



## Terrance Allan Teets

July 15, 1960 - June 21, 2020

My husband Terry, died on Sunday, June 21, 2020. I have loved him since we met on July 26, 1986. For over half of my life I have loved him. He has been a part of my life for over the 33 years and he was many things to me. At times he was my boyfriend, he was my friend, my fiancé and finally my husband. We were happy and shared a love the likes of which most will never know. He was everything to me, I will love and miss him forever💕

Terrance (Terry) Allan Teets died in Huntingtown, Maryland at the age of 59 with his wife by his side. Born July 15, 1960 in Oakland, Maryland. He resided in Maryland until the age of 12 when his family moved to Manassas, Virginia in 1972. He graduated from Osbourn Park High School in 1979. In 1981, he and his big brother Glenn O. Teets Jr. founded Teets Excavating where he worked the remainder of his life. He was dedicated to his work, his friends, and his family. He idolized and truly respected his brother; and cherished and loved his children, his wife, and his friends. He found true love and married the love of his life, Stephanie who he met in 1986. There is no love truer than that which they shared. In their love they found joy, peace and happiness which never waned and only death could put asunder. The sun shall never shine as brightly as it did when he was here. He left this life too soon. Everyone he touched is better for knowing such a remarkable, courageous, generous, and kind man. He was full throttle in every aspect of his life from his work ethic, to the love he had for his wife, brother, children and friends, to the commitment

of raising his children, and passion for his hobbies. He left this life as he lived it, with peace and dignity. He fought the demon of cancer with bravery, steel will, infinite strength and perseverance. He lived his life guided by the love in his heart equaled only by his determination. With faith and desire, he always lived each day to the fullest, loved with every ounce of energy he possessed and always left everything he touched better and brighter than it was when he found it. To work hard and play hard were his guiding principles. The passion he had for racing began with motorcycles which resulted in the 1982 World Champion. This was only surpassed by the adrenaline rush of racing a car for which he won countless races. He was truly a Champion behind the wheel of a car. Drag racing with his brother by his side were his greatest memories. In the latter part of his life he found a new passion and came to realize what he had been missing, riding his Harley Davidson Street Glide. He customized his bike to his specifications to complete perfection. He found freedom on his HD and made many new friends with whom he shared the experience and wonderment of riding on the open road. He loved his sons Zachary, Christopher, and Jordan. He was very proud of the men they had become. As a proud father he embraced the differences in his kids and appreciated each one of them for their unique and quirky ways. Zachary from the moment he was born was his spitting image, athletic and dedicated his future to our country serving in the Navy and his wife Christany. Christopher as they shared the same passion for racing and motorcycles and joining the company to which Terry had dedicated his life too. Jordan's parenting style with his daughter Evelyne, and the good husband he is to Jocelyne, reminded him of himself. The men they have become gave him a great deal of comfort that their futures were bright. Sidney was his daughter whom he adored. She was his little girl, his princess and he told her so every single day. He was the proudest Pap to Evelyne his granddaughter, she could do no wrong in his eyes. He had had an unbreakable bond with his brother, and through marriage he gained a big sister in his sister in law Valerie. In addition to his own children he found great joy for the successes of his nieces and nephews Curtis

(Emily), Mandy (Corey), Jacqueline (Norman), Glenn III (Amy) and Jason (Brandy). He was so proud and hopeful for the future of the next generation for the family with Charlotte, Hayley, Maddie, Evelyne, Ellie, Easton, Waylon, the baby boy Emily and Curtis will welcome later this year, Emily and Katelyn. He felt a strong bond with his in-laws Jerry and Shirley he felt like a member of the family and loved the holidays. He wished he could have caught another game of golf with Jeff and enjoyed taunting Erin about the time he “tried” to teach her how to drive when she was 15. His best friend Gene of nearly fifty years evolved from the wild days as the “Bradley Forest Boys” to the wise and wonderful, cool, and easy distinguished men they became. Gene as his best friend for nearly 50 years whose friendship stood the test of time and he deeply treasured, he was thankful for Karen as Gene’s wife for being such a good friend and “making his buddy happy.” Kevin and Julie all the good times shared, not to mention the wine and beer, great conversations, awesome food, and friendship. He was so glad to have been able to reconnect with Kenny and Eric his childhood friends. Jimmy H. the little brother from another mother that he adored. Scott P. his “friend from Maryland “for nearly 40 years, he treasured your friendship and your passion for collecting. The Bradley Forest boys Gene, Randy, Judge, Gary, Doug, Kevin and Jeff time cannot erase the memories and the good times you shared throughout your youth camping out and fishing, skipping school, stealing cars and chasing women, he loved to reminisce and was so glad you were able to reconnect. Wayne R. a great friend for over 30 years he was eternally grateful for your friendship. Butch and Marla he wished we could have made it to the Outer banks together but was so happy you made it to the wedding. He made many friends racing motorcycles and racing cars in NHRA, IHRA and PDRA, he had a healthy respect for his competitors and was lucky enough to call many as friends. Charlie Buck for building their motors and hoping to see everyone at the next PDRA race. He looked forward to seeing, Donny U. Jeff P., Mark, Kendall and Richard, Robert J. and his daughter Lauren, Billy, Eric D. Mike,

Jack, Bruce T. and many more. Bruce the paint on the panty dropping GTO was absolute perfection and you captured his vision impeccably. He coached little league and touched the lives of many young people before his kids were even old enough to play. Bill S. whom he looked upon with great admiration and respect not to mention body envy. He was in awe of Bill's workouts at Fries' Gym and loved those guys and gals. Scott, he was amazed by your tattoos and so enjoyed the Tough Mudder. He considered completing the course a great accomplishment and having you and Zachary on his team made the experience even more priceless. Cristy's cookies were awesome. Bill W., John. P., Tim, Mike, Brian and Judd he thought you were such great guys. The motorcycle opened a new door for him to expand his horizons and establish great friendships with really great guys Jimmy P., Joey, Mark, Sam, Glen and the baddest bitch he ever met Debra. He was spiritually awakened in 2015 with his bike, riding brought him such wonderful adventures. Lucky's making his bike faster than Joey and Gene's bikes was the icing on the cake. Thanks to you for making his last Independence Day so amazing. Spending that time with you, the fireworks and friendship was one of the greatest 4ths of his life. He had great neighbors for over 20 years, Jerry and Apryle who were always the greatest host and hostess, Jimmy and Cheryl, Dave and Darlene, Phil and Cindy, Steve and Jan, Isidro and Olga, Liz and Lauren, Dan and Cathy, Bill and Bev, the Buettner's, the Vasicek's, and many others. Terry had a tattoo of a clock which was symbolic to his motto: "Time is a thief. Seize the moment as it will never come again." Terry appreciated everything about life, and he lived each day to the fullest and loved with his whole heart. He never let the negative experiences change his outlook on life, and each time he was knocked down he stood a little taller. He always remained positive to the very end. He was gracious and kind, strong and wild, gentle, and loving. He left a mark on all that knew him. He was escorted into the gates of heaven by the angels who took mercy on the earthly suffering he had endured. It is there he joined his parents Glenn O. and Barbara E. Teets, sister Mary Ellen, grandparents Oliver and Mary E. Teets and many other aunts and uncles and

friends that passed before him. He left this world on June 21, 2020 with Stephanie and Sidney at his side in Huntingtown, Maryland. A celebration of his life will be held for friends and colleagues on Friday, July 10, 2020 from 6:00 - 8:00 at Pierce Funeral Home located at 9609 Center Street in Manassas, VA 20110

A private family service will be held on Saturday July 11, 2020 at 1:00.

Flowers will be provided by the Flower Gallery in Manassas, Virginia (703) 361-5186

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 10. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home  
9609 Center St.  
Manassas, VA 20110  
(703) 257-6028  
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<https://www.piercefh.com>

# Tribute Wall

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family of this good man. He was always so positive and upbeat. On our walks around the neighborhood we would stop to talk about his racing, his motorcycle, kids, parents and of course Brother. It didn't matter what he was going through he still had a positive outlook. He was a great neighbor and a better father. His legacy will live on through his kids and the lives he touched.

*Dave and Darlene Waterfield*

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**Dave Waterfield** - July 10, 2020 at 11:15 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Terrance Allan Teets.



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July 09, 2020 at 06:46 PM



“ Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Terrance Allan Teets.



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July 09, 2020 at 05:03 PM

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“ *Lesley Skipper lit a candle in memory of Terrance Allan Teets*



Lesley Skipper - July 08, 2020 at 11:08 PM

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*Sending love and prayers to Terrys wife and children, Junie and Valerie and all of the family.*

Lesley Skipper - July 08, 2020 at 11:12 PM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Terrance Allan Teets.*



July 08, 2020 at 10:20 PM

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“ *Judge and Family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Terrance Allan Teets.*



Judge and Family - July 08, 2020 at 07:42 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Terrance Allan Teets.*



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July 08, 2020 at 07:43 AM



“ *Janis lit a candle in memory of Terrance Allan Teets*



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**Janis** - July 07, 2020 at 06:07 PM