



John Edwin Hunt Jr.

February 6, 1935 - June 4, 2021

John Edwin Hunt Jr., 86, of Whitsett, NC, passed away on June 04, 2021.

He was preceded in death by his parents John Sr. and Helen Hunt, and his loving wife of 62 years, Betty "Bett" Kenny Hunt. He is survived by his two sons, John Edwin Hunt III and wife Tonnette, George Ashley Hunt and wife Wendy; and granddaughter Laura Ashley Hunt.

Mr. Hunt was born in Norfolk, Va., on February 06, 1935. He served in the United States Army from 1955-1957 and was a proud member of the Greensboro Police Department from 1969-1990. John was also a 1976 graduate of Guilford College. He enjoyed hunting and fishing and spending time with friends and family.

A private memorial service will be held for family members.

Online condolences at <http://www.forbisandddick.com>.

Comments



“ I am so sorry to hear of John's passing. He was a great guy, police officer and friend. I thought so much of him and his family. He had a most infectious laugh and smile and a way about him that almost immediately put you at ease with him. Well, the duo of John and Bet of Richmond will be together again and that John and George is a good thing. RIP John and peace and blessings on the family. Love to all, Brion Emerson

Brion L Emerson - June 10 at 12:01 PM



“ So sorry gor your loss. Sgt. Hunt was a great man and I always enjoyed be in his company.

Tim Miller

Tim Miller - June 09 at 03:25 PM



“ Like many people I received notification that I had been hired by GPD from John Hunt. He was always a gentleman with a contagious smile! A real ambassador for GPD! RIP Sgt. Hunt!

Gary Hastings - June 09 at 03:19 PM



“ Sgt Hunt was my supervisor when I had only been there 3-4 years. We had several more experienced officers on our squad. He ask me to stay after lineup. What had I done? He ask me to pull a chair beside his desk and he began to show me how to do car assignments, zone assignments, etc. I was confused. That was when he looked at me and mentioned he was taking third shift off and I was going be acting supervisor! I almost cried knowing that he had seen something in me that no one else saw! Later when they came up with Psl and finally Corporals! I smiled every time I thought of him! He was a great supervisor, leader, but more than, he was a builder of character, of confidence, of leadership. I always gave him a smile and said thanks, again! I never expressed myself to him but I think he knew! God bless you boys! May you dad live in you, forever!

Sam Jones - June 09 at 02:10 PM



“ There has never been a nicer, more patient man at GPD than John Hunt. I met him early in my career and he made a lasting impression. Godspeed Sergeant!

Marc - June 09 at 02:14 PM



“ I thought the world of John, he was a stellar example and representative for the Greensboro Police, and His family. I was never disappointed in any conversation with John, he was a very witty and smart. I feel very fortunate to had the pleasure to have know him!

Ken

Ken Sumner - June 08 at 11:30 PM



“ I had the honor of working with John, and seeing how dedicated he was to his career, his community, and his family. He was one of the best professional examples that any young officer could ever hope to have.

Bill Ingold - June 08 at 09:04 PM



“ Condolences and prayers for the family. John was an outstanding police officer and supervisor and was well respected by all who knew him.

Larry Payne - June 08 at 06:42 PM