



John Calvin Hamilton

August 9, 1938 - September 30, 2004

John Calvin Hamilton, 66, a loving husband, father and grandfather went to live with God on Thursday September 30, 2004. He was a native of Cooke Co., TX attended Sweethaven Baptist Church and recently retired from Little Creek as a Security Investigator. He was a former Portsmouth Police Officer, a member of the F.O.P. and an Army Veteran.

John is survived by his loving wife Linda Hamilton; three children Michelle Smith and her husband Steven, Dana Hamilton and Tommy Holliday and his wife Robin; 8 grandchildren; a sister Peggy McManus and her husband Kenneth; mother-in-law Annie Myers and a host of friends.

A funeral service will be held at 11:00 AM Saturday in Loving Funeral Home, Churchland Chapel by Rev. Cary Borkert with burial to follow in Meadowbrook Memorial Gardens with military honors. The family will receive friends in the funeral home one hour prior to the service. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Tribute Wall



“ Dad,

I just wanted you to know that by knowing you even though it was faor a short time it was the best two years. I thank God for the time we did have because it could have been that I never got to know you at all. Linda is doing well she is learnig to take care of things you used to do. Today we went to lunch and the to Home Depot and she changed a ligt bulb on the porch. I feel blessed to have a relationship with her, she is a great stepmom. Todsy she gsvee me your watch, the bear and the clock I gace you and some other things. Iwill treasure them forever because they remind me of you and that is a good thing, because in a sense you are still with me not only through your things but in my heart and there you will stay for the rest of my days.

Untill we meet again I will miss you and love you.

Your daughter Dana##imported-begin##Dana Hamilton##imported-end##

October 13, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Linda,
I'm sorry I did not get to meet you at the service. I have only heard wonderful things about you from Dana. I wanted to tell you how very much I appreciate how gracious and kind you and Johnny have been to Dana. These last few years have meant so much to her. Being able to reconnect with her father after the death of her mother was very important to her. I believe it was God who prompted Johnny to seek out the children and he was obedient. Now all is well with him and all is well with his soul. I pray that God will give you strength to get through the pain of losing someone you loved so dearly. May God continue to bless you and your family.

With warm regards,
Shelia Walker###imported-begin###Shelia Walker###imported-end###

October 04, 2004 at 12:00 AM



“ John was a wonderful friend. His friendship came straight from his loving heart as a rare, genuine, unmistakable emotion. When he offered his help, he truly meant it and followed through. His advice was always thoughtful and based on the highest principles. It was apparent to me that John was a real "family man" and loved his family above all else and cherished his wife and their beautiful relationship. He told me many times that of all his good friends Linda was his best. John was a brave soul, he accepted his disappointments with positive resolve and his pains and illness with courage. The Lord now has surely welcomed this man. I will miss my wonderful friend and hope to be able to see him once again in that special place.###imported-begin###Ron Anoaia###imported-end###

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“ *Hamilton family :*

Please know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

John worked for our firm and it was always a joy to see him. He was always full of stories and had a way of making the staff laugh. We remember the time he came in with the pictures of his new motorcycle and how he was going to take his wife cruising around. He loved to tell us stories of his children and grandchildren. He will be greatly missed.##imported-begin##Accidental Injury Advocates##imported-end##

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