



Charles Phillip Jestus

December 1, 2013

Charles Phillip Jestus, 65, of Cape Girardeau, MO died Sunday, December 1, 2013 at his home.. He was born February 11, 1948 in Cairo, IL to Charles Lewis and Mary E. Moore Justus. He graduated from Cairo High School. Charles was a Army veteran serving in Vietnam and was awarded the Purple Heart . He received the Silver Rose Award from Jo Ann Emerson and the National Guard Award for his service in Vietnam from the Governor of Missouri. While in Vietnam he contracted the Agent Orange. Phillip was a floral designer in the Cape Girardeau area for many years. He volunteered for the Muscular Distrophy, Salvation Army, Food Pantry, Salvation Army Thrift Store ,Humane Society and various other charitable organizations. . He was of the Baptist Faith. Survivors include, Sister , Charlotte Jean Blaylock of Calvert City, KY. 3 Nieces, Sandy (Ken) Furgerson of Dittmer, MO. Judy Blaylock of Eddyville, KY. Andrea Appleton of Cape Girardeau, MO. 4 Great Nieces , Heather, Kayla, Jamie and Sara 1 Great Nephew, Roman 1 Great Great Niece , Aneiha Caregiver, Jimmy Fox of Cape Girardeau, MO He was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Donnie Jestus. Visitation will be from 9:00 AM to 1:30 PM on Thursday, December 5, 2013 at Ford & Sons Sprigg St. Chapel.. Funeral service will be at 1:30 PM Thursday, December 5, 2013 at Ford & Sons Sprigg St. Chapel with the Rev. Kevin Ropp officiating. Burial will be at Fairmont Cemetery with Full Military Honors . Memorial contributions may be given to the family.

Tribute Wall

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“ Phillip, I will miss you, & remember you for your giving ways, as well as your artistic talent many of us found delight in. God bless you, dear one. ~Death leaves a heartache no one can heal. Love leaves a memory no one can steal~ ~~Carrie

Carrie Little - September 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ WITH SYMPATHY TO PHILLIP FAMILY

CAROLYN KINDER RN - April 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ When I worked at Rhodes on William Street, Phillip was one of my favorite customers. He was always so nice and very talkative. He was able to bring me out of my bad moods and make me smile. I always looked forward to him coming in the store. He was a great person and I am glad that he is no longer in pain and able to be with God. My heart goes out to your family in this time. I will see you again Phillip, on the other side. -Jackie

Jackie Prater - April 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Uncle Phil you will be miss dearly by all of us your family and friends. But now you can go dancing in the sky with Granny and Dad as well as Donnie and grandpa, give them all hugs from us..R.I.P you deserve to be pain free and rejoice and sing to everyone you meet in heaven. Love Judy

Judy Blaylock - March 12, 2013 at 12:00 AM