



John Gerard Burke

June 23, 1937 - April 12, 2013

John Gerald Burke, born June 23, 1937, in Jamaica Plain, MA went to be with our Lord April 12, 2013.

John retired from the Marine Corps after 22 years of active duty. He served as an advisor to the Vietnamese military and as an interpreter. When stateside he served in a variety of assignments with the Marines involving fiscal management. After retiring from active duty he completed over thirty years of service with Wakulla County and the State of Florida. He was a respected authority on cost containment and management of hospitals and prison systems. Throughout his personal life and his years in public service he earned the love and respect of all who came to know him.

The family will receive friends from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., Monday, April 15, 2013

at Bevis Funeral Home, Harvey-Young Chapel, Crawfordville, FL.

Graveside services will be Tuesday, April 16, 2013 at 3:00 p.m. at Whiddon Lake Cemetery, Crawfordville, FL. Bevis Funeral Home, Harvey-Young Chapel in Crawfordville is assisting the family with arrangements. (850-926-3333 or bevisfh.com).

He is survived by his loving wife of 35 years, Nita Welch Burke; his son,

Patrick Burke; his daughter, Bridget Burke-Wammack and her husband Ken Wammack; Francie Casey Lowe and her husband Brian Lowe; Jim Casey; Lee Casey and his wife Wendy; Grandchildren: Jasmine, Casey, Marina, Cole and Noah; and Zoey, John's only great-grandchild. John is also survived by his brother Paul Burke.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Paul Nerbert and Yolanda Marie Burke.

Cemetery Details

Whiddon Lake Cemetery

Crawfordville, FL 32327

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **15**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Bevis Funeral Home of Crawfordville
5 Shadeville Rd.
Crawfordville, FL 32327
(850) 926-3333

Tribute Wall

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“ *Barbara Kidwell lit a candle in memory of John Gerard Burke*



Barbara Kidwell - April 16, 2013 at 09:25 PM

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“ *David & Dixie Parker lit a candle in memory of John Gerard Burke*



David & Dixie Parker - April 16, 2013 at 03:38 PM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of John Gerard Burke.*



April 15, 2013 at 07:42 AM