



Frederick "Bud" LaPoint

July 28, 1944 - October 28, 2018

Frederick "Bud" J. LaPoint, 74, passed away peacefully October 28, 2018. Bud was born to Frederick J. and Mary LaPoint in Newark, N. J. Bud's father was away fighting in World War II when he was born and was killed in Combat, never able to see his son. Bud later served in the Air Force, and went on to work in several different jobs, including for U.S. Customs. Bud worked with his wife in their regulatory compliance business.

Bud loved to be with his family and friends. He was an excellent cook, was always ready to grab a rod and reel to go fishing. His favorite movie was "The African Queen" which he had to watch at least once a year. He took several excursions to the Florida Keys to ride on the actual restored boat from the film. It was great fun.

He could fix most anything that broke around the house and had a knack for starting more projects than he could ever finish, and had a great time doing it. Bud had a strong stubborn streak, but it came with a heart of pure gold. Many a morning Bud would walk down the hall with his beloved cat, Garfield, under his feet, singing, "Here I come to save the day!"

He is survived by his beloved wife: Patricia, Step-son: Tony and his wife Logan Vindett, Half-sisters: Diane Rasinkas and Elaine Stires, and his Aunt Margaret Moorcroft along with other friends and family. A Celebration of Bud's Life will be held at his home on Sunday, November 11th at 1:00 PM.

Craig Funeral Home Crematory Memorial Park (<http://www.craigfuneralhome.com>) is assisting the family.

Comments



“ Bud ; I called him Fritz he called me Stash. We met in high school and have remained friends for 60 yrs. We partied, drag raced and had many wild times. He was best man at my wedding. My wife and I would visit Fritz and his wonderful wife Pat anytime we could and stayed in touch by phone. He was the brother I never had. May God rest his soul and help Pat get through this most difficult time. We love you.

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