



Stephen Elbert Alexander

July 23, 1954 - November 1, 2020

Stephen E. Alexander, born July 23, 1954, went home to be with his Lord and Savior on November 1st, 2020.

Steve was born in San Diego, California to Elbert and Hazel Alexander. Steve graduated from Groveland High School Class of 1972 before joining and serving his Country in the USAF. While serving in the Air Force, Steve graduated from Park College with a Criminal Justice degree and also achieved getting his Pilot's license. He was retired from Walt Disney World as an irrigation specialist.

Steve loved to play his guitar, go camping, travel, and give opinions he swore no one took. He loved his family with all his heart and would give anyone who needed it the shirt off his back.

Survived by his loving wife of 34 years, Tammy; son Jeremy (Jessica) of Mt. Dora; daughter Haley (Brenton) New of Eustis; two grandsons: Jared Alexander and Wyatt New; brother Alan Alexander of Apopka; two sisters: Trish Johnson of Clermont and Jeni Alexander of Fruitland Park; mother-in-law Diane DeBolt of Mascotte; uncles, aunts, and many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Steve's memory can be made to Croom-a-

Coochee Baptist Church Missions, the American Heart Association or the American Diabetes Association.

A service will be held on Thursday, November 5, 2020 at 11:00 a.m. (with visitation from 10:00 to 11:00) at Croom-a-Coochee Baptist Church with Pastor Jerry Alexander officiating. He will be laid to rest at Florida National Cemetery at 12:30 p.m. with military honors provided by U.S. Air Force Honor Guard and Sumter County Honor Guard.

Arrangements entrusted to Purcell Funeral Home, Bushnell, Florida.

Tribute Wall



“ *Beyers Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Stephen Elbert Alexander*



May 13, 2022 at 09:05 PM



“ *Steve was a great guy and a great friend. I'm so sorry I just learned of his death. He will be missed by many. Phillip Holbrook*

Phillip Holbrook - September 24, 2021 at 06:56 PM



“ *My life forever changed on Sunday morning. I can just imagine what you saw when you opened your eyes in heaven. I am forever thankful to God that you were my husband, best friend and soul mate. We had a wonderful 36 years together. You told me every day how much you loved me, and I know without a doubt you did. I miss you, but I have the comfort of knowing you are no longer suffering or in pain. The Lord is watching over me and I'll be ok. Thank you for your love and our life together. I love you.
Your loving wife, Tammy*

Tammy Alexander - November 04, 2020 at 06:16 PM

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Your loving wife, Tammy

Tammy Alexander - November 04, 2020 at 06:15 PM

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“ Steve was a remarkable guy. He could make you laugh one second and have you angry the next. But never ever would he turn his back on friends or family. We fought like brothers do but there was never a time when we didnt have each others back. He could turn a two minute talk into a four part mini series. He loved the outdoors and we camped, walked and did some Scuba diving. Each activity had a funny story and if anyone would like to hear some, just talk to me. Steve was loved by everyone he knew. He could be gruff and grumpy and his sense of humor was a bit dry but he always had a helping hand to offer and a smile to give.

I love you brother. I will miss you.

Alan Alexander - November 04, 2020 at 03:45 PM

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“ You were a great friend. Didn't see each other but when we called each other it was like we had never been apart. The thing I most remember about you is your laughter and how you loved to eat my cooking! You will be missed. Prayers to all.

Love

Connie Reed McClarney

Connie Reed McClarney - November 03, 2020 at 01:10 PM