



Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman

April 26, 1962 - June 19, 2019

Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman, age 57, of New Haven, Michigan passed away on June 19, 2019, after a courageous battle with cancer and its associated complications. He was born on April 26, 1962, in Mt. Clemens, Michigan, to Maynard Beckman and the late Mary Beckman (Granzin). He married Kyonga Yim, on September 14, 1990, in Shalimar, Florida.

He enjoyed driving his Corvette and Harley Davidson; and loved collecting and shooting guns. He was a Persian Gulf Veteran, honorably serving 20 years in the United States Air Force in the Red Horse Civilian Engineering Squadron. While active duty, he deployed in every major conflict between 1980 and 2000. After retirement, he continued to serve this great nation in other capacities by deploying to Iraq and Kuwait and later becoming part of the United States Army TACOM unit at Detroit Arsenal where he was civil engineering instructor. He was a loving husband, father, grandfather (Ada), brother, son and faithful friend.

Jeffery is survived by his wife, Kyonga Beckman; daughters, Sonchu (John) Iveson, Deniece (Paul) Woodcock, and Sandy (Corey) Radesky; grandchildren, Michael Romano, Joshua Greene, Sean Iveson, Alexis Tyler, Dean Martin, Madison Parris, Mya Parris, and Samantha Radesky; father, Maynard Beckman; siblings, Julie Hobson and Jim Beckman and several uncles, aunts and cousins. He is preceded in death by his mother, Mary

Beckman.

A memorial service with military honor guard will be held on Wednesday, June 26, 2019 at 3:00PM at the Jowett Funeral Home – 57737 Gratiot, New Haven. Reverend Reggie A. White will officiate. Visiting hours will be from 1:00PM until the time of service.

Memorial contributions can be made to The Vietnam Veterans of America - Chapter 154 - www.vva154.com

To view the obituary and share memories, visit www.jowettfuneraldirectors.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **26**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

RC

“ To JBB, a friend n fellow Horseman from the early 554 years through 823rd years, the collection of memories roll through my brain like a thousand rail road trains. In C flight u were funny, kind hearted, facetious, stubborn, hard headed, sarcastic, smart, sweater wearing beer drinking nut. A man through all his 57 years had created his life’s character like a barrel of a gun with its own unique grooves lines and rifling that leaves its own unique striations in life! You will be truly missed and not forgotten. The only regret I have is I should have talk with u more. See u at the Horse Call on the side. When my time is up!

Rick Cook - June 26, 2019 at 08:47 AM

SR

Thank you Ricky.

Sandy Radesky - July 09, 2019 at 08:16 PM

MW

“ Buzz is my dad’s best friend, so growing up he was always like a second father figure to me. He taught me how to eat ramen the “right” way, he helped teach me how to drive, even gave me boy advice...not that I listened much, since I ended up marrying a dirtboy like himself (I can see him smiling about that now). I can see his grin and hear his life even now. My heart hurts for Kyonga, Sandy, and the rest of the family...my dad. What a loss. We will miss you, Buzz. Thank you for being a part of my life, it is better for it.

Monica Webb - June 26, 2019 at 08:05 AM

SR

Thank you Monica. Love you sis

Sandy Radesky - July 09, 2019 at 08:17 PM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman.*



June 26, 2019 at 12:28 AM



“ *The Hobson's purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman.*



The Hobson's - June 25, 2019 at 12:25 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman.*



June 25, 2019 at 10:40 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman.*



June 24, 2019 at 09:50 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman.*



June 24, 2019 at 08:32 PM



“ *Deepest Sympathies to Jeff's family. He was a great New Equipment Trainer for the U.S. Army. His contribution to instructing U.S. Army soldiers will have a long lasting impact. He will be deeply missed by the team.*

The Team from Combat Engineering and Material Handling Equipment Product Office, U.S. Army

Nancy Hansen - June 24, 2019 at 07:45 PM

SR

“ My dad was an inspiration to me and many others. He taught me so many things, memories of lessons he gave me from when I was a small child until just the other day. He was also my friend, I talked to him almost every morning and we enjoyed our coffee together. He made me laugh so much, with all the tidbits of information he would share about the news or even things I would probably never know about if it wasn't for him. I owe my dad so much, he was always so loyal and committed to my mom and our family. He stood by us, no matter what and was our dad & always so proud of us. I miss him terribly. Love you dad. Until we meet again. Lisa made this video for you. It's beautiful. Thank you for all you did for us.



Sandy Radesky - June 24, 2019 at 06:45 PM

JK

“ JEFFREY KEMBLE purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman.



JEFFREY KEMBLE - June 24, 2019 at 06:06 PM

JK

“ Jeffrey K. purchased the Home of the Brave Memorial Framed Art for the family of Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman.



Jeffrey K. - June 24, 2019 at 04:45 PM

CP

“ *Buzz taught me everything I know about the grader. I’m going miss the talks about you being the next Axe with your investments and me crying about crypto.*

Carl



Carl Palmore - June 24, 2019 at 10:36 AM

SR

Thank you Carl.

Sandy Radesky - June 24, 2019 at 06:32 PM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman.*



June 24, 2019 at 07:11 AM

DB

“ *I am blessed to have had such a great friend. Through thick and thin, Buzz was always there. He made the good times better and the not so good times, not as bad. Friends like Buzz are rare. He was as much a brother as a friend and was always considered part of my family. I was also very blessed to share time with his family. My deepest sympathies to Kyonga, Sandy and Denise and I thank you for all wonderful ways you treated me. Ride on Buzz*

Dean Bushnell - June 23, 2019 at 01:38 AM

SR

Thank you Dean. We love you.

Sandy Radesky - June 24, 2019 at 06:30 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman.*



June 22, 2019 at 11:14 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman.*



June 22, 2019 at 07:04 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman.*



June 22, 2019 at 01:58 PM

LC

“ Love, Tammy, Lew and Emma Carley purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman.



Love, Tammy, Lew and Emma Carley - June 22, 2019 at 11:52 AM



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Jowett Funeral Home and Cremation Service - June 22, 2019 at 11:01 AM



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Jowett Funeral Home and Cremation Service - June 22, 2019 at 09:07 AM

JF

“ Jeffrey Kemble and Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman.



Jeffrey Kemble and Family - June 21, 2019 at 09:46 PM



“ We will love and miss Buzz so much! He had a significant impact on all of our lives by making it so much better. I am so incredibly blessed to have known him and think of him as another fatherly figure. We are going to miss him so much!!!

Nicole Bushnell - June 21, 2019 at 07:47 PM

SR

Thanks Nikki. We love you

Sandy Radesky - June 24, 2019 at 06:32 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman.



June 21, 2019 at 07:29 PM

LI

“ There are so many memories with too many funny stories to share over the years and that would take up too much time per story...I will say that Buzz was very true and loyal as a husband and father. He loved his wife, his kids, and his grandkids. There wasn't anything he wouldn't do for any of them.
As a friend, he was incredible in so many ways. I will miss you Buzz, and I love you very much.

Lisa - June 21, 2019 at 04:54 PM

SR

Thank you Lisa. We love you.

Sandy Radesky - June 24, 2019 at 06:33 PM



“ Lisa lit a candle in memory of Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman



Lisa - June 21, 2019 at 04:43 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jeffrey "Buzz" A. Beckman.



June 21, 2019 at 04:27 PM



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Jowett Funeral Home and Cremation Service - June 21, 2019 at 03:30 PM