



Patrick T. Schippert, Sr.

February 29, 1952 - March 5, 2022

Patrick "Pat" Theodore Schippert, Sr was born on Friday, February 29, 1952 in San Bernardino, CA to Mary Gene (Wolfe) Cunningham and Frederick Henry Schippert. Pat passed away unexpectedly on Friday, March 4, 2022 at the age of 70.

Pat spent the majority of his childhood in the Orlando, FL area. Pat entered the U.S. Army October 24, 1969 and was trained as an aircraft mechanic. In January 1972 he was deployed to Vietnam and served primarily in the Ninh Hoa region as a door gunner with the 60th Aviation Company as part of the Ghost Riders combat helicopter unit. Upon completion of his military duty he briefly attended college prior to being hired as an aviation mechanic. As a part of his aviation career he was a contract aviation mechanic for U.S. Customs Service and had many "adventures" during that employment. Pat also served as a police officer in Jacksonville, FL. In January 2008 he was recruited by the Federal Aviation Administration for a position as Aircraft Maintenance Inspector. Pat was a part of the FAA until his retirement in 05/2014.

Pat loved riding his motorcycle until chronic back issues forced him to park his beloved bike. However, he was able to enjoy boating and loved spending time on his cruiser at Lake Allatoona. He also had a love of guns and enjoyed both collecting and target shooting. Pat loved classic rock and dancing.

On 05/29/1997 Pat married Kerry Kim (McKenzie) Schippert. They shared a blended family of four children. Pat is survived by two sons, Roddy Daryl Bishop (Huntsville, AL) and Patrick Schippert, Jr.(Orlando, FL) and daughter Mary Ann Holt (Douglasville, GA) and his step-daughter, Tara Nicole Parry (Helena, MT). He also is survived by grandchildren Brianna Holt Smith, Samuel Bishop, Benjamin Bishop, Colton Parry and McKenzie Parry, daughter-in-law Kristi Bishop and son-in-law's John Parry and John Holt. Pat was one of five brothers. Gerald Benjamin Schippert, William Dennis Schippert and Frederick Henry Jr. preceded Pat in death. He is survived by brother Karl "Rick" Schippert.

Pat was truly one of a kind and a true "character". He was known for his mustache and

Panama Jack hat. He was always outspoken and all new exactly what he was thinking at any time. Pat was a beloved husband to Kerry and they would have celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary this year.

The funeral service will be held on Friday, March 11, 2022, at 12:00 PM in the chapel of McKoon Funeral Home with Rev. Don Daly officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memorial Park. The family will receive friends from 11:00 AM until service time.

Condolences may be expressed online at www.mckoon.com

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580

Cemetery

Forest Lawn Memorial Park

656 Roscoe Road

Newnan, GA, 30263

Events

MAR **Visitation** 11:00AM - 12:00PM

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McKoon Funeral Home

38 Jackson Street, Newnan, GA, US, 30263

MAR **Funeral Service** 12:00PM - 01:00PM

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McKoon Funeral Home Chapel

38 Jackson Street, Newnan, GA, US, 30263

Comments



“ An external video has been added.



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - March 17 at 03:39 PM



“ A webcast video has been added.



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - March 11 at 08:01 AM



“ Kerry kept his daughter, son, and granddaughter from the hospital and the funeral. She literally kept his biological children that he raised from making peace and saying goodbye to the man that raised us, because she is selfish and evil. One day she will answer for her psychotic behavior. My dad was almost cremated against his wish because she is that ugly of a person. Yes, we heard. There is no measurement of the emotional and mental cruelty Kerry MacKenzie has caused. She is an unstable demon. Goodbye Dad, she turned out like I said she would. Your kids suffered your alcoholism and still wanted to say goodbye. It ended just like your life, a mess.

Mart Schippert - April 15 at 12:38 PM



“ Kerry so very sorry to hear of Pat's passing. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Cindy White



Cindy White - March 11 at 03:00 PM



“ David and Connie Strickland purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Patrick T. Schippert, Sr..



David and Connie Strickland - March 10 at 09:49 PM



“ I will never forget the first time we met and Pat told me I looked exactly like someone he did not care for (you always knew how he felt) but he soon came to like me and we had so many laughs about that first encounter. Pat was so good to my dad, I will never forget all the great weekends spent together at the boat and at their home when I got to see some of the cool "toys" like the motorcycle and sword collection. I learned a lot from Pat and that wisdom along with all the laughter will never be forgotten.

I am forever grateful for his service and dedication to this country.

Thank you so much for the true friendship and I assure I will always be here for Kerry.

Until we meet again my friend!

Victoria Malley Brunetti - March 10 at 02:46 PM