



Everett Martin Johnson

March 24, 1950 - May 29, 2024

Everett M. Johnson, 74, of Jacksonville passed away Wednesday, May 29, 2024, at his residence. Everett was born, March 24, 1950, in New Florence, MO, the son of Wesley M. and Floy Johnson. He married Peggy J. Lyons in 2000.

Surviving is his wife, Peggy of Jacksonville; daughter Kimberly (husband, Ralph Schildman) Johnson of Lakewood, CO, Eric (wife, Jessica) Johnson of Raleigh, NC; stepdaughter, Stacy Lomelino of Woodson; grandchildren, James Schildman of Lakewood, CO, Emery and Jensen Johnson of Raleigh, NC, Caleb and Cameron Willner of Jacksonville, and Tucker Lomelino of Woodson. Everett came from a large family of seven children.

Everett was employed as a division engineer for the Norfolk Railway until his retirement in 2010. Following retirement, he and Peggy operated Johnson Lawn Care service in Jacksonville. Everett enjoyed helping people, fishing, keeping physically active, lawn care and tree dendrology.

Cremation rites have been accorded. Daws Family Funeral Home in Jacksonville is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry my Uncle Everett has passed. I am his first (oldest) neice. I have so many wonderful memories of Everett. Grandpa made him take me to high school everyday. lol. When he saw a girlfriend I would ride the buss home. Everyone that knew him loved him. Just a easy, handsome man to love. He was always friendly to all and had so many friends in school. He will always be remember by his two sisters and all the other people in my family. We didn't see much of him after he moved to Jacksonville, but i know he is in heaven now with all the other Johnson's. He played basketball in high school and always looked cute in his uniform. Everett was named after his mom's dad. Just the kindest Uncle always. He watched out for me when I went to Kirksville to see him..like a second Dad. All my many memories are wonderful. We all loved him dearly.



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“Went to school with Everett from first grade in New Florence until second year of college at Northeast Mo. State College now Truman State University. His mom and my grandma were cousins once or twice removed so I called him my kissing cousin but we never kissed! He was such a good guy to all. A fond memory of his generosity and good nature involved a cigarette and a ride to Danville from Kirksville where we went to college. I was riding with three of the guys from New Florence to go hike that weekend and they would smoke in the car. I had never smoked but thought it might be glamorous to hold one like the ladies in the movies so I asked Everett if I could burn one of his cigarettes and he lit it for me so I could hold it and let it burn and smoke. You have to remember this was in 1968 or 69 and cigarettes were not as expensive but none of us had a lot of cash to spend so this was a generous act on his part. Everett was always sweet and kind to me. May his family find comfort in great memories of love and laughter they have shared. Sincerely- Cathy Powell Nickens '68 Wildcat Classmate

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