



John Phipps, IV

February 4, 1949 - September 24, 2010

Chesapeake-John D. Phipps, IV, also known as JD, 61, of the fifth block of Bay Oak Drive, was called home to be with the Lord on Friday, September 24, 2010. He was a Marine Corps veteran. John was also retired as an electrician from Norfolk Naval Shipyard. He attended Bryant High School and Brooklyn College in New York. He also attended Tidewater Community College in Chesapeake.

John leaves to cherish his memory his wife, Ruth Phipps; two sons, John Phipps, V and Michael Shavers; a sister, Patricia Phipps; an uncle, Arthur Phipps. He also leaves to cherish his memory a host of other relatives and friends.

A memorial service will be held at 11am on Tuesday, September 28, 2010 at J. T. Fisher Funeral Services, 1080 N George Washington Hwy; Chesapeake with Elder Selby Wallace officiating.

Previous Events

Service

SEP **28**. 11:00 AM (ET)

J.T. Fisher Funeral Services
1248 N. George Washington Hwy
Chesapeake, VA

Tribute Wall



“ Dear Ruth,
I don't know if u remeber me or not, bt I worked with JD in Shop 99 many years ago. we use to trade romance books. I was so sorry to hear of his passing. I just heard about it yesterday from Patti Frenia. My prayers are with u and the kids. I am so sorry for your loss.
Lynn###imported-begin##Lynn Jett Orner###imported-end##

October 01, 2010 at 06:03 AM



“ I am truly saddened by JD's death and may God bless you and your family in this time of sorrow. JD was a good friend.###imported-begin##Charles Wyche###imported-end##

September 28, 2010 at 11:41 AM



“ The family have our prayers in this time of Loss.###imported-begin##Mr. & Mrs. Wayne A. Hinton Sr.###imported-end##

September 28, 2010 at 06:42 AM



“ SEMPER FI###imported-begin##robert bembry###imported-end##

September 27, 2010 at 04:31 PM



“ I am praying that God will strengthen you - ruth and your son.###imported-begin##Shirley Granger###imported-end##

September 27, 2010 at 12:33 PM



“ Our sincere condolences The Rierson's##imported-begin##Tony Rierson##imported-end##

September 27, 2010 at 12:06 PM



“ My deepest regrets go out to the family. I only worked with Mr. Phipps for a few years before he retired and would like to say he will be missed by all.##imported-begin##Guy E. Campbell, Jr.##imported-end##

September 27, 2010 at 11:27 AM



“ I was really saddened to hear of the passing of Mr. Phipps. We worked together at NNSY in the shop, and used to laugh about how wore out we were at 2pm. He will be truly missed. May God be with and comfort your family during your time of loss.##imported-begin##Andrea Lang##imported-end##

September 27, 2010 at 10:33 AM



“ May God bless you and your family in this time of sorrow.##imported-begin##Gilda Chavis##imported-end##

September 27, 2010 at 09:55 AM



“ to the the family, JD was my my friend no matter what and I will truly miss him.

T. Porter##imported-begin##Timothy T. Porter "Bobby Brown"##imported-end##

September 27, 2010 at 08:13 AM



“My deepest sympathy goes out to the family, friends, colleagues and neighbors of J.D., a recently retired NNSY-C970 employee, on his untimely passing. He was a joy to be around.”
###imported-begin###Lamont Simmons###imported-end###

September 26, 2010 at 01:42 PM



“Ruth we were very sorry to hear about the demise of J.D. We have known John from the beginning of your marriage to right now. We were with you when J.D., V was born and both you and John treated him like the special angel he is. Donald was so proud that you considered him worthy to be JD's God father. That is one relationship that will continue.
We will miss John's calls and his arguments about Norfolk State and whatever football team was playing that day. Your job is to take care of yourself. JD still needs you as much as you need him. Cherish each other, love each other, and above all else love the Lord. If His eye is on the sparrow, you should know that He is watching over you and your son.

We love you. Donald and Mabel
###imported-begin###Donald and Mabel Larrimore###imported-end###

September 26, 2010 at 11:18 AM



“ Dear Ruth & Family,

Our hearts were filled with sorrow upon hearing the news JD's passing. Please know that Teresa and I extend our sincere condolences and that we will keep you in our thoughts and prayers.

Love,

*Teresa & Bubba##imported-begin##Teresa & Harold Hagans,
Jr.##imported-end##*

September 26, 2010 at 08:04 AM