



John Foster O'Neal

December 17, 1958 - November 22, 2011

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Age 52, a native of Louisiana and a resident of Springfield, John passed away on Tuesday, November 22, 2011 at his residence. He was an Aerospace Technician.

He leaves behind his parents, Ruth Lynette Foster and John Elton O'Neal; daughters, Ashley Rose Wilford and husband Matthew Donald Wilford, Maria Cristina O'Neal and Elizabeth Ann O'Neal; sister, Kerry Kathleen O'Neal, Susan O'Neal Bercegeay and Karen O'Neal Berthelot; brother, Shelly Blayne O'Neal and wife Susan Ann O'Neal; grandchildren, Frankie Rose Allen, Madeline Rae Wilford, Scarlett Rain Wilford, Carson Lane Brown and Audrey Ruth Wilford and numerous nieces and nephews.

John was preceded in death by grandparents, Julius and Mildred Foster, Ellis and Abi O'Neal; uncles, Jerod W. Foster, James R. Foster and E. Wayne Foster; aunt, Violet Stafford.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the religious service from Harvest Family Church, Hammond, LA , on Saturday, November 26, 2011 at 12 noon. The family requests that visiting hours be observed at Harvest family church, Friday from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. and again on

Saturday 8:00 a.m. until funeral service time. Interment will follow in Springfield Cemetery.

Condolences and other information are available online at www.thompsoncares.com

Arrangements have been entrusted to Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home of Hammond.

Tribute Wall



“ I miss you daddy. I don't know what I'm going to do without you this Father's Day, it will never feel complete again. I love you and cherish the memories we made. I only wish we could have made so many more. In my heart, you will forever be honored for the great father that you were. I love you.##imported-begin##Ashley Rose##imported-end##

June 15, 2012 at 09:58 PM



“ Dad, it has been nearly 4 months since I've seen you....feels more like 4 years. I still hear your voice, and I you visit me in my dreams. Words will never express how much I miss you. The pain is still there, and the whole in my heart has yet to be filled...just don't know if it ever will. Can't wait till the day I see you again..I love you so much, we miss you);
Love, your little bit.##imported-begin##Lizz O'Neal##imported-end##

March 15, 2012 at 11:14 AM



“ Johnny...it's been 78 days now. God...I still miss you so much and can't understand. I just want to thank you for being such an awesome brother...and friend. We had lots of good times together and those were cut way too short. I'm so sorry that I didn't see. You should know I would ALWAYS be there for you, just as you have ALWAYS been there for me. I really need you. I love you so much.##imported-begin##Susan O'Neal##imported-end##

February 08, 2012 at 02:56 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear of Johnny's passing. When we were in our 20's we were very close. We drifted apart and I never did get to meet his wife and children. I lost touch with him, Lynette, Susie and Cathy. I am truly sorry for your loss. If any of the family wants to get in touch with me, please email me at lf@atmbiz.net. I would like to talk to you. My heartfelt sadness goes to all of his family.##imported-begin##Linnie Foster Brunns##imported-end##

December 03, 2011 at 11:10 PM



“ My prayers are with the family. God bless.
Mrs. B.##imported-begin##Annie Bigner##imported-end##

December 02, 2011 at 01:26 PM



“ I am so sad to hear of Johnny's death. It has been many years since we have visited but Johnny was one of my favorite people. Our school days were great together. May God bless all the family and friends he leaves behind. I'll always remember Johnny as a great friend.##imported-begin##Terry St. Cyr##imported-end##

November 29, 2011 at 06:39 PM



“ Johnny was a great friend from Michoud. Will neve forget the great times at the union hall and playing softball at the plant.

Condolences to the family from his many friends.##imported-begin##Stephen Mayfield##imported-end##

November 27, 2011 at 01:56 AM



“ *Teardrops from Heaven
Too soon for Your arrival
Many grieving souls
Longing for Your Smile.
You sent us a Rainbow
'Til we meet again.##imported-begin##Susan Barbay
Bullington##imported-end##*

November 26, 2011 at 06:56 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy to the family of John, he was a wonderful
person and great friend, I'm truly blessed to have been his friend
and fellow worker at the MAF. My prayers are with you.##imported-
begin##Cindy Melton##imported-end##*

November 25, 2011 at 09:47 PM



“ *If tears could build a stairwell*

and memories were a lane,

I would walk right up to Heaven

...

and bring you home again.

No farewell words were spoken,

no time to say good-bye...

You were gone before I knew it,

and only God knows why.

My heart still aches in sadness

and secret tears still flow,

What it means to lose you

no one will ever know

*R.I.P. My Dear Friend.. You Will Be Missed.##imported-
begin##Emma Patterson##imported-end##*

November 25, 2011 at 08:17 PM



“ *Liz & family, So very sorry for yall. I pray you find comfort in God & family in this time of need.##imported-begin##Joey & Treva McKinney##imported-end##*

November 25, 2011 at 05:01 PM



“ I haven't seen Johnny in several years. I remember his calming presence and soft spoken voice. A man I felt comfortable to be around.

I send my sincere sympathy to his family and close friends.##imported-begin##Tricia Berthelot##imported-end##

November 25, 2011 at 02:12 PM



“ Karen, Just wanted to let you and your family know I was thinking of you all during this time.##imported-begin##Joey Boutwell##imported-end##

November 25, 2011 at 12:17 PM



“ Johnny O will be missed he was a co worker a great freind a uncle to my sons and a wonderful brother to me and my wife.He will always be remembered as someone you always wanted to be around.##imported-begin##Tommy and Shirley Barrett##imported-end##

November 25, 2011 at 10:52 AM



“ Johnny was my coworker and friend for 30 years. My condolences goes out to his family.##imported-begin##R. David Cameron##imported-end##

November 25, 2011 at 09:48 AM



“ To a wonderful man who will be greatly missed by many.##imported-begin##Jennifer Cefalu##imported-end##

November 25, 2011 at 09:39 AM



“ I am sorry for your loss John was a very nice guy i remember his smile and you should always do the same.I am a coworker to JOHN and SHELLY.##imported-begin##THERESA RIVERA##imported-end##

November 25, 2011 at 09:30 AM



“ Grief is a lead weight. Instead of carrying the heavy, grieving load of Johnny's death, let's focus on his triumphant new life with Christ. What JOY...what HAPPINESS.. awaits us at the Throne of God. Love to All his family and friends.##imported-begin##Sue##imported-end##

November 24, 2011 at 08:41 PM



“ Sorry to hear the loss of John.My heart goes out to the family.I enjoyed working many years with Johnny at Lockheed.##imported-begin##Barry Readeau##imported-end##

November 24, 2011 at 09:19 AM



“ Sorry to hear of the passing of Johnny. I am glad to have known him since 1980; working with him at Michoud for many years. He was a great person and will be missed.##imported-begin##Steve Early##imported-end##

November 23, 2011 at 10:45 PM



“ I'm deeply saddend to lose such a close friend. Johnny and I became best of friends during my time in Louisiana. We spent a lot of time together working at MAF, from being roomates, playing sports, vacations and just hanging out. Johnny was the type of friend I could tell anything to. I will greatly miss him and cherish our friendship forever.##imported-begin##Scott Otto##imported-end##

November 23, 2011 at 10:36 PM