



John Richard Moore

John Richard Moore, 84, passed away Wednesday, September 3, 2015, after a brief illness surrounded by his loving family.

John was born in Mitchell, SD, on January 23, 1931, to Ralph and Laura Moore. In 1949, he joined the U.S. Army and served this country in the Korean War until 1952. In 1953, he married Dolores Pedretti where they resided in Wisconsin for 2 years before moving back to South Dakota to start their family. They moved

to Washington in 1966 where they raised their family until 1976 when they moved to Deadwood, SD. John worked in his brother-in-laws welding shop for several years before moving on to working in the logging industry.

In 1994, John filled his traveling desires and moved to Guam to work with his son, Jim, in the sandblasting business. In 1997, John married Remedios Orilla and they moved to the Philippines where John retired. John spent the next many years traveling back and forth between the Philippines and the U.S. keeping in close touch with his family in the U.S. for family reunions, extended stays, and other special events. He spent a lot of time with his son Jim's family in Guam as well.

John had many hobbies including hunting, fishing, boating, listening to music, and playing pool. His greatest passion was the love of his family and it provided great joy for those of us remaining here on earth. He could always be depended on to tell great stories, reminisce about the 'old days', swing a country dance, pull you on water skis, play a game of crib, or throw in a line.

He leaves his children, John Moore, Jackie McCulloch, Tom Moore (Merrily), Jim Moore (Rose), Janet Asheim (Tim), Teri Allsup (Ross), Jill Chapman (Lee); 20 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; sisters, Pat Webster (Chuck), Linda Endorf (Gary), Mary Lou Knappmiller (Gil); and many close friends and family. John also had an extended family in the Philippines; wife, Remy; daughter, Korina; and many other family members.

John was preceded in death by his grandson, Jake; his father, Ralph; mother, Laura; daughter, Monica; and brother, Ralph Junior.

He will be greatly missed by his family and we are excited to meet up with him in the afterworld.

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

In Loving Memory Of



John Richard Moore

1931 ~ 2015

AS I SIT IN HEAVEN

*As I sit heaven
And watch you everyday
I try to let you know with signs
I never went away
I hear you when you're laughing
And watch you as you sleep
I even place my arms around you
To calm you as you weep
I see you wish the days away
Begging to have me home
So I try to send you signs
So you know you are not alone
Don't feel guilty that you have
Life that was denied to me
Heaven is truly beautiful
Just you wait and see
So live your life, laugh again
Enjoy yourself, be free
Then I know with every breath you take
You'll be taking one for me...*



A Million Times

*A million times we've needed you,
A million times we've cried,
If our love could have saved you,
You never would have died.
It broke our hearts to lose you,
But you did not go alone,
For part of us went with you,
The day God called you home.
He saw you were getting tired,
When a recovery was not to be,
He closed His arms around you,
And whispered "Come to Me."
For all the pain you went through,
He saw you needed rest,
God's garden must be beautiful,
For he only picks the best.*

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Born

*January 23, 1931
Mitchell, South Dakota*

Died

*September 3, 2015
Rapid City, South Dakota*

Memorial Service

*Tuesday, September 8, 2015 at 11:00 a.m.
Kinkade Funeral Chapel
Sturgis, South Dakota*

Officiant

Pastor Willard Olsen

Music

*"Amazing Grace" "You Raise Me Up"
"Homesick" "Save a Place for Me"*

Military Honors

Sturgis Veterans Honor Guard

Inurnment

*Black Hills National Cemetery
Sturgis, South Dakota*