



Captain Wayne Shuff

September 7, 1947 - September 28, 2019

Captain Wayne Shuff, 72, of Plant City, Florida, born in Natchitoches, Louisiana on September 7, 1947, entered into eternal rest on September 28, 2019. He was a member of First Baptist Church Plant City where he taught Sunday School, a member of CCA Florida, and was a United States Coast Guard Certified Captain. He established and owned Shuff's Paint Plus, and the owner of Hey Jude Fishing Charters. He loved his family and church, and enjoyed fishing. He is survived by his wife, Rebecca Lynn Shuff; sons, Tim Shuff (Stephanie) of Plant City, and Todd Shuff (Kristin) of Lakeland; 6 grandchildren; siblings, Nancy Sansone (Bob) of Cape Coral, and Richard Shuff (Donna) of Meade, Colorado; step-children, Lauren Paul (Michael) of Plant City, Douglas Roberts (Amanda) of Atlanta, Georgia, and Harley Davidson of Plant City; mother-in-law, Dottie Pollock; dog, Teddy; and many other family and friends. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Rebecca Jane Shuff. A memorial service will be held on Monday, September 30th at 6:30 P.M. at First Baptist Church Plant City, 3309 James L Redman Pkwy, Plant City, where family will receive friends beginning at 5:30 P.M. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the First Baptist Church Plant City Mission Fund at fbcpc.com. Expressions of condolence at www.hopewellfuneral.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **30**. 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church Plant City
3309 James L. Redman Parkway
Plant City, FL

Memorial Service

SEP **30**. 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

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Plant City, FL

Tribute Wall

AG

“ WE first met Wayne and Janey at the Walden Lake Tennis Club back in early 80's and have fond memories of our time spent on the courts, shared dinners, and fishing trips. So sorry to hear of Wayne's passing and sorry we could not attend his memorial service. We offer prayers for his family during this time!

Alan and Sue Griffin

Alan and Sue Griffin - October 04, 2019 at 03:54 PM

RS

Thank you, Alan and Sue. I met Wayne in the early 80's when he and Jany were SS teachers at First Baptist. He was also my daughter Lauren's deacon when she accepted Christ as her savior back in the late 80's. The Shuffs have been special to my family and others like yours for decades. Love, Becky

Rebecca Shuff - October 09, 2019 at 07:06 AM

BC

“ Wayne is part of my memories and I am sad to learn of his passing. He sold me cans of paint, gave helpful advice and we spent time together on Lemon Bay and Charlotte Harbor. The world is a better place because because of his friendly gracious manner.

Bill Carr - October 04, 2019 at 01:45 PM

MS

Thank you, Mr. Carr

Mrs. Wayne Shuff - October 04, 2019 at 02:51 PM

 Patrick
Kelly

“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



Patrick Kelly - October 02, 2019 at 11:28 PM

MS

Thank you again, Patrick and Teresa

Mrs. Wayne Shuff - October 04, 2019 at 02:52 PM

BL

“ *I went to school with Wayne, what a beautiful voice he had. He seemed to always be smiling. The world was a better place while he was in it.*



Brenda Lane - October 01, 2019 at 02:19 AM

MS

Thank you, Brenda. His voice was beautiful, especially when he was playing the guitar. Bless you

Mrs. Wayne Shuff - October 04, 2019 at 02:54 PM

NN

“There are some who bring a light to the world that even after they have gone, the light remains.” This is how I think of Wayne. May the memory of his kindness and gentleness sustain you through your grief, Becky.

Fondly,
Nancy Noonan

Nancy Noonan - September 30, 2019 at 04:25 PM

GS

“ Wayne was a great friend of mine. My fondest memories are of him playing the guitar and becky and i singing jimmy buffet songs..Also becky and wayne and i cooking dinners on pass-a-grille.watching sunsets and eating at the Paradise Grille.i will miss him, but i still have Becky and Teddy.

Galene Shorter - September 30, 2019 at 12:10 PM

MS

Thank you, Galene, for giving Wayne, Teddy and I are gift of yourself. Passagrille is a more beautiful place because of you and Jeni

Mrs. Wayne Shuff - October 04, 2019 at 02:55 PM

MS

The gift Of yourself and Jeni

Mrs. Wayne Shuff - October 04, 2019 at 02:56 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Captain Wayne Shuff.



September 30, 2019 at 10:52 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Captain Wayne Shuff.*



September 30, 2019 at 10:42 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Captain Wayne Shuff.*



September 30, 2019 at 10:20 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Captain Wayne Shuff.*



September 30, 2019 at 09:45 AM

GM

“ In the fall of 1976, I was a senior in high school and struggling to finish up my Eagle Scout requirements before I ran out of time on my 18th birthday. Wayne knew that I needed some help and gave me a whole day of his time to travel to Hillsboro State Park and some property that First Baptist owned on the little Withlacoochee River to take some photos of wildlife for a merit badge I desperately needed. That day was very valuable to me because we were able to complete the merit badge requirements and he also shared with me the value of professional sales as a career. I subsequently received my Eagle Scout award and went into a career of professional sales. I will always be grateful to Wayne for his friendship and help especially giving me that day 42 years ago. Tim and Todd, you and your family will remain in my thoughts and prayers. May our loving heavenly father shine his light on you and give you peace!

Gary Sawyer

Gary Sawyer M.A.,LMHC - September 30, 2019 at 08:17 AM

WB

Our most sincere condolences from all Wayne's friends at O'Neill's Marina. We all enjoyed his company and stories. Bill Bartlett.

William Bartlett - September 30, 2019 at 12:16 PM

RS

Thank you, Mr. Bartlett. A note to O'Neill's will follow shortly; you and everything O'Neill's was a touchstone for Wayne and me these past two years. In His love, Becky

Rebecca Shuff - October 09, 2019 at 06:58 AM

RS

Gary Sawyer- Thank you for this precious tribute. Wayne always spoke so fondly of you. He appreciated your love of scouting, something he says he would have enjoyed. Becky

Rebecca Shuff - October 09, 2019 at 07:01 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers for the entire family.*

H. L. and Gwen Olive

H. L. Olive - September 30, 2019 at 08:05 AM



Thank you, Mr. and Mrs. Olive. Please continue praying for Wayne's family. I rejoice in the resurrection life provided through Jesus Christ. I enjoyed singing in choir with you, Mrs. Olive! Becky

Rebecca Shuff - October 09, 2019 at 06:59 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Captain Wayne Shuff.*



September 29, 2019 at 05:27 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Captain Wayne Shuff.*



September 29, 2019 at 03:10 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Captain Wayne Shuff.*



September 29, 2019 at 11:21 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Captain Wayne Shuff.*



September 29, 2019 at 09:41 AM



“ *Tom And Cindy lit a candle in memory of Captain Wayne Shuff*



Tom and Cindy - September 29, 2019 at 09:09 AM



“ *Tom and Cindy purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Captain Wayne Shuff.*



Tom and Cindy - September 29, 2019 at 09:06 AM

JM

“ *Papa Tim, Nini Stephanie and Family. Papa Wayne will be truly missed but he is at rest no more pain.*

Nana Jackie, Hassan, Jaiden and Desi sending our Love.

Jacqueline Mitchell - September 29, 2019 at 07:35 AM

CC

“ *Tim, Stephanie and Family our thoughts and prayers are with you in your time of need. God Bless*

Clint & Terri Childress

Clint & Terri Childress - September 28, 2019 at 10:53 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Captain Wayne Shuff.*



September 28, 2019 at 09:21 PM

BB

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the entire family. We had known him for many years and always appreciated his friendship.*

Benny & Linda Boswell

Benny & Linda Boswell - September 28, 2019 at 09:04 PM