



Walter Ray

December 9, 1949 - March 31, 2018

Walter "Skip" Ray, 68, of Lake Panasoffkee, FL, passed away Saturday, March 31, 2018, at home. Skip was born in Tulsa, OK to Earl and Helen Ray. He proudly served for 20 years and was retired from the U.S. Navy. He was a member of St. Lawrence Catholic Church in Bushnell and also was a member of V.F.W. Post #10084 in Lake Panasoffkee, FL.

He is survived by his wife: Therese "Teri" Ray of Lake Panasoffkee, FL; sons: Chip Ray (Nicol) of Yalaha, FL, Joe Ray (Ashley) of Lake Panasoffkee, FL; 6 grandchildren, 3 great-grandchildren; 2 brothers: Michael Ray (Toby) of Center Hill, FL; Jimmy Ray of Moyock, NC; sisters: Sissy Walker (Frank) of Goose Creek, SC, Cindy Ray of Astoria, OH and many nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation in his memory to Catholic Charities of Central Florida, 1771 N. Semoran Blvd., Orlando, FL 32807. Visitation A time of visitation will be held on Thursday, April 5, 2018 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Purcell Chapel. Service and Interment A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Friday, April 6, 2018 at 8:30 a.m. at St. Lawrence Catholic Church; then interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery at 10:00 a.m.

Arrangements entrusted to Purcell Funeral Home, Bushnell, Florida.

Tribute Wall

MB

“ *Sending our heart felt sympathy for the loss of your love one. May the word of God comfort you.* ”



Mr. and Mrs. Rick Barry - April 05, 2018 at 08:44 PM

SR

“ *Sending my deepest sympathy to Skips entire family. No words stop your pain so try to remember the fabulous person that Skip was and all the great times.* ”
Sherry

Sherry Rotella - April 05, 2018 at 07:00 PM

CW

“ *I am so sorry to hear about Skip. Praying for your family.* ”



Christy Whitney - April 05, 2018 at 11:02 AM

LC

“ *Heaven gets another angel, but we lose a friend and co-worker on earth. Rest in peace Skip.* ”



Lisa Crosby - April 04, 2018 at 03:48 PM

AK

“ Dear Teri and family,
We are so sorry for your loss of your dear
husband and father. May he rest in eternal
peace. 🕯️🙏🏻✝️



Alyce, Neil, Anne, Kat - April 03, 2018 at 11:18 AM

AK

“ Dear Teri and family,
My thoughts and prayers are with all of you
and also with



*Skip. God be with you at this difficult time.
With love, Aunt Mary Ann*

Aunt Mary Ann Kwiecinski - April 03, 2018 at 09:52 AM

CP

“ Rest in Peace
Sending prayers to family 💜



Carrie Pruitt - April 03, 2018 at 09:34 AM

DF

“ I wish I could be there, but I am there in spirit. I am keeping everyone in my thoughts and prayers. I love you.



Dan and shelly Miller and family - April 02, 2018 at 10:32 PM

TJ

“ Jessie & I would like to say that we are praying for you & your family. We've never got the opportunity to meet Skip, but I'm sure he was the best of the best. We are so sorry Chip, stay strong



Trisha & Jessie - April 02, 2018 at 04:49 PM

MF

“ I am sorry to hear of your loss. I pray you can find peace in memories of good times gone by. Thinking of you and your family at this time.



Melissa Fuller - April 02, 2018 at 04:44 PM

CJ

“ My heartfelt sympathy Chip. Losing a parent is never easy. I will keep you in my thoughts and prayers always. You are very, very special to me.



Cheryl James - April 02, 2018 at 04:18 PM