



Ret. Chief Petty Officer JL Morgan

September 24, 1929 - August 21, 2012

MORGAN, J. L. Completed his last tour of duty on earth August 21th, 2012. Born September 24, 1929 in Peavine, TN, he was preceded in death by his wife, Geraldine (Long) Morgan, his mother, Amanda (Hall) Morgan; his father, Walter Morgan and all 4 of his brothers and sisters. Survived by his two children, Rick (Patti) Morgan of Alabaster, AL, and Dr. Susan Morgan of Murfreesboro, TN; 2 grandchildren, Michael (Tamara) Roberts of Smyrna, TN, and Elizabeth Morgan of Alabaster, AL; and 2 great-grandchildren, Christian and Dillon Roberts. J.L. spent 20 years in the U.S. Navy before retiring in 1967 as a Senior Chief Electrician's Mate (Nuclear). He proudly served our country during the Korean and Vietnam wars, was an original member of our nuclear fleet aboard the USS Long Beach and was a sailor at heart the rest of his life. J.L. had two other careers after his navy days; one as Chief Engineer for Clover Bottom Hospital and School for 10 years and another as a Certified Safety Professional for Continental Life Insurance Company for 10 years. J.L. loved to play golf and was a member of Old Hickory Country Club for 34 years, where he scored several holes-in-one and many more holes-in-six. He also loved to play guitar and left behind an unfulfilled wish of playing on stage at the Grand Ole Opry, even though he knew he wasn't good enough (it's all about who you know). J.L. loved to tell a good sea story, was a kind, funny and generous man who was greatly loved and respected by his family and friends. Visitation will be held at Phillip-Robinson's Hadley Chapel in Old Hickory, TN on Friday, August 24th from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m.. Services will be

held at the Chapel on Saturday, August 25th at 2 p.m., Dr. Dan Spross presiding. Interment will be at Middle Tennessee Veteran's Cemetery in Pegram, TN, 10 a.m. Monday. PHILLIPS ROBINSON Hadley Chapel, (615) 847-1010.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ret. Chief Petty Officer JL Morgan*

October 14, 2022 at 08:02 PM



“ *Rick and Susie*

Sorry for your loss. JL was a great man and a great friend. He always told David and I that we were just plain UUUUUGLY!!! But I know he loved us. as we did Him He will be missed.

Love

Larry Hester

Larry Hester - August 25, 2012 at 03:04 PM



“ *Grandpa will be dearly missed by those who had the privilege of knowing him. My heart and my prayers go out to Rick & Susie in losing such a wonderful father.*

My fondest memories of Grandpa were going out to play golf together at Old Hickory Country Club and also just hanging out in the basement and talking about anything under the sun. I will always hold him and the time we spent together in my heart. I love you Grandpa.

Michael Roberts - August 24, 2012 at 08:45 PM

MU

“ Jay Morgan was a wonderful loving father and husband. I know this because I had the priviledge of spending alot of time with the family as a child and young adult. I had no dad to to be an example in my life and so I had the chance to observe what a real dad looked like. Thank you Jay. You memory will never be lost in my heart. Rick and Sue I know how you will miss your papa or papsan and daddy.

Mike Urrutia - August 23, 2012 at 10:57 PM

SS

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Please let me know if there's anything that you need or anything that I can do.

Susie Stokes - August 23, 2012 at 08:22 PM

PB

“ Susan and Rick, I am really sorry for the loss of your dad.He has been a good neighbor and friend.He would watch over my house when I was out of town. Over the years we had some really fun times with him and Gerry. I will also miss our Christmas Eve visits and our long talks. I am sure he will be looking down from Heaven to make sure his lawn is mowed properly. He had the best looking yard in our neighborhood.
I have fond memories of Jay, and we will miss him very much.

Pat

Patricia Bryant - August 23, 2012 at 04:05 PM

KG

“ Uncle J.L. You were loved by many and will be missed, may you rest in peace.

Karen Long Gray - August 23, 2012 at 03:40 PM