

A close-up photograph of the American flag, showing the blue field with white stars and the red and white stripes. The flag is draped and slightly wrinkled, creating a sense of depth and texture. The colors are vibrant and the lighting is soft, highlighting the fabric's details.

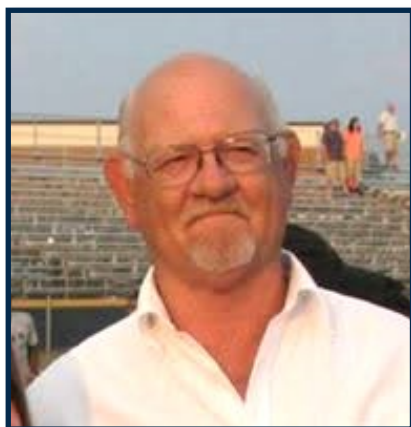
IN LOVING MEMORY

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FUNERAL SERVICE

11 a.m., Thursday, May 14, 2026
Munden Funeral Home, Havelock, NC
Officiated by Rev. Noah Johnson

“THE OLD RUGGED CROSS”

Recording by Alan Jackson

PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING: PSALM 62

PRAYER

FAMILY SHARING

MESSAGE: 2 CORINTHIANS 1:3-7

PRAYER

WHEN I GET WHERE I'M GOING”

Recording by Brad Paisley

Master Sergeant Loren Beeman Aldred Jr. (USMC Retired), 76, of Havelock, North Carolina, passed away peacefully on Saturday, May 9, 2026, at Carolina East Medical Center.

Loren was born on January 3, 1950, in Zanesville, Ohio, to the late Loren Sr. and Faye Aldred. He proudly served his country in the United States Marine Corps for 26 honorable years. His commitment, discipline, and patriotism were qualities he carried throughout his life and instilled in his family. Following his military career, he remained active in his community as a proud member of the local VFW.

Loren had a lifelong passion for golf. He could often be found on the golf course, which was his happy place. He truly loved every minute on the course. Loren was a true family man, he cherished spending time with his beloved wife, children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren. May his memory be a blessing to all who knew and loved him.

Those remaining to cherish his memory are his loving wife, Joyce Aldred of the home; son, Loren Beeman Aldred III (Leticia) of Santa Rosa, California; sisters, Patty Franklin of Las Vegas, Nevada, Rhoda King of Zanesville, Ohio, and Peggy Chapman of Fort Myers, Florida; brothers, Joe Aldred (Belinda) of Canal Winchester, Ohio, and David Aldred of Zanesville, Ohio; grandchildren, Zachary Gandy, Anastasia Grice, Brittany Cup Choy, and Isabella Aldred; and great grandchildren, Rose, Edward IV, Winter, Oakley, Morigan, Walter, and Integra.

In addition to his parents, Loren was preceded in death by his daughter, Melissa Renee Gandy; brothers, John and Burt Aldred; brothers-in-law, Frank Franklin and Jim King; and sister-in-law, Debbie Aldred.

Family and friends are welcome to submit online condolences at www.mundenfuneralhome.net.

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THE MARINE CORPS HYMN

From the Halls of Montezuma
To the shores of Tripoli;
We fight our country's battles
In the air, on land, and sea;
First to fight for right and freedom
And to keep our honor clean;
We are proud to claim the title
of United States Marine.

Our flag's unfurled to every breeze
From dawn to setting sun;
We have fought in ev'ry clime and place
Where we could take a gun;
In the snow of far-off Northern lands
And in sunny tropic scenes;
You will find us always on the job
The United States Marines

Here's health to you and to our Corps
Which we are proud to serve;
In many a strife we've fought for life
And never lost our nerve;
If the Army and the Navy
Ever look on Heaven's scenes;
They will find the streets are guarded
By United States Marines.



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