

CHARLES EDWARD BEAM



A Veteran of the U.S. Navy, laid down his working tools on January 19, 2024. He was born on February 22, 1947, in Pittsburgh, PA, the son of the late Charles Howard Beam and Thelma Yetter Beam. His loss was completely unexpected, and his family is profoundly saddened.

Charlie was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Susan Witt Beam. They met while attending West Virginia University and were proud

Mountaineers, attending games as dedicated alumni, always cheering for their Blue and Gold.

He is survived by his daughter, Caryn Hansen (Jason) of Holly Springs, NC; daughter, Erin Mills (Jeffrey), of Farmington, PA; six grandchildren: Carly, Logan, Jacob, Macy, Anne, and Julia; sister, Barbara Reynolds (Jim) of Irvine, CA; sister-in-law, Amy Witt Klevan (Tom) of Bethel Park, PA; brother-in-law, Cody Jones of Sissonville, WV; and many loving nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Charlie was a Marketing Manager at CONSOL Energy/Fairmont Supply Co., retiring after over 30 years of service. He was a 25-year member of the Masonic Bodies and was proud to have been awarded the 32nd degree. He was a current member of Sunset Lodge #237 F&AM of Washington, PA.

He is best remembered for his love of the outdoors. An avid fisherman, beginning with annual family trips to the Idylwild Lodge, Sparrow Lake, Ontario, Canada, he passed on his love of outdoor adventures to his daughters, sons-in-law, and grandchildren. Charlie loved music; some of his favorite legends included The Rolling Stones, Jimmy Hendrix, and Bob Marley. His canine companions were dear to him and are on a long walk with him now.

The family would like to express their heartfelt gratitude for the outpouring of love and support. The kind words, gestures, and presence have comforted and strengthened the grieving family.

Interment will be held at the National Cemetery of the Alleghenies, and a Celebration of Life will follow at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the family scholarship, The Charles Edward Witt Memorial Scholarship - donations should designate the Charles Edward Witt Memorial Scholarship (3S606) and be sent to West Virginia University Foundation, One Waterfront Place - 7th Floor, PO Box 1650, Morgantown, WV 26507-1650.

Funeral arrangements entrusted to **PITTSBURGH CREMATION & FUNERAL CARE**, McMurray, PA.



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