



Joseph Thomas McKenzie

September 3, 1954 - May 3, 2013

On Friday, May 3, 2013 of Dumfries, VA. Joseph Thomas (Tom or Turk) McKenzie went to the house of the Lord at INOVA Fairfax Hospital. He is preceded in his journey by his parents and his brother John Lincoln. He was born September 3, 1954 in Alexandria and is survived by his wife of 21 years Susan and their daughter Tamara (Tammy). He is also survived by his two sisters Barbara Jean Swann and Frances Halsey. After service in the Army for ten years Tom returned to the Springfield area where he continued to work first for the Warner Companies to the present with Liberty Plumbing, Inc. Tom also volunteered at Franconia Fire House where he called Bingo for over ten years. He was also an avid sports fan especially for the Washington Redskins and Nascar. Relatives and friends may call at Jefferson Funeral Chapel, 5755 Castlewellan Dr. Alexandria, VA on Monday, May 13, 2013 from 2 to 4pm & 7 to 9pm where a funeral service will take place at 11am Tuesday. Interment Quantico National Cemetery.

Tribute Wall



“ *Joseph Thomas McKenzie*

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



“ *This has been two of the hardest days of my life. How am I supposed to say good-bye, I can't and I never will. You were always there for me in some of the hardest and best times of my life. You were the one who always told me that everything will be o.k., regardless of the situation, even though you knew there was no-hope but yet you made me believe. I remember waiting on your phone calls and letters when you were deployed with the Army and getting to stay home from school on the days you got to come home. I would run so fast to get to jump in your arms and kiss you.*

I remember when you took me to my first Redskins game and freezing my butt off so you went and got me hot-chocolate, it was cold by the time we got to drink it, but we won, we always won when you were with me. I remember when you took Jake, Ty, and I to the Philly game and there was a huge storm and the electric went out and the game was canceled and we still won by default, awesome time with my guys, all three. Thank you for being my brother and loving me!! I will always and forever love and miss you!!

Thank you for never getting mad at me, even when I would take your car, all you ever said was "Don't wreck it" Thank you for everything that you did for me but most of all thank you for being my brother. I could go on for days but I won't because I believe that you already know everything I want to say

*Always and Forever,
Monkey*

May 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ I am at a terrible loss for words Tommy. You have always had a special place in my heart. You were always there for me when I was growing up and we had a lot of good times. You will be deeply missed.

May 08, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Tom & I spent many days together through our friendship in the Zen Nippon Airinkai Potomac Koi Club. Whether it was setting up equipment or catching and bagging fish, Tom was a work horse of energy and enthusiasm. He was reliable, always willing to pitch in and fun to relax with. He could be counted on and that is what I liked about him. Straight talking with no games or hidden agendas...a refreshing change from the "Washington DC Beltway scene." My sincere condolences to dear Sue, lovely Tammy and Doris & Chuck Poppe, who all have enriched my life and those around the koi hobby. Rest easy, Tom.

May 07, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ rest in peace tommy always fran

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“ You will be in my heart and in my mind forever!!!!

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