



WILLIAM HAROLD BURKHALTER

November 4, 2019

William Harold Burkhalter, 83, of Orange Beach, passed away Monday, November 4, 2019, after a long battle with Alzheimer's. He was born in Carrolton, Alabama on January 6, 1936. He graduated from Carrolton High School in 1955, and then served in the U.S. Marine Corps from 1956 -1960 in the Recon Division. He retired after 33 years from Continental Can. He loved Hunting, fishing, and playing golf. He also loved traveling and camping which he was able to do a lot. He enjoyed gardening and building things, and spending time with his family and friends.

Harold was preceded in death by his parents William Homer and Adelaide Burkhalter. He is survived by his loving wife of 59 years, Virginia Burkhalter; daughter Karen Patterson (Randy), sons Paul Burkhalter (Mary Ann), and Eric Burkhalter; grandchildren Breanna Burkhalter and Luke Burkhalter; and sisters Sissie Noble (Bill), and Sharon Hamm (Paul).

The visitation will be Thursday, November 7, 2019, from 10:00 AM until 11:00 AM, at Peoples Chapel Funeral Home. The funeral service will be at 11:00 AM at the Funeral Home, with Rev. Harold Newberry and Randy Patterson officiating. Burial will follow at Forest Grove Cemetery.

The family wishes to express special thanks to Comfort Care Hospice, Jeanetta Miller, and Denise Houston as caregivers.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorials be made to the Alzheimer's Association.

Tribute Wall

RP

“ Harold was a great father-in-law and a good friend. I was always amazed at his ability to repair or build almost anything. I enjoyed several years of golf, fishing and spending time at the river with him. He'll be missed dearly. Rest well my friend, I'll see you again one day.

Randy Patterson - November 17, 2019 at 01:53 PM

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“ LOVE EVERLASTING

*How can we grasp love everlasting?
Is it lying among our hearts so dear?
No, only time can bring those wondrous feelings
beyond minutes, hours, days, and years.
Spend those moments enjoying joy and laughter.
Spend those moments in solitude and tears.
Only together sharing life's mysteries
can you endure what others may fear.
Picture yourself among the flowers and branches,
enjoying the company of one you hold near.
world will not wait for you to be closer.
Sunlight and moonlight will soon disappear.
Fleeting is life on this bountiful planet.
Nonchalantly gliding through its colored haze.
By holding tight to your Love Everlasting,
you can find peace in all of its ways.*

By Libby T. Gregg

Jerry Rambin - November 05, 2019 at 04:53 PM