



Howard Curtis Melton

August 2, 1939 - June 21, 2019

Howard Curtis Melton passed away in the morning of June 21, 2019 at home under the care of Capital Caring Hospice and his wife, Jill. He had a massive heart attack May 8 and began to decline after that.

Howard was born in Andalusia, Alabama, grew up in the Norfolk area and went to high school in Great Bridge, VA. An alumni of Virginia Tech, in the Corps of Engineers and a civil engineering major, he was very proud of his alma mater for all of his adult life. He earned his MS at The George Washington University in engineering.

Howard leaves behind his wife, Jill Kamp Melton, his daughter Stephanie de Jong, 3 stepsons: Timothy, Patrick and Jack Halloran, and 6 grandchildren: Will, Maisie, Alice, Carter, Luke and Quinn Halloran.

In lieu of flowers because he loved children so much, a memorial fund has been set up to donate to St. Judes Hospital. Please specify #11671263 when participating. Access this at www.stjude.org, memorial donation.

Cemetery Details

Quantico National Cemetery

18424 Joplin Road
Triangle, VA

Previous Events

Service

JUN 26. 10:00 AM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall

RF

“ Howard was a wonderful and loving Father to you, Stephanie. He was also a caring and loving husband to your Mother and my sister, Glenda, before she passed away. Having know Howard since our college days, he was a fun loving and caring person. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this sad time.
Love Rita and Stan

Rita Freese - June 28, 2019 at 03:50 PM

MS

“ Uncle Howard's passing away brings us sadness. He was more than just an Uncle, he was the “go to” guy who would have a solution for a problem. He was kind, generous, funny, intelligent and loved. He leaves a legacy who has his qualities, his Daughter Stephanie and Luke, his Grandson. Jill was Howard's guiding light and the combination of the two of them showed us what a dynamic duo they were and how we should live our lives. We have so many great memories, we would need a to write a book. We will keep the faith, love, peace and happiness in his memory.
Love, Mark and Annette Sitterson.

Mark and Annette Sitterson - June 26, 2019 at 12:05 PM

SO

“ *My sincere condolences for your loss.*

Please know that God understands how you feel and he deeply cares about you (1Peter 5:7), and fully understands what you're going through. Especially the pain and grief we experience when someone we love falls asleep in death. God's word encourages all to throw all of our anxiety on Him because he cares for you. You can trust him with your innermost feelings, Pray to Almighty God for comfort and he will sustain you.

My deepest Sympathy.

Sonia - June 25, 2019 at 09:59 AM

KM

“ *Kathy A Martin lit a candle in memory of Howard Curtis Melton*



Kathy A Martin - June 25, 2019 at 08:09 AM

KM

Howard was a twin and and very smart. He worked hard to what he achieved in life. Since I was the to see both him and his twin go threw life and achieve so very much. He was not only smart, giving, Believed so much and the love of his life was his children and wife Jill. He is at peace now the Lord

Kathy A Martin - June 25, 2019 at 08:16 AM

JD

“ *Many years ago I traveled far to stay a long weekend in Florida with my friend Jill and her Howard. One morning we sat in the kitchen as he patiently instructed me in the art of Sudoku. He showed me how to spend time to enjoy the game as together we each played, and it is a pleasant memory.*

Jan Doublestein - June 24, 2019 at 10:30 PM