

Robert A. Burkhardt, Sr.

September 3, 1949 - November 13, 2017

Robert A. Burkhardt, Sr. "Big Ert" on November 13, 2017 of Deptford. Age 68. Devoted single father of Robert A. Burkhardt, Jr. (Nicole) of Deptford, Peggy Kanauss (Son-in-law and best friend Walter) of Deptford, Amanda Jentsch (Joseph) of Deptford and Mindy Burkhardt (Jonathan) of Deptford. Brother of Harry Burkhardt (Barbara) of Pennsauken and Mary Ellen Norris (Mike) of Coatesville, PA. Loving grandfather of Robert J. Burkhardt and Adrianna Jentsch. Former husband and friend of Margie Riddell of Deptford.

Big Ert was a US Army Vietnam Veteran and worked as a machinist for AC Schultes in Woodbury. He was an avid Eagles and Phillies fan and enjoyed crabbing, fishing and horseshoes. He was the life of the party and was a jokester.

Relatives and friends are invited to a viewing on Friday, November 17, 2017 from 7pm to 9pm and Saturday, November 18, 2017 from 10am to 11am in The Chapel at BOUCHER FUNERAL HOME, 1757 Delsea Dr., Deptford, NJ 08096.

Religious Service Saturday 11am in The Chapel at the funeral home.

Interment Gloucester County Veterans Memorial Cemetery, Williamstown with Military Honors.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 785517, Topeka, KS 66675.

For directions, to sign online guest book and to view Big Ert's Video Tribute visit www.boucherfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Gloucester County Veterans Memorial Cemetery

240 S. Tuckahoe Road
Williamstown, NJ 08094
(856) 401-7660

Previous Events

Viewing

NOV 17. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

The Chapel at Boucher Funeral Home, LLC
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NOV 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Religious Service

NOV **18**. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

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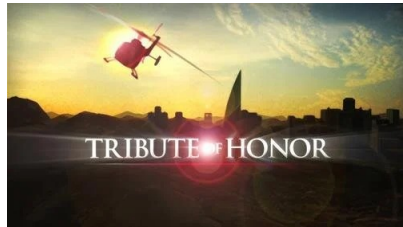
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Tribute Wall



“ *Boucher Funeral Home, LLC & Gloucester County Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert A. Burkhardt, Sr.*



Boucher Funeral Home, LLC & County Cremation Service - November 15, 2017
at 05:03 PM



“ *Robert A. Burkhardt, Sr.*

November 27, 2022 at 03:45 PM



“ *Back in the day, Ert took a few of us out fishing out in the bay. Everyone was fishing and Ert was showing me how to bait the hook and how to cast.*

It was my first time fishing so I threw the rod behind me and when I tossed the line forward to the surprise of everyone I Caught my first....seagull. I'll miss him.

Marie Peeke

Marie Peeke - November 17, 2017 at 05:59 PM

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“ *The Leap and Yeager Families purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Robert A. Burkhardt, Sr..*



The Leap and Yeager Families - November 16, 2017 at 10:58 AM

JT

“ *Ert,
I wish they had a picture of you in that beautiful blue Chevy, you loved that car...
Scott and I send our condolences to your family.
We grew up as children in Camden, even back then you always had a smile that you carried through your life.
The tricks you and Scott played on each other while you were siding guys. Lots of memories camping and the parties at our home, R.I.P
Scott and Joan*

joan Taylor - November 15, 2017 at 06:56 PM

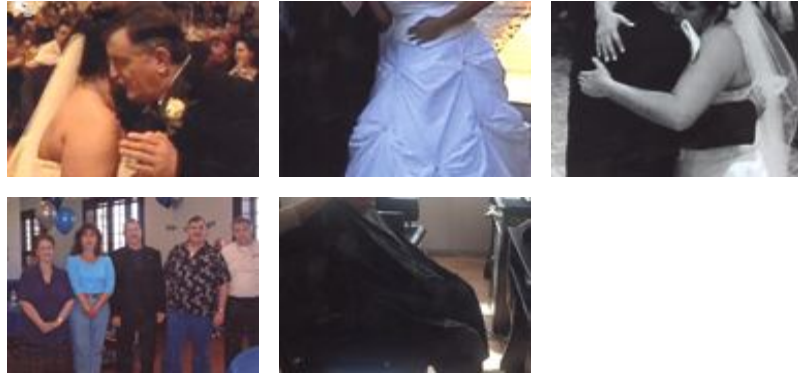
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“ *My condolences to the Burkhardt family. It was an honor to know Mr. Burkhardt. He was a great man who loved his family dearly. Peggy, you were his rock. My prayers are with you. I will miss him.*

Renee Redden - November 15, 2017 at 04:17 PM



“ 55 files added to the album Life Tributes



Boucher Funeral Home, LLC & County Cremation Service - November 15, 2017 at 04:00 PM



“ *Mr. Burkhardt I want to thank you for giving us such a beautiful, wonderful daughter-in-law who we love very much. You raised four wonderful children who loved you very much. I loved when Adrianna use to tell me that she shared pretzels with Pop Pop B. on your front porch. You are at peace and our now a guardian angel to your beautiful family. Give Mommy a kiss from us!!! God bless you Mr. Burkhardt xoxo*



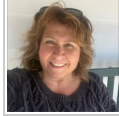
Delane Bird-Jentsch - November 14, 2017 at 11:14 PM



“ *Helene Horner lit a candle in memory of Robert A. Burkhardt, Sr.*



Helene Horner - November 14, 2017 at 09:37 PM



Yellow symbolizes joy, gladness, and friendship which I have shared over the years. RIP Big Ert xo

Helene Horner - November 14, 2017 at 09:40 PM

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“ Ert and I celebrated many birthdays together in our younger days, he was always full of jokes and laughter and we always looked forward to seeing him, when Ert liked you, he loved you , there was nothing he wouldn't do for you. But if he did t like you. It was only because you hurt someone he loved! He was a true , loving , humble man who loved his family more than life itself. He will be missed but never forgotten the memories are deep in the hearts and souls of all who loved him foever



arlene - November 14, 2017 at 08:26 PM

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Beautiful thank you !

Melinda Burkhardt - November 17, 2017 at 09:12 AM