

Joseph "Joe" Felton White

August 9, 1929 - November 2, 2013

Joseph Felton (Joe) White, 84, my beloved and my friend, passed away Nov. 2, 2013 after a long illness. Born August 9, 1929 in Pasquotank County, N.C. He was a resident of the Williamsburg area for 30 years and has resided in New Kent County since 1982.

A proud Navy veteran, he served onboard the aircraft carrier Franklin D. Roosevelt. In 1984, he retired from Camp Peary as supervisor of the plumbing and heating shop where he had many friends. He then worked at the Better Buy Building Supply until the store closed. Always quick to help with a warm smile and laugh, Joe never knew a stranger. Anyone who met him became an instant friend. Joe's first love was horses. He and his wife, Jan, enjoyed many happy hours trail riding together.

He was preceded in death by his son, Charles Felton White; two grandsons, Brian and Daniel White; and his sister, Audrey Stover.

Survivors include his wife of 32 years, Janice (Jan) White; two sons, James (Jim) White (Leslie) of West Virginia and Michael White (Lenore) of Arizona; two grandsons, three granddaughters, one great-grandson; two sisters, Jean Glass and her husband, Jim, who he loved as a brother and Marjorie Sawyer; and several nieces and nephews.

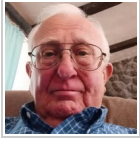
Joe truly loved and enjoyed life but most of all he loved his Lord having given his life to Christ as a youth. He was a current member of Tsena Commocko Baptist Church where he was active as long as he could be. Such a strong and loving heart we thought surely could not stop beating.

Words cannot express the gratitude felt for the staff of Riverside Convalescent Center for their compassionate and professional care over the past year. Appreciation is also given to the staff of Alternative Adult Day Care which Joe attended for several years. God has placed so many wonderful people in our life during this long journey.

Graveside services will be held 1 PM Monday November 4, 2013 at Williamsburg Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers please consider a donation to the Salvation Army, 2 W Grace Street, Richmond VA 23220.

“God forbid that I should go to any heaven where there are no horses.”

Tribute Wall



“ *I knew him as Daddy, he is my father, others knew him as Smokey.*

Michael White - July 08, 2022 at 09:43 PM



“ *Kim Bevan lit a candle in memory of Joseph "Joe" Felton White*



Kim Bevan - November 16, 2013 at 10:47 AM