



Mr. Jack Dempsey Cole Jr, "J.D."

September 28, 1950 - June 25, 2022

Jack Dempsey Cole, Jr., "J.D.", 71 of Bassett, Virginia, passed away at home unexpectedly in his sleep on Saturday, June 25, 2022.

He was born in Eden, North Carolina on September 28, 1950. He was the first of 7 children born to Jack Dempsey Cole, Sr. and Ruth Marie Cole (Long). He grew up in Daniels, MD with his 3 brothers, Pete, Michael and Jimmy and his 3 sisters, Helen, Loveleen and Annette. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, carpentry and helping others. He was a hard worker and a bit of a perfectionist. He wore many hats for work such as a bus driver, a mason, an electrician, a plumber and even a scenic carpenter for Maryland Public Television to name a few.

He faithfully attended Christian Revival Center in Finksburg, MD under Pastor, Charles Curry when he resided in Maryland. While in Bassett, Virginia, he faithfully attended Calvary's Hill of Martinsville under Pastor, Ben Dodson. He was most always one of the first to arrive at church and one of the last to leave. He was loyal to his pastors and church families. He loved and interacted with all people. While in Virginia one of the church members gave him a Chihuahua puppy, Sugarfoot, that he promised he would love her until the day he died. Sugarfoot went everywhere he went and knew everyone he knew. She spent every moment with him for the past 10 years. Last Saturday, June 25th, when J.D. passed from this life, little Sugarfoot, was found barking and howling at his side which prompted the neighbors to contact the police.

He touched as many lives as he could wherever he went. He always smiled and never complained. He was a funny jokester at times. While in Bassett, in particular, he was generous to and loved by all of his neighbors and friends. He loved to donate his time to help his neighbors and friends with things like home renovations, running errands with them and even the occasional counseling sessions just to be an open ear for someone.

He is predeceased by his parents, Jack Dempsey Cole, Sr. and Ruth Marie Cole (Long). He is survived by his 3 brothers, Pete Cole, Michael Cole and Jimmy Cole and his 3 sisters, Helen Crawford (Cole), Loveleen Redmond (Cole) and Annette Reihl (Cole). His twin sons David and Jason Cole, daughters in law, Bridget and Tracey Cole and grandsons Dylan Cole and Joshua Todd. He was married and divorced 3 times. Debra Moeller (McClung), Jo Linda Cole (Williams) and Tracey Booth (Mace/Simpson).

A funeral service is scheduled from 10:00-11:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 2nd at Mitchell Wiedefeld Funeral Home, 6500 York Road, Baltimore, MD 21212. Burial will follow immediately afterwards at Dulaney Valley Memorial Gardens, 200 E Padonia Road, Timonium, MD 21093. Flowers, donations and condolences may be offered at Mitchell Wiedefeld Funeral Home, 410-377-8300.

Cemetery Details

Dulaney Valley Memorial Gardens

200 E. Padonia Road
Timonium, MD 21093
<http://www.dulaneyvalley.com>

Previous Events

Funeral Service

JUL 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Mitchell - Wiedefeld Funeral Home, Inc.
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Baltimore, MD 21212
(410) 377-8300
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Graveside Service

JUL 2. 11:30 AM (ET)

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