



MSGT John "Sonny" Marsh Ret.

February 15, 1930 - April 25, 2014

John Marsh, 84, known to much of his family as "Sonny" passed away unexpectedly Friday, April 25th, 2014 at his home in Edgewood FL. Born in Waltham Massachusetts on February 15, 1930 he joined the United States Air Force in 1947. During his tour of duty he met Gwendoline Curry whom he married just outside of London England in July 1958. They had two children and travelled with the Air Force until his retirement at the end of 1973. After his retirement from the Air Force John settled with his wife and two children in Orlando in 1974. He then started a home repair business as well as working in property management. He is preceded in death by Gwen, who passed away in 2009. He is survived by his daughter Donna Marsh and her daughter Brittany of Orlando and son Michael Marsh, his wife Melanie and son Milo of Key West FL. Also surviving are his siblings Billy and Wayne Marsh, Beverly Seaver all of Massachusetts and many nieces and nephews.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAY 6. 7:00 PM (ET)

A Community Funeral Home & Sunset Cremations
910 W. Michigan Street
Orlando, FL 32805
(407) 841-4424
<https://www.acommunityfuneralhome.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ *to the marsh family our hearts go out to all of you we will miss uncle sonny love chris and patty xoxo*

patty - May 02, 2014 at 04:30 PM



“ *Donna and Britt our thoughts and Prayers are with you during this difficult time.
He will Always be with you both in your heart and thoughts.*

Shirley and John Faubert

Mom - May 02, 2014 at 04:01 PM



“ *My thought and prayers to Donna, Brittany, Mike, Melanie, and Milo.
I will miss Uncle Sonny and his great sense of humor. God Bless>*

Dawn Thomas - May 02, 2014 at 10:17 AM



“ I kept waiting to find the right words to comfort Donna and Brit, but the longer I wait, the more difficult it becomes to convey my feelings ~ our dads were like a bond for Donna and I ... both gentle, loving, kind, generous and hard-working men who raised their "daddy's girls" into women and never, ever, EVER turned their backs on them -- Brit was the light of Sonny's life, and certainly his port in every storm. This kind of unconditional love is eternal ... he's taken his to a less painful and more peaceful place and now Donna and Brit will carry his in their hearts, never really healing from their loss, but finding moments of support when they least expect it. I hope Sonny and Leon find each other soon, they have so much to talk about ...



Viviana Katz - May 02, 2014 at 09:37 AM



*“ Donna, you are my dearest friend, and even though I did not know your Dad my deepest sympathies are with you and your family. You spoke so fondly of you Dad and I know you and Brittany were close with him. My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time and may your Dad rest in peace.
~Love,
Leslie and Family*

Leslie Gastineau - May 02, 2014 at 09:37 AM



“ Hugs to all of you....rest in peace Uncle Sonny

Pennie Birri - May 01, 2014 at 05:32 PM

MS

“ Donna, Brittany and the Marsh Family, Our thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family in your time of need. He will forever live in your heart and never be forgotten.



Michelle, Dario and Brittany Steigelman - May 01, 2014 at 04:24 PM

MR

“ I don't just have one single memory, I have many of my sexy old man. The last hug I got was in walmart while he and his beautiful granddaughter shopped. I remember feeling so happy that I ran into him as I always did. He touched my life and many more. He blessed me with an amazing friend and her beautiful daughter. I will always cherish all the laughs we shared and the memory of all the love he had for his 3 girls. He is and always will be an amazing man. Love you girls.

melaena Rexroad - May 01, 2014 at 04:16 PM



Bethanne Baer

“ I am sooo sorry to hear about your Dad, Donna. I know he is in the arms of Jesus now. Thank you for your service to all of us MSGT John Lawrence Marsh! You are and always will be our HERO!!! Praying for you and your family Donna. So sorry for you loss...



Bethanne Baer - May 01, 2014 at 02:45 PM



“ I remember meeting John while he was cleaning up a property after the tenants left. He was steady in his mid 70's and he was running circles around me. We took a break for lunch. I was amazed at his energy. He will be truly missed. Our love to Donna, Brittany and the rest of the family.

Steve Serrao - May 01, 2014 at 01:49 PM



“ Donna and Brittney, May the angels guide your father/grandfather safely home where he may watch over you. You've been blessed with your own personal angel

Jenny St. Jean - May 01, 2014 at 01:32 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with Donna, Britt, and all of Mr. Marsh's family and friends. The passing of a loved one, especially a great man like Mr. Marsh is never easy. May God grant you both strength and guidance during this difficult time, Donna and Britt. His light will forever shine in all of our hearts.

Rest in peace, Mr. Marsh.

Charlon Thompson - May 01, 2014 at 01:25 PM

SR

“ To Donna and Brit, during this time of lose, be comforted in the word that your father, grandfather and friend, is looking down at you with the lord by his side and smiling at good hes done, life hes lived, and the two amazing people he help guide in this world. Just remember that he will meet both of you with open arms when you are called home, and will love you like he always did...”



Sean Rubin - May 01, 2014 at 01:22 PM

LA

“ Deepest condolences to my dear friend Donna on the passing of her amazing dad. Thank you MSGT John Lawrence Marsh for your dedicated service to your country. Rest in Peace Mr Marsh.



Laureta Arive - May 01, 2014 at 12:56 PM

BH

“ My thoughts and prayers are with Donna, Brittany and the Marsh family during this difficult time. Wishing you comfort in your wonderful memories.

Barbara Hensley - May 01, 2014 at 12:55 PM

TS

“ My Most Deepest Sympathy fro the family and friends, Losing someone whom we love is one of the most painful thing anyone should not go threw, Thats why our God says in Isaiah 25:8" He will swallow up death forever and the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces and 2 Corinthians 4:7 " he will give u the strength and power beyond what is normal" to keep on....

T Sanchez - April 30, 2014 at 10:48 PM



“ *My deepest love and prayers go out to Donna, Brittany, and the Marsh family. I know how much he meant to his family and pray for the comfort and peace of his loved ones during this time.*

Vanessa Williams - April 30, 2014 at 10:47 PM



“ *Sending prayers and hugs to my cousins, Donna, Brittany, Mike, Melanie and Milo. I will miss you Uncle Sonny especially your quick wit, endless smile and our Florida visits. I love you. Until we meet again.... Love, Karen*

Karen Miscia - April 30, 2014 at 06:07 PM



“ *Christine Marsh lit a candle in memory of MSGT John "Sonny" Marsh Ret.*



Christine Marsh - April 30, 2014 at 05:29 PM



going to miss my uncle (SONNY) john may you rest in peace

Christine Marsh - April 30, 2014 at 05:36 PM



Donna and Brittany so sorry to hear of your loss, may God be with you and comfort you.

Anne Shoe - May 05, 2014 at 11:18 PM

WC

To Donna and Brittney: I'm going to miss John. I have been trying to get ahold of him. Thanks to my girl friend (Tammy) now I know why. Love to you all Willie. My cell # is (517) 227-7306

Willie Cole - May 18, 2015 at 10:46 AM