



## George Robert Ashley

June 3, 1946 - May 4, 2022

George Robert Ashley, 75, of Nokesville, Virginia, passed away on May 4th, 2022. He was born on June 3, 1946 in Alexandria, Virginia to Norman and Ruth Ashley. George had a long career at the Manassas Branch of the United States Postal Service, worked as a DJ for WPRZ in Warrenton, Va., WAVA in Rosslyn, Va., volunteered at Prince William Hospital in Manassas, Va., as well as Hospice in Aldie, Va. He was a member of Chapel Springs Church in Bristow, Va. for more than 30 years. His favorite hobbies were gardening, flower arranging, singing, and reading. He was a member of the National Christian Choir for many years. He was a faithful friend to many.

George is survived by his wife of (43) years, Mary V. Ashley; Children Robert B. Ashley and Abbey Ashley of Springfield, Missouri, grandchildren, Evie and Jones; ; Heidi A. Potempa and Bill Potempa of Front Royal, Virginia, grandchild Theo; Brother David Ashley and Susan Ashley of Travelers Rest, South Carolina, children David Jr., Michael and Sarah, Parents Ruth and Norman Ashley, deceased.

A celebration of life will be held on Wednesday, May 11, 2022 at Chapel Springs Church (11500 New Life Way, Bristow, Virginia) with family to greet friends at 10:00 AM and service at 11:00 AM. A reception will be held at the church immediately following the memorial service.

Since George loved Christmas, we will have a Christmas theme. Feel free to wear your ugly Christmas sweater or anything you feel George would love.

In lieu of flowers, please consider making donations in loving memory of George Robert Ashley to Chapel Springs Church-Missions Fund-Agape Orphanage.

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

MAY 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

Chapel Springs Church  
11500 New Life Way  
Bristow, VA 20136

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Santa George was a lovely man with a heart of gold. He was a great supporter of my book, Gift of a Servant, which meant so much to me. He truly embodied the spirit of Santa. You are missed, my dear friend.*

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**Tamara (Amos) Page** - July 09, 2023 at 11:27 PM

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“ *Mary & family, sorry to hear about George's passing. Prayers for y'all during this difficult time. With out sympathy, Joy (Ashley) & Steve Campbell*

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**joy** - May 10, 2022 at 05:27 PM

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“ *George was a kind gentle soul. As Santa Claus he reached many children with his kind caring personality. My grandchildren are in their 20's and they still talk about meeting Santa Claus. May you rest George, the Lord is gaining a Special Angel. Mary was a strong support for George and may she be blessed with many happy memories.*

*Clyde & Elsie*

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**Elsie&Clyde Shaffer** - May 09, 2022 at 01:04 PM

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*We usually get a call from Santa this time of year and when we didn't we were afraid he had left us for his place in heaven. George brought so much joy to kids in the hospital, as well as hospice families with his "tuck in" calls. He will forever be sorely missed - a kind and generous soul.*

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**Liz Irvin** - November 20, 2022 at 06:06 PM