



Mr. John Thomas Ford

July 7, 1946 - February 11, 2024

John Thomas Ford, of Weaver Alabama, was born July 7, 1946 to John Benjamin and Martha Louise (Kennedy) Ford in New Orleans, Louisiana.

He passed away February 11, 2024 following a short battle with Glioblastoma. John had six brothers and sisters, including Linda , Katherine, Mary Nell , Eva , Leslie and Lanny . At seventeen years of age, John's father signed him up for the Navy and he served 25 years retiring as Master at Arms, Chief Petty Officer, having received numerous citations and award.

John and wife Louise Ann Gallardo welcomed his only child, Cheryl Ann Ford, on July 18, 1970. Sadly, Cheryl passed away in June, 2018. John is survived by Cheryl's three sons, Darian Brooks, Mahlon Singleton and Ryly Ford.

John and wife Olinda Ruth Babin were married in 1991 in Weaver, Alabama at a home ceremony surrounded by friends. Olinda survives him along with two stepchildren, Lisa Sharpe (Kent) and Michael J Babin, both of Silver Spring, Maryland.

Special appreciation and acknowledgement to DeeDee Cobb, John's friend and neighbor, for her support and caring of John and his beloved pets.

John's passions included playing golf, his pets and his red Volkswagen Karmann Ghia which was perpetually being restored.

Per his long-time wishes, no services will be held

Tribute Wall



“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Lisa Sharpe - February 17, 2024 at 02:23 PM



I never got to meet john but he had the sweetest voice. Cheryl just loved him. I wish our sons got a chance to meet him. Darian talked so highly of his grandfather and thier golfing ❤️

EM Brooks - March 19, 2024 at 06:26 PM



“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



Lisa Sharpe - February 17, 2024 at 02:08 PM