

John Joseph Marvin

In Loving Memory Of

John Joseph Marvin, born August 10, 1950, suffered a long battle with heart disease that finally, sadly, took him away from us February 26, 2018. Beloved son of Tim and Johanna (Carr) Marvin, and brother to Mary, Anna, and Tim, John was born in Wallace, ID. He went to school in Sturgis, SD, and learned ranching in Elm Springs, SD.

John worked at Dickson Saw Mill before being drafted into the Army in February of 1970. While serving in Vietnam, he obtained expertise with grenade launchers, M16 rifles, and machine guns as well as earning a Service Medal, Campaign Medal, Company Infantry Badge, and two Purple Hearts.

John spent nine years working on the Durham Buffalo Ranch near Gillette, WY, before moving his family back to Sturgis where he eventually retired from the Housekeeping Department at Fort Meade.

John shared his life with his soulmate, Carol (Ulrich) Marvin since 1969 and never could two people be more as one. Their union was blessed by Elizabeth Dawn (Brian Morgan), Gillette, WY, John Marvin, Jr., Rapid City, SD, Melvin (Krista Keene), Sturgis, SD, Toby, Sturgis, SD, Jessica (Mason Abell), Sturgis, SD, and Dorothy, Spearfish, SD. His grandchildren are Patricia, Rebecca, Ruth, Wally, Danny, and David Morgan and Paige and Roman Abell. John's great-grandchild is Ethan Morgan who will be joined by a younger sibling this June.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.kinkadefunerals.com.



The family would like to invite you to join them for fellowship and lunch in the church basement. We thank you for your presence and condolences.

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Born

August 10, 1950
Wallace, Idaho

Died

February 26, 2018
Rapid City, South Dakota

Funeral Service

Friday, March 2, 2018, at 10:00 a.m.
Church of Christ
Sturgis, South Dakota

Officiant

Pastor Ozzy McDaniel

Musical Selections

“Amazing Grace”
“Go Rest High on that Mountain”
“Why Me Lord”

Pallbearers

Melvin Marvin ~ John Marvin, Jr. ~ Toby Marvin
Mason Abell ~ Brian Morgan ~ Wally Morgan

Interment

11:30 A.M.
Black Hills National Cemetery
Sturgis, South Dakota

I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help.

My help cometh from the LORD, which made heaven and earth.

He will not suffer thy foot to be moved: he that keepeth thee will not slumber.

Behold, he that keepeth Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep.

The LORD is thy keeper: the LORD is thy shade upon thy right hand.

The sun shall not smite thee by day, nor the moon by night.

The LORD shall preserve thee from all evil: he shall preserve thy soul.

The LORD shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth, and even for evermore.

Psalm 121