



Gearold Junior Ashlock

August 30, 1948 - August 14, 2015

Gearold Michael Ashlock, Jr. "Tuffy" died peacefully at his home on Friday August 14, 2015 in Wellington, CO., age 66.

Tuffy is survived by his wife, Judith Brouhard-Ashlock, of the home; two sons, Michael II, of Oroville, CA, and Shane, of Wellington, CO; four daughters, Carol (Christian) Sakellariou of Susanville, CA, Robyn (Jamie) Egger of Aurora, NE., Earlene (Troy) Bazilewich of Mt. Carol, IL, and Misty Bisby of Fort Collins, CO; 16 grandchildren, Taneya, Tristan, and Andrew Ashlock of Fort Collins, CO., Gregory and Dakota Bazilewich, Shane Jr. and Trinity Ashlock of Mt. Carol, IL., Hannah, Alec and Maddex Egger of Aurora, NE., Makayla and Hollie Sakellariou of Susanville, CA., Jordan, Austin and Jessica Bisby of the home, Kareena (Jacob) Teaney of Oregon, MO; siblings include three sisters, Nancy Ashlock of Phoenix, AZ, Shelby (Merle) Corf of St. Joseph, MO, and Sandra (David) Carter of Wichita, KS, and one brother, Floyd (Ginger) Ashlock of Oregon, MO; and numerous sisters and brothers in law, nieces, nephews, cousins.

Gearold Junior Ashlock "Tuffy" was born in August 30, 1948 in Holt County, MO to Gearold Bruff and Ella Nadine Ashlock (Bloomfield). In addition to his parents, Tuffy was preceded in death by a sister, Arneta J. Howard; two brothers, Kenneth Ashlock and Donald Ashlock; a sister, Bonnie Dean and brother, Charles Ivan in infancy.

Tuffy served with the Army Rangers 1st Battalion/2nd Infantry – 1st Infantry division, B company “The Big Red One” from 1965-1967. In 1967 he was honorably discharged rank Sergeant E-5 when he was wounded in action. Accommodations and medals include the Purple Heart, Combat Infantry Badge, Silver Star, Bronze Star, Vet Service Medal, National Defense Medal, Viet Nam Medal of Commendation and many Unit Citations.

The family will have a celebration of his life at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in his honor can be made to his wife, Judy for later designation in care of Bohlender Funeral Chapel, 121 W. Olive, Fort Collins, Colorado 80524.

Tribute Wall



Mike
Ashlock

“ I can remember when I was about 8. I wanted a bicycle so Dad being dad, built me a bike at the gas station and brought it to me on my birthday, it was great, I learned how to do wheelies on that bike with the half banana seat that had the MX printed on the back. Unfortunately being a kid and thinking I could trust everyone I left it in the front yard one to many times and someone stole it.

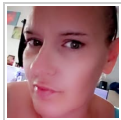
Mike Ashlock - August 20, 2015 at 02:08 AM



PC

I have an abundance of memories! One from my childhood, He was home on leave we were at Camp Rulo in NE....the place we were eating at had beads hanging from the windows. He would rip them off and make necklaces for me!!! Tuffy was like a brother to me.... He was my Hero!! I LOVE AND MISS YOU!!! I know you are in a much better place with our Lord and Family that has gone before you! RIP BIG BROTHER!!!!

Pam Catron - August 20, 2015 at 06:12 AM



When i was 20 years old my dad came to Missouri and brought me and my daughter Jessica to Colorado and i got to finally have a father daughter relationship with him my best memory was then ! Dad i love u and i miss u sooooo much ❤️❤️

Misty Bisby - August 21, 2015 at 02:15 AM



JS

Mike was a one of my favorite Uncles and he taught me a lot of life lessons and have many many memories. I do have a favorite. My Dad and Uncle Mike taking me out on one of our back roads in California and them teaching me how to use my 22 long rifle. Uncle Mike showed me how to hone in my sights and taught me how to put a bullet through a coin center every time. R.I.P. Uncle Mike !!Will miss you very much and will keep you with me in my heart Always. God speed "TUFFY " With love JEFF.

Jeff Eads Sr - August 21, 2015 at 05:09 AM

JA

I grew up in Forest City just up the street and remember when Tuff came back from the Army. He never said a word about all the medals, we only knew that he had been wounded. RIP

Joe Atkins

joe atkins - August 27, 2015 at 02:32 AM

JB

Man grandpa i miss you so much so i decied to look you up today in class than i found this your such a great person i dint know why god wanted you so fast but maybe its just because he always wanted you as an angel i love grandad rest in piece

Jordan Bisby - November 11, 2015 at 04:01 PM



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Bohlender Funeral Chapel - August 18, 2015 at 11:12 AM