



Iless Morefield

May 8, 1940 - April 21, 2019

Iless Wayne Morefield
Lt. Colonel, US Army (Ret.)

Iless Wayne Morefield of Centreville Virginia, passed away at Captital Caring Hospice in Aldie Virginia due to complications from Alzheimer and Parkinson Disease. He is survived by his wife Dreama Morefield, sons Nathan Gilmore (Karen) Lancaster, CA, Todd Morefield (Kristen) La Crescenta, CA, step sons Brian Wardrip Schereville, IN and Matthew Nelson Centreville, VA. Wayne is survived by 14 grandchildren and 25 great grandchildren.

Wayne was born in Pulaski Virginia to the late William Iless and Gertrude Virginia Morefield who preceded him in death.

When Wayne was a young boy his family moved to Virginia Beach Virginia.

He was a graduate of Norview High school class of 1958 and received a college degree from Appalachian State University in Boone North Carolina while in the military. After high school graduation he joined the United States Marine Corp. (58-64) and then enlisted in the Unites States Army where he retired as a Lt. Colonel in June 1982. Wayne served two tours in Vietnam and received numerous awards including the Bronze Star.

Wayne was a Past Master of the Springfield Lodge Masons, a Member of Scottish Rite Bodies, Past Potentate of Kena Temple (94) in Arlington Virginia, Member of Al SIHAH Temple in Macon GA and was on the Board of

Governors for Shriners Hospital for Children in Greenville South Carolina for ten years.

A memorial service will be held at a later date to be announced followed by burial at Arlington National Cemetery with full military honors.

In lieu of flowers please make a donation in his name to the Alzheimer's Foundation of America or to Shriners Hospital, Philadelphia.

Tribute Wall



“ *Iless Morefield*

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



“ *Dreama, so sorry for your loss and a big loss to humanity. Wayne and I had our disagreements but we always respected each others view and opinions. He was a great man and mentor to numerous Masonic and Shrine members.*

It was a pleasure to have known him and an honor to have served with him.

The good lord has a great angel on his side.

Rest in peace Illustrious Sir.

Mike Seely Sr - May 15, 2019 at 01:35 PM



“ *I remember this day like yesterday. From the moment I saw Wayne we hit it off. Boy was he funny with a great sense of humor. I'm glad I had The opportunity to care for him. I will never forget Wayne, Dreama and Matt...*



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“ ALTHOUGH I HAVE KNOW WAYNE FOR JUST A SHORT TIME, I CAME TO KNOW HIM AS A COMRADE IN ARMS AS WE ARE BOTH VIETNAM WAR VETERANS. IT SADDENS ME THAT AFTER ALL THE BATTLES HE MUST HAVE FOUGHT FOR OUR GREAT COUNTRY, WAYNE HAD TO BE TAKEN FROM HIS FAMILY IN SUCH A TRAGIC MANOR. I SALUTE HIM FOR HIS COURAGE AND FOR HIS SERVICE TO OUR COUNTRY. I PRAY FOR HIS WIDOW DREAMA THAT SHE FINDS PEACE KNOWING THAT WAYNE WAS A TRUE HERO AND A LOVING HUSBAND.

REST IN PEACE MY FELLOW WARRIOR!

Anthony J. Orlando, Colonel, USAF, Retired

Anthony J. Orlando - May 09, 2019 at 03:59 PM