



Mr. Dwight Marvin Aylesworth

April 5, 1945 - November 4, 2016

Dwight Marvin Aylesworth, 71, passed away on November 4, 2016 in Arlington, TX. He was born in Pueblo, Colorado, on April 5, 1945, to the late Scott and Alma Aylesworth of Lucedale, Mississippi. Raised as a “Military Brat” he considered Texas to be his home. He graduated from Burgess High School in El Paso, Texas in 1963.

Dwight was a Sergeant in the U.S. Army, and a proud veteran and member of DAV Arlington Chapter #157.

Dwight received his B.S. in Industrial Technology at Texas A&M Commerce; and completed a Masters of Project Management through Keller Graduate School of Business. He held an FCC Radio Operator License with special Radar Endorsement.

Professionally, Dwight had a lengthy career in the Technical Business Sector working for 3M, Bell & Howell, Clini-Therm, MTS, Pitney Bowes and Electrical South. His career took him from Arlington to Schaumburg, IL and Raleigh, NC until moving back to Arlington in 2007 prior to his retirement in 2011.

Dwight is survived by his wife of 51 years, Barbara; two children: Denise Cunningham of Plano, TX and Danielle Tomaszewski of Arlington, TX; grandchildren Kyler, Troy, Sydney, Brody and Avery; brother Paul (Joe) Aylesworth of Grand Prairie, TX.

In lieu of flowers, the family prefers donations to the Disabled American Veterans (www.dav.org)

Events

NOV **Memorial Service** 11:00AM

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First Baptist Church of Mansfield

1800 E. Broad Street, Mansfield, TX, US, 76063

Comments



“ I miss my friend even when we have not seen each other since High School. As Army Brats living on Ft. Bliss we met in the High School NDCC program. Dwight was the drill team leader and I was on the team. In our senior year Dwight was the NDCC lead officer and I a platoon leader -- at the year end parade and review he stood proudly on the reviewing stand with the reviewing Army Officers. One of the officers turned to Dwight and asked who of his "men" could field strip a machine gun and Dwight told him I could. Great faith or humor that day, but I'm glad there was not one handy as I'd never striped one.

Another activity we enjoyed was kangaroo rat hunting in the desert near El Paso. They are good memories of a friend. I'll miss him, but know he is with our Lord and one day we will meet again. Rest in Peace my friend and may the Lord comfort Barbara and the family.

Rich Beaudry

Rich Beaudry - December 15, 2016 at 05:50 PM



“ Ron and Pris Redmon purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Dwight Marvin Aylesworth.



Ron and Pris Redmon - November 11, 2016 at 02:22 PM



“ JoPaul Aylesworth and Family purchased the Distinguished Service Casket Spray for the family of Mr. Dwight Marvin Aylesworth.



JoPaul Aylesworth and Family - November 11, 2016 at 10:20 AM



“ Denise and family, I am so very sorry to hear of your loss. Please accept my heartfelt condolences and know that you are in my thoughts and prayers through this difficult time.

Tanya Markham - November 10, 2016 at 12:35 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Dwight Marvin Aylesworth.



November 10, 2016 at 10:23 AM



“ The Tom Cunningham and Sean Cunningham families. purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Mr. Dwight Marvin Aylesworth.



The Tom Cunningham and Sean Cunningham families. - November 09, 2016 at 11:14 AM



“ Barbara, Denise, and Danielle, I was so sad to hear of Dwight's passing. He was and will always be one of my favorite bosses! I enjoyed working with him and loved his stories. He mostly enjoyed talking about the three of you. He loved you all so much and was proud of his family. I will be praying for peace for all of you!

Cary Disney - November 09, 2016 at 06:43 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Dwight Marvin Aylesworth.



November 08, 2016 at 05:38 PM



“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Denise and I are friends and co workers, and when I changed employers and started working at Bowe, Mr. Aylesworth went out of his way to make sure I was comfortable in my new surroundings. Such a wonderful, gracious man. My deepest condolences to the family.

Pamela bullock - November 08, 2016 at 04:04 PM



“ Barbara and family,
It was a privilege to have known Dwight. My thoughts and prayers are with you. May the Lord be with you during this time of need.
Love you,
Marie Daniel

Marie - November 08, 2016 at 03:09 PM



“ For the past 40 years, it has been my privilege to call Dwight “my friend.” Now, I don’t know how the dictionary defines “friend” but in my dictionary, there’s a picture of Dwight.

When Dwight and I worked together at 3M, all of the Field Technicians went to the office each Friday morning to have meetings and to pick up their parts. As we would leave the office, the last words out of our Supervisor’s mouth were “Do not go to coffee.” So naturally, as soon as we left the office, we would meet for coffee.

Coffee involves conversation. Those cups of coffee and conversations were the making of a friendship that would span more than half of our lives. Even after we both had left 3M, we would continue to meet for coffee. And when Dwight’s work took him to foreign countries like Chicago and Raleigh, we continued to have our coffee and conversations, just over the phone. So when Dwight and his family returned to Arlington, we once again would meet for coffee.

Now, 40 years is a lot of coffee and a lot of conversations. And we covered a lot of territory in those conversations. We talked about our families and we talked about our jobs. We talked about politics. Now, it may come as a shock to you, but Dwight was never one to be politically correct. We talked about religion. Dwight was an ordained Deacon and we had some deep spiritual conversations. We talked about books. Dwight was an avid reader and we would talk about what each of us was reading at the time. And, being good Baptists, the subject of food usually came up. We would talk about places to eat or what we had been cooking lately. Dwight was an excellent cook – especially when it involved a barbeque grill or smoker.

As a result of our friendship, our wives became best of friends as well and our families became intertwined, with each family being concerned about the well-being of each other’s children, as though they were their own. Our families still continue to celebrate holidays and special occasions together.

So the question is “How do you describe a person who has been such a big part of your life for that length of time – through good times and bad?” There are a lot of words that would be appropriate. But I came to the conclusion that the highest compliment I could pay Dwight would be to tell you that, first and foremost, Dwight was a servant. Dwight served his family with an uncompromising love and devotion. His daughters, Denise and Danielle, and his 51 years of marriage to Barbara are a testimony to that. Dwight served his country in the United States Army and was fiercely patriotic. Dwight always placed others ahead of himself. Even during his health issues, Dwight always wanted to know how I was doing. Oh, and one more thing. Dwight served God with an unwavering faith. I suspect right about now, Dwight is having a conversation with God. I know from our conversations that Dwight had a lot of questions he wanted to ask Him.

I’m going to see Dwight again someday. And when I do, we’re going to have a cup of coffee!



“ Dwight ... a wonderful brother in the Lord and an encouragement to so many. We at CAREERSOLUTIONS thank Dwight for his service as a volunteer for several years. He always had a kind word, and a cheerful smile for everyone. We offer thanks for the time God put Dwight in our midst and are grateful knowing he is now in the presence of our Lord Jesus.
David & Fran Rawles



David H Rawles - November 07, 2016 at 11:47 AM



“ Barbara and Family
I know this is a sad time for all you.
I have you in my prayers.
The Lord will be with all of you each and every day.

All My Love
Brenda Jones

Brenda Jones - November 07, 2016 at 07:07 AM



“ Meva & Nathan Luen and Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Mr. Dwight Marvin Aylesworth.



Meva & Nathan Luen and Family - November 07, 2016 at 12:13 AM