaven?*

Judy - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ I will miss Ken very much. I have always enjoyed being around him. He had a very level head and I was fortunate to have him share his thoughts with me. I will continue rooting for the Phillies but will miss the sharing of ups and downs with him. I enjoyed the little game we played of me putting the flag up late at night when the Phillies won and Ken looking for it first thing in the morning.

Bruce Rohm - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AA

“ Ken was a good friend and golfing companion. He will be missed. Our condolences to his family.

Arthur Atkinson - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ Ken was a dear, kind friend to his Upper Perk classmates; he will be in our hearts forever. The lives of those he leaves behind are truly enriched by having known him.

Evan Christman - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM