



## Kenneth Strickland

November 9, 1948 - May 14, 2014

### Obituary of Kenneth Strickland

Kenneth Leon Strickland, 65, of Leesburg, Florida, died Wednesday, May 14, 2014. Born November 9, 1948 in Chicago, Illinois, he was a Vietnam Veteran and served in the US Navy as a Sea Bee. His career was spent at Bethlehem Steel working as a millwright until his retirement in 2003. He moved to Florida in 2005 and to The Plantation at Leesburg in 2006. He enjoyed football, especially his beloved Bears and was a fan of all things Notre Dame. He enjoyed woodworking and will be remembered by many for his remarkable sense of humor.

He is survived by his wife of 2 yrs., Gloria Strickland, of Leesburg, FL; daughter, Michelle Ron Riggs of Michigan; granddaughters: Erica and Caitlyn Riggs of Michigan; brother, Michael (Heather) Stark of Canada; 2 stepsons: Kevin & Jason (Wrina) Skriver ; 4 step grandchildren: Austin, Brianna, Hannah, Caleb.

Graveside services will be at Florida National Cemetery on Friday, May 16 at 12:30 PM with Military Honors performed by the US Navy.



# Tribute Wall



“ *Kenneth Strickland*

October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Though still stunned by the news, Gloria, you gave him such immense happiness. Michelle, Ron, Erica and Caitlyn, he always spoke with such beaming, loving pride. He gave of himself so generously - if you needed 5, he gave you 10. I will always cherish the calls we had after bear/packer games to have our gloat of victory; the rooftop buzzards @ Holmesville. Be at peace big bro.*

Michael Stark & Heather-Anne - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Ken was one of my dear clients. I will miss him. My condolences to his wife Gloria...*

Cathy Mejia - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Although I did not know your loved one personally, I am truly sorry for your loss. May you find comfort in Gods promise found at Revelation 21:4- "And He will wipe out every tear from their eyes and death will be no more..."*

Shannon - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *our dear friend we will miss you so much. The jokes and going out to eat. so much more but most of all your friendship. It will be in our hearts .love you and miss you.*

becky and andy - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“Gloria, We are sorry for your loss. We only met Ken one time and thought he was a wonderful person and wish we could have known him better. Please know our prayers are with you during this time of sorrow. If we can be of any help, please let us know.

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**Don & Teresa Fowler** - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM