



John Henry Porter

October 24, 1947 - March 26, 2017

John Henry Porter, 69, of Spring Creek, died at the Margaret Z. Dozier Hospice House with his family on March 26, 2017. He graduated from Crawfordville High School in 1966 and went to St. Louis, Missouri, where he graduated from Computer Programming School. He then enlisted in the United States Air Force for 4 years. He moved back to Wakulla County and began working at Florida State University as a computer programmer. He then worked many years as a General Contractor building homes. Johnny loved to be outdoors. He enjoyed fishing and duck hunting. He was active with Ducks Unlimited for several years. He was fun loving, free spirited, very loving and loved his family and friends. Johnny was a familiar face around the coastal communities of Spring Creek and St. Marks, where he spent a lot of his time. Predeceased in death by his parents Lincoln & Ruby Porter. Survivors include his children Jonnie Marie Porter Pelt & Jason Porter, 4 grandchildren Trey Pelt, Colton Pelt, Porter Malloy & Aidan Malloy, 1 great grandchild Wyatt Pelt, brothers Billy Porter & Bobby Porter (Glenda), sisters Becky Yawn (Ray) & Karen Parsons (Mark), aunts & uncles and many cousins.

Family will receive friends Saturday, April 1, 2017 10:00-11:00 am at Family Funeral Home 84 Ochlockonee St., with a Celebration of Life Service beginning at 11:00 am, under the pavilion. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Big Bend Hospice and/or Ducks Unlimited.

Arrangements are under the care of Skip Young with Family Funeral Home & Cremation Services 850-926-5919 Familyfhc.com

Previous Events

Gathering of Friends

APR 1. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Young Family Funeral Home
3106 Crawfordville Hwy.
Crawfordville, FL 32327
(850) 926-5919
<https://www.familyfhc.com/>

Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall



“ *Young Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of John Henry Porter*



Family Funeral Home and Cremation Services - March 29, 2017 at 03:17 PM

DJ

What a lovely memorial. God bless and love to Becky, Karen, Bobby, Billy and family. I miss him already. Love y'all, Denise Jefferson

Denise Jefferson - March 31, 2017 at 07:01 PM

CF

He was a sweet cousin. Rest in peace.

Cathy Gray Frank - March 31, 2017 at 10:18 PM

JA

The tribute to Johnny was awesome! He was a very kind caring person. He will be missed by all who knew him. Praying for all of the family. May God comfort you with His unsurpassing peace!

Joyce Ashburn - April 01, 2017 at 07:33 AM

MK

So sweet....just like him!

Marie Klein - April 03, 2017 at 11:07 AM



“ *I'm very sad and my heart broken . My prayers with him and his family .*

OMer Tunca - April 08, 2017 at 10:44 PM

DT

“ *Denise, Jen, and the Central Florida Team purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of John Henry Porter.*



Denise, Jen, and the Central Florida Team - March 31, 2017 at 02:02 PM

TB

“ *Teresa Barksdale lit a candle in memory of John Henry Porter*



Teresa Barksdale - March 31, 2017 at 09:45 AM

CM

“ *Chris & Mel purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of John Henry Porter.*



Chris & Mel - March 30, 2017 at 09:47 AM

MH

“ I only took care of John for a short time but he stole a piece of my heart and quickly became my favorite resident. I will forever cherish those walks we took around the facility parking lot and his talks about fishing. He will be deeply missed.

melissa hunt - March 28, 2017 at 03:43 PM

AH

“ Billy, Bobby, Becky & Karen, we are so sorry to hear of John's passing. Alzheimers is an awful disease not only for the patient but also for the caregivers. He was blessed to have a loving family to care for him. I remember fondly our days at CHS as classmates as well as riding the school bus with all of you. Please accept our deepest condolences. Unfortunately we are unable to attend the service on Saturday as we are out of town but will be thinking of you and praying for you. God Bless you and give you peace.

Ann Henderson - March 28, 2017 at 12:14 PM

PS

“ Peggy Spears lit a candle in memory of John Henry Porter



Peggy Spears - March 28, 2017 at 11:24 AM

PS

I'll Love you forever.

Peggy Spears - March 28, 2017 at 11:25 AM

RT

“ Rick And Sue Tooke lit a candle in memory of John Henry Porter



Rick and Sue Tooke - March 28, 2017 at 09:29 AM

SS

“ Sue Stephens lit a candle in memory of John Henry Porter



Sue Stephens - March 28, 2017 at 06:36 AM

LL

“ Louisa Lyons lit a candle in memory of John Henry Porter



Louisa Lyons - March 28, 2017 at 06:01 AM

DN

“ Deborah Lynn Mayfield Nichols lit a candle in memory of John Henry Porter



Deborah Lynn Mayfield Nichols - March 27, 2017 at 09:45 PM

DN

You will be missed my friend till we meet again

Deborah Lynn Mayfield Nichols - March 27, 2017 at 09:46 PM

BT

“ *Britt & Vicki Tillman lit a candle in memory of John Henry Porter*



Britt & Vicki Tillman - March 27, 2017 at 08:44 PM



“ *Bryan Gene Jones Becky that was a beautiful tribute to Johnny. we are cousins but he was like a brother to me. I remember the times i would get to visit all of you at your mom and dads. That was so enjoyable for me because we lived in Tallahassee. when i was back home for a visit John would come over to visit. Becky and Karen remember our special lunch with John. Johnny will be missed but will always be in our hearts and mind. Love you Johnny*



Steive Bernice - March 27, 2017 at 07:02 PM

FM

“ *We loved John and he will be missed. His kindness toward us will always be remember and the many times he helped make our yard look so beautiful. It was a blessing to know this sweet man!*

Fraiser and Mec Martin - March 27, 2017 at 03:32 PM

GA

“ Galveston Alexander lit a candle in memory of John Henry Porter

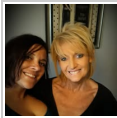


Galveston Alexander - March 27, 2017 at 02:18 PM

GA

Johnny, you were like a brother to me. I will miss you, but I have great memories we made death can't destroy that, It was an honor to be your friend. Until we meet again. Galveston

Galveston Alexander - March 27, 2017 at 02:41 PM



Thank you Galveston. You were a huge part of Daddy's life and he loved you like a brother. Thank you so much for your post.

Jonnie Pelt - March 27, 2017 at 06:49 PM

BM

“ Beth Metcalf lit a candle in memory of John Henry Porter



beth metcalf - March 27, 2017 at 12:46 PM