



John Craig Bishop

May 15, 1931 - March 30, 2013

John C. Bishop passed quietly at the age of 81 at his home in Tequesta, FL on Saturday morning, March 30, 2013. Born in Chicago, IL, he was the son of William and Helen Bishop. He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Flo Bishop and his children, Karyn Knecht, Wendy Taylor, and John Bishop, Jr. John served in the United States Army for two years during the time of the Korean War. He was employed at Pratt & Whitney for 33 years and also worked at Robinson Citrus for 8 years. In the early 70s, John was a member of the Martin County Volunteer Fire Department and also served as a girls softball coach for JTAA. He also had a passion for astronomy, having been a member of the Palm Beach Astronomy Club and winning a "Most Unique" award in 1975 for designing and building a telescope. After retirement, John enjoyed time with his grandchildren, Patrick Magee, Shannon Magee, Kyle Taylor, Whitney Taylor Wills, and Dalton Knecht. Just last year he was able to meet his two great-grandchildren, Caylen and Addilyn Taylor. He also volunteered at Hobe Sound Elementary School since 1996. John was a one-time member of the Elks, a member of the UTC Retirees Club, and recently joined the American Legion. He was a member of St. Jude's Catholic Church. His memorial mass will be held at St. Jude's Catholic Church in Tequesta, FL on Friday April 05, 2013 at 1:00 PM. An inurnment will take place immediately following the service at Riverside Memorial Park in Tequesta, FL. In lieu of flowers, please donate to the ARC of the Palm Beaches.

Tribute Wall



“ *John Craig Bishop*

October 22, 2023 at 10:17 AM



“ *Dear Aunt Flo & Family, So very sorry to hear about Uncle John. We send you our love and prayers. Love, Bob, Renee, & Dana*

Bob, Renee, & Dana Bishop - Parsippany, NJ - Nephew/Godsom - April 10, 2013
at 12:00 AM



“ *Daddy,
There are few people in our lives that we can look to as a role model. From you, I learned that inner strength and perseverance would help me achieve the goals that I set for myself. Your strength and love helped me through some difficult times. I love you for your belief in me and for the support you gave to me during the many challenges I have faced. I will miss you dearly for the rest of my days and my love for you is endless.
Your daughter,
Karyn*

Karyn Knecht - Lake Park, FL - Daughter - April 09, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Aunt Flo and family,*

I am very sorry to hear about Uncle John. I will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers.

Robin Bishop - Riverside, OH - Nece - April 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ Flo, Karyn, Wendy, John and Families,

Our deepest sympathies to you all. My memories of Mr. John are of a kind, happy, fun man who always had the most interesting projects. His deep love for his family and friends was clearly shown whenever he was around. God surely has one of the "Good Guys" with him now. May the memories and prayers sent your way help to comfort you.

Mark and Jody Simpson and Family - Bradenton, FL - Friend - April 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MN

“ Aunt Flo and family, I am sorry for the loss you feel. My heart feels your loss and I pray for you to find peace and comfort from all of those who love you. Uncle Johnny was the sweetest man and I know how much he will be missed. God Bless you all and God Bless Uncle Johnny.

Mary Sue Whitaker - Lake Havasu City, AZ - Niece - April 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.

Carlos Morales & Tom Carr - Atlanta, GA - Friend - April 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ Thinking of you today and sending prayers your way...

Jennifer Donahue - Blacklick, OH - April 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ Dear Flo, Karen, Wendy & Johnny,
Sending hugs & prayers for the loss of John.....
So very saddened to hear the news of my wonderful brother John.
He was so special, and I know will be greatly missed.
Love you all,
Bob & Marge Tuttle and Kathy Hamrick

Marge & Bob Tuttle - Ft Wayne, IN - Sister & Brother-in-law - April 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM

OF

“ John and family,
I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. Although I never had the pleasure of meeting your dad, he seems to have been an amazing person and I know he raised a great son who is my dear friend. My prayers and thoughts are with all of you during this time.
Orit

Orit Krivis - Cleveland, OH - Friend - April 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ Oompa, I miss you dearly! I will always remember your wonderful personality and contagious smile. Those qualities and memories of you will live on through me every day of my life. Say hi to my daddy and grammie while you're up there. I know I have some amazing angels taking care of me. Forever in my heart. Love, Shannon

Shannon A Magee - FL - Granddaughter - April 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM