



Paul Roger Whitten

December 14, 1952 - March 9, 2019

Paul Roger Whitten, 66, of Hampstead, NC, died March 9 at Lower Cape Fear Hospice surrounded by family to include former wife and his daughters step-father, Cliff Carroll.

Paul grew up in Cascilla, Mississippi and attended Cascilla Baptist Church with his parents and 12 siblings. He graduated from Grenada High School in 1970. He joined the Army in 1973 but received a medical discharge. He worked as an electrician, maintenance man, landscaper, and builder among other things. He was married for ten years to Kathleen Johnson Carroll with whom he had two daughters.

Paul had a great sense of humor, loved his family, women, strawberry milkshakes, classic rock, ION television, steak cut french fries, drinking Coke, playing pool from a young age and smoking. Paul survived an accident in 1990 but with a TBI and lived another 29 years. In the last 6 years he was able to reconnect with his daughters, son in law, grandsons, great-granddaughter, and leave a legacy that will live on forever.

Paul was preceded in death by parents Beulah May Whitten and Lindsey Noel Whitten, Sr.; one sister, Linda Whitten; and four brothers, Lindsey Noel Whitten, Jr., Cecil Whitten, Marvin Whitten, and Sam Whitten.

He is survived by daughters: Melissa "Missy" Moore (Darrell), Laura Beth Whitten of Hampstead, NC; Grandchildren: Marshal (Lyna), Ted, Drake, Grey, and Elly; Siblings, Verna Phillips, JP Whitten, Mary Kane, Irene Wood, Johny Frank Whitten, Mike Whitten and over 70 nieces/nephews and greats; Special

friends, Barbera and Ken Mims

His daughters would like to give special thanks to the staff at Lower Cape Fear Hospice for providing him with peace and comfort during his transition.

We are forever grateful.

Celebration of life will be held at a later date in Grenada, Mississippi.