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Mr. Frederick A. Spires, 70, of Hampstead, New Hampshire, passed away peacefully at his home, Thursday morning, November 15th, 2007. He was born on December 29th, 1937 in Lawrence, Massachusetts, to the late Frederick F. and Teresa M. (DiLonardo) Spires. Fred graduated from Central Catholic in Lawrence, Massachusetts, Class of 53. Fred served in the United States Air Force for over 23 years, including a tour in Vietnam and several European posts. Mr. Spires worked for the United States Postal Service in Lawrence, Massachusetts. He had several hobbies; he enjoyed and was looking forward to pursuing, one of which was golf. He also wanted to go on a cruise and to Hawaii with his bride. Unfortunately, because of ill health, that never materialized. However, he turned to his love of reading and really enjoyed the computer where he routinely kept in touch with his many friends. He maintained his sense of humor throughout his long battle with cancer and his courage and strength was reinforced by the love and support of his family and loyal friends for which he was so very grateful. He is survived by his wife of 49 years, Jean (Hawthorn) Spires. He is survived by his children, Mark and wife Susan of Bow, N.H., Kim Borchers and husband Lenny of Windham, NH, Lisa Lombardi of Haverhill, MA. and Lesley J. LaPerle and husband Reginald of Bow, N.H.; brothers: Kenneth of Seville, OH, and Wayne of Haverhill, MA, sister: Deborah A. Stanisewski, and nine grandchildren. His funeral mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, November 20th, 2007 at 12:00 noon in Saint Anne's Church in Hampstead, New Hampshire. Burial will take place at a later date. Family and Friends may call on Monday, November 19th, 2007 from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 at the John Breen Memorial Funeral Home, Inc., 122 Amesbury Street, Lawrence, MA. To send online condolences and for directions, please go to www.breenfuneralhome.com. Memorial Contributions may be made to the New Hampshire Air Force Memorial Fund, P.O. Box 422, Dover, NH 03821.



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MM

Mike Menegus posted:

To the Spires family. Sorry to learn that Fred "Fritz" passed away. He was a good man who I met over 25 years ago. I enjoyed his chats and I now value his wisdom and opinion on family and life as I have now my own family to raise.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

MM

Marilyn Mann posted:

my condolences goes out to the family of Mr. Spires. May the God of all comfort bring a measure of comfort to the family. (2 Corinthians 1:3,4)

March 7 at 8:00 PM

RS

Rick Shaefer posted:

Dear Jean, It was with sorrow, of course, to hear of Fred's passing, but it couldn't help but bring back some great and fun filled memories. He was such a great guy--with a huge heart and a gentle wisdom which I greatly appreciated as a young, and a little wild, man about Europe. I remember with fondness all the chats we had and his forbearance of my 60's era behavior and outlook. I will always cherish his memory and it was good to see the picture you posted with the trimmed beard--he looks so content and so "Fred." There is a great picture of Fred and Dad in Vietnam and Dad looks so ramrod and starched and Fred looks just relaxed--like he's on an outing with some buds on a Saturday--it's a great comment on his charm and centeredness. He'll always be in my memory and heart with fondness and gratitude for being there in an interesting and formative time. I also want to thank you for your graciousness and much love to all the family from ours. Much Love, Rick Shaefer

March 7 at 8:00 PM

NR

Nancy Rheault posted:

"When he shall die, Take him and cut him out in little stars, And he will make the face of heaven so fine, That all the world will be in love with night." --William Shakespeare Romeo and Juliet May the memories you hold so dear be a source of comfort to you at this time. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

March 7 at 8:00 PM



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CF

Clermont Boutin & Family posted:

Dear Jean and Family, We were deeply saddened to hear the news about the sudden death of Frederick. Our thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time. We are all in a state of shock. I know you will miss Frederick greatly. During this difficult time, I know you will draw upon your own strength and the strength of loved ones that hold you in their thoughts. Please accept our deepest sympathy in time of your sorrow. We are praying for Frederick, yourself, and his entire family. May God take Frederick into his arms and give him eternal peace. Lastly, may God Bless you all. Love Clem & Lisa, Anna, Celine, and Luke

March 7 at 8:00 PM

TB

Tammy Bourgeois posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

LW

Lisa Worthy posted:

So sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

AB

Angela & Keith Brugnani posted:

To All, We are so sorry to hear about the passing of Fred, he was a truly great man and thru the years taught me a few things about life that I will always keep with me. He will be truly missed and never forgotten. I Love you all, Angela.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

ML

Michele & Reggie Laperle posted:

Dear Jean and family - just wanted to let you know that we are thinking of you -

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Sandy And George Buckley posted:

Dear Jean and Family, We are sorry to hear of our Pals passing. He was a man filled with humor and great knowledge and every time we spoke to him or opened an e-mail we learned something new from our Pal Fritz. Our thoughts are with you and your family. Love and Prayers Sandy and George

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Frederick A. by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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