



Phat Kien

September 2, 2025

Phat Kien, 71, passed away peacefully on September 2, 2025, in Virginia, surrounded by his loving family.

Born in Vietnam, Phat grew up on a farm, where he developed a strong work ethic and a deep love for learning. He proudly served in the Vietnam War, and after enduring the many hardships of war and displacement, he immigrated to the United States as a refugee in search of a better future.

Earlier in life, Phat had a family in Vietnam with Thị Hồng, with whom he shared meaningful years. Together, they had three children: Thu Thi Cuc, Thu Thi Ba, and Thay Quan. Though time and distance eventually led them on separate paths, they remained an important part of his life and legacy.

In the United States, Phat built a successful and fulfilling career in the optical field—a profession he approached with skill, passion, and dedication. While working in an optical laboratory, he met his beloved partner, Qui Sao Truong. Together, they raised two children, John and Linh, and built a life filled with love, resilience, and unwavering commitment.

Phat was a devoted father to John, Linh, Thu Thi Cuc, Thu Thi Ba, and Thay Quan, and a proud grandfather to Layla, Jayden, Maika, Vinh, Danh, An, Đức, and Trí.

He lived his life with quiet strength and compassion, guided by his Buddhist faith. Phat found joy in the everyday—cooking meals that brought his family together, especially his famous ginger chicken and his unforgettable ribs. He loved sharing a glass of Hennessy with his son John, listening to music, dancing with a carefree spirit, and relaxing in his backyard, where a squirrel visited him daily for peanuts.

Phat's life was a remarkable journey—across continents, through war and peace, challenge and triumph. His legacy is one of perseverance, humility, warmth, and deep love for his family. He will be remembered always and missed dearly by all who knew him.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Service

SEP 6. 1:00 PM (ET)

Loving Funeral Home Churchland Chapel
3225 Academy Ave
Portsmouth, VA 23703

Tribute Wall

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