



John William Foster

January 3, 1948 - March 26, 2020

John William Foster passed away Thursday, March 26th, 2020, At Vanderbilt Medical Center. He was born in Pulaski, TN on January 3rd, 1948 and was 72 years old.

He was a loving husband, father, and grandfather who loved spending time with his family. He served in the US Army as a MP during Vietnam in Germany. He enjoyed woodworking, football, and doing yardwork.

A private graveside service at Lynnwood Cemetery will be held.

Memorial donations are suggested to go to Richland Elementary School Library, 10333 Columbia Hwy, Lynnville, TN 38472 or Campbellsville United Methodist Church, 10601 Campbellsville Rd, Pulaski, TN 38478

He was preceded in death by his parents, Forest Brown and Annie Brown McCaskill Foster, brothers, Don Foster and Robert Foster, and sister, Martha Ann Derryberry.

He is survived by;

Wife, Sharon Foster of Cornersville

Daughter, Keri (Rodney) Meeks of Cornersville

Grandchildren, Connor and Ella Meeks

Sisters, Linda (Loyd) Stafford, Gertrude Dickey, and Nancy (Joe) Birdsong all of Pulaski

Many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends also survive.

Bennett-May & Pierce Funeral Home and Crematory is in charge of arrangements for John William Foster.

Tribute Wall

CI

“ *John William Foster*

Chad Ingram - September 23, 2020 at 11:51 AM

BM

“ *I was so sad to hear of the passing of John Foster . I considered him a teacher, a mentor and a friend. I enjoyed his history class but, most of all, I appreciated the talks we had during study hall. Many times he would call me up to his desk (as though I was in trouble) only to talk about things. Sometimes it was the news, sometimes music, sometimes family, or school things. I will always be thankful for his persistence in making me reconsider my college choice. Not many teachers care enough to offer guidance to kids. I will forever be grateful. Rest In Peace John Foster! You were loved and appreciated.*

Brad Martin - April 02, 2020 at 06:14 PM

RM

“ *I'm very sorry to hear about Mr. Foster! Your family is in my prayers. He was a GREAT teacher when I had him in high school and the BEST boss I ever had. I respected him greatly. He will be missed. God bless you and your family during this time. Rosanna Mize*

Rosanna Mize - March 28, 2020 at 12:05 PM

AL

“ *Mrs.Foster I'm so sorry to hear about Mr.Foster passing. He was a great teacher and a great guy. God bless you and the family during this time.*

Amy Gooch Lawrence - March 28, 2020 at 10:04 AM

JG

“ I am so sorry for your loss! I am praying for your family! Mr. Foster was an amazing teacher and person!

Jodi Graham - March 28, 2020 at 09:57 AM

MH

“ He was one of the coolest teachers ever. I had him at West Hill and always looked forward to his class. My condolences to the family.

Mike Hargrove - March 27, 2020 at 11:13 PM

RM

“ I'm so sorry for your loss, Sharon and Keri. He loved you both very much.

Rhonda Woodward Morrow - March 27, 2020 at 10:49 PM

MW

“ I loved when he used to play piano at church. He was an amazing man and a great teacher! Love and prayers for all of his family and friends.

Mary Worsham - March 27, 2020 at 08:48 PM

SF

“ Loved Mr Foster..one of my favorite teachers.

Steve Freeman - March 27, 2020 at 07:14 PM

MM

“ *Mr. John Foster, one of my Economics teachers from high school. He cared a great deal about his students and was an exemplary lecturer on the subject matter pertaining to economics. Mr. John Foster will be greatly missed and I can still see those Advantage cigarettes he kept in his shirt pocket. May you rest in peace, my friend. Michael McDade*

Michael McDade - March 27, 2020 at 05:40 PM

CH

“ *Sharing. Keri, Rodney, Connor, Ella, and family. We are so very sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.*

Chappy4@netzero.com - March 27, 2020 at 04:44 PM

DR

“ *God bless you Sharon, and your family.*

Don Russell - March 27, 2020 at 03:59 PM

CH

“ *Mr. Foster was one of my favorite teachers. So sorry to hear of his passing. Prayers for his Family. GOD BLESS YOU ALL.*

Carmela Hutton - March 27, 2020 at 03:51 PM

MA

“ *The GCHS Class of 1983 adored Mr. Foster...from West Hill to GCHS. Thinking of you all...❤️*

Martene - March 27, 2020 at 03:43 PM

SB

“ Prayers for your family.

Shannon Bass - March 27, 2020 at 03:28 PM

EG

“ To the Foster Family, I was introduced to Mr. Foster in the late seventies, as he became one of my teachers at Elkton Elementary. During those days we struck up a good friendship. He was a great mentor, as well as a teacher. And he always carried a smile. He will be missed dearly. I am so sorry for your loss. Sincerely, Eugene Gardner

Eugene Gardner - March 27, 2020 at 03:18 PM

AG

“ My heart has been so heavy since hearing of his passing. I always appreciated his kindness. Mr. Foster hired me at RES in 2008 for my first full time teaching job. I was, and still am, so proud to be a part of the Richland family. The Foster family will be in my prayers.

Amanda Griggs - March 27, 2020 at 02:26 PM