



George Craig Bowen

June 19, 1953 - May 30, 2012

One or the other must leave, one or the other must stay.
One or the other must grieve, that is forever the way.
That is the vow that was sworn, faithful 'til death do us part.
Braving what has to be borne, widening the ache in the heart.
One now so ever adored, first must be summoned away.
That is the will of the Lord, one or the other must stay.

-Author Unknown

Craig leaves a legacy of love and integrity with his family and those who knew him. He has left behind wonderful memories of a loving husband, father and grandfather. We are forever grateful for each and every day he was with us, the lessons learned and all of the funny jokes and good times we shared.

Craig and I were very fortunate to have shared many wonderful years together, but all the same, I would have done anything to have more time with him.

George Craig Bowen, Sr. was born in Washington, D. C. on June 19, 1953. He moved with his family to Virginia when he was 3 years old. He grew up in the Fairhaven neighborhood in south Fairfax County. He leaves his wife, Sherry of nearly 27 years, his 2 sons, George, Jr and Christopher, his daughter Brigitte and his beautiful, adorable granddaughter, Annabelle whom he adored. Craig was a wonderful, devoted and patient husband. He loved spending time with his granddaughter, fishing, camping and the Redskins. He was spiritually strong and had the most awesome sense of humor. He loved and cherished his family. He was a good friend to those who knew him.

He will forever be missed, more than words can express.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to : Amyloid Treatment and Research Program
Boston University School of Medicine
72 East Concord Street, K503
Boston, Ma.02118

Information regarding a reception will be provided at the funeral home immediately following the funeral service.

Tribute Wall



“ *George Craig Bowen*

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



“ *I just became aware of the passing of my friend. I am sadden unlike anything I have ever known. Craig was a friend and mentor to me and I shall miss him everyday for the rest of my life.*

December 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *I wish I would have known love you craig yourbrother Wayne*

August 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ I AM SO SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT MY UNCLE PASSING AWAY. AND I CAN'T EXPRESS IN WORDS HOW UPSET OUR MOTHER MAUREEN E. BOWEN IS FEELING BECAUSE SHE WAS NOT NOTIFIED AND WAS UNABLE TO ATTEND HER OWN BROTHERS FUNERAL. FAMILY IS FAMILY NO MATTER WHAT OR WHERE YOU GO IN LIFE. ITS CRAZY I WAS JUST ON FACEBOOK LOOKING FOR MY TWO COUSINS CHRISTOPHER AND GEORGE. THEN I RECIEVE A MESSAGE ON FACEBOOK THAT MY UNCLE HAS DIED. I KNOW MY UNCLE IS LOOKING DOWN FROM HEAVEN WONDERING WHAT IS GOING ON. I LOVE YOU UNCLE CRAIG. I HAVE GREAT MEMORIES OF YOU AND MY AUNT AS A SMALL CHILD. MY ONLY WISH IS I WISH WE COULD OF BEEN JUST AS CLOSE AS WE WERE GROWING UP AS WE WERE AS GROWN UPS. MY PRAYERS ARE WITH MY FAMILY IT REALLY SUCKS THAT FAMILY ONLY COMES TOGETHER WHEN SOMEONE DIES. THAT IS NOT THE WAY MY DEAD GRANDPARENTS INTENDED FOR US TO BE OR ACT. REST IN PEACE UNCLE CRAIG AND MAY YOUR LEGACY LIVE ON AS YOU WATCH OVER FROM THE GATES OF HEAVEN. MELISSA WHITAKER YOUR NIECE.....

June 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Although we had been estranged for years, I always had Craig in my thoughts...Sorry I did not have a chance to see you one more time. I pray God has taken you into his Kingdom and that you are at peace. Your sister, Patricia

June 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Sherry you and your family our in our thoughts and prayers in this sad time. Craig will be truely missed by so many of us. Our hearts are sadden with this great loss. He has left behind so many memories. Everytime we hear the Redskins we will always think of him. I thought this bible verse would be comforting as Craig will always be near in his "Spirit" - Psalm 34:18 The Lord is near to the broken-hearted, and saves the crushed in spirit. We are here for you just a phone call away if you need anything.

June 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ We are so blessed to have known you and that you were part of our lives. They say the memory of a good man is a blessing. You have blessed all who have known you in ways you didn't even know.

June 05, 2012 at 12:00 AM