



CPO Micheal Eugene Mize

March 21, 1952 - September 28, 2024

CPO Micheal Eugene Mize, 72, of Marble Hill, Missouri died Saturday, September 28, 2024 at his home.

He was born March 21, 1952 in Colorado Springs, Colorado to Billy Eugene and Ethel June Criddle Mize.

He and Penny Fryman were married February 29, 1980 in Leonardtown, Maryland.

Micheal was a 1970 graduate of Cape Girardeau Central High School.

He served 20 years in the Navy and retired as a Chief Petty Officer. After his career in the Navy, he worked in the Norfolk Naval Shipyard.

He loved fishing and he handcrafted fishing rods and lures. He also farmed and raised assorted poultry including quail, chicken and turkeys.

Survivors include his mother, Ethel Mize of Jackson; his significant other, Debra Dalton of Marble Hill; daughter, Michelle Renee (Josh) Prado of Moyock, North Carolina; two sisters-in-law, Karla Mize of Jackson and Carol Mize of Chaffee; and three grandchildren, Seth Michael Prado, Taylor Nicole Prado and Austin Murphy.

He was preceded in death by his father; daughter, Regina Ann Mize; two brothers, Dennis W. Mize and Kevin Mize; and grandchild, Justin Murphy.

Friends may call 4 to 8 pm on Wednesday, October 2, 2024 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home in Cape Girardeau.

Funeral service will be Thursday, October 3, 2024 at 10 am, at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home with the Rev. Jeff Estes officiating.

Burial will be at Cape County Memorial Park in Cape Girardeau with full military rites by Missouri Honors Team.

Memorial contributions may be given to Maple United Methodist Church or to the family to be used toward funeral expenses.

Cemetery Details

Cape County Memorial Park

2315 Highway 61 N
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 2. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel
1001 N. Mt. Auburn Rd.
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Funeral Service

OCT 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

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