



## Mark Steven Cason

December 14, 1948 - November 8, 2019

Mark Steven Cason, 70 years old, of Waynesville, Missouri, passed away at home on November 8, 2019. Mark was born in Kansas City, Missouri on December 14, 1948, to Eleanor Repple Cason and Harold Edward Cason. He entered the US Navy on August 28, 1967 and served in the Vietnam War from July 1969 to June 1970.

Mark worked numerous jobs in his life time to include being a monk for 17 years at the St. Benedict's Abbey in Atchison, Kansas. St. Benedict's funded Mark's college, and he received a Master's Degree in Theology and was a professor at the Benedictine College where he taught pottery for many years. Mark was a talented musician and enjoyed singing at the Abbey. Mark was a member of Civil Air Patrol and was active in the Ft Leonard Wood Composite Squadron. One of Mark's greatest joys in life came from donating funds so cadets could go to activities. He also enjoyed golfing, fishing, and shopping at the BX/PX. He enjoyed sitting on the front porch smoking a Rocky Patel cigar and waving to everyone passing by. Mark was a great story teller and loved to talk to anyone that would listen.

Mark is survived by a daughter Brittany Cason of Austin, Texas, brothers, Harold Cason 'Edd' (Juanita) of Phoenix, Arizona, Jeff Cason (Wendy) of Bedford Texas, Jerry Cason of Osage Beach, Missouri, and Brett Cason (Rachel) of Kansas City, Missouri; and many other family members plus his

wonderful caregivers Charline and John O'Neill: whom the family thanks you for your love and patience.

Funeral Services were held at Noon, Monday, November 18, 2019 in Waynesville Memorial Chapel. Visitation was from 11:00 am until service time at 12 noon. Burial with Full Military honors followed at the Missouri State Veterans Cemetery, Fort Leonard Wood, in Waynesville.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in Mark's memory to St. Robert Bellarmine Catholic Church or Missouri Wing Civil Air Patrol.

# Cemetery Details

## Missouri Veterans Cemetery - Fort Leonard Wood

25350 Hwy H  
Waynesville, MO 65583

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 18. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville/St. Robert  
202 Historic 66 W.  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Memorial Chapels and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Mark Steven Cason*



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**Memorial Chapels and Crematory** - November 18, 2019 at 11:48 AM



“ *Mark Steven Cason*

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January 28, 2023 at 06:53 AM



“ *Mark was my neighbor in Lebanon, Mo a few years back. We would drive to Springfield to eat Japanese food and visit the cigar shop every now and then. He was such a nice man of many talents and will be missed.*  
*Dee Carhart*

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**Dee Carhart** - November 14, 2019 at 06:22 PM



“ 72 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**Memorial Chapels and Crematory** - November 14, 2019 at 04:13 PM



“ *April Marshall lit a candle in memory of Mark Steven Cason*



**April Marshall** - November 12, 2019 at 04:54 PM



“ *Mark had many talents and loved music. Mark was a violinist in the Kansas City Junior Philharmonic Orchestra.*



**Juanita Cason** - November 11, 2019 at 11:07 PM

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“ *Pulaski County Camp Gideons lit a candle in memory of Mark Steven Cason*



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**Pulaski County Camp Gideons** - November 11, 2019 at 07:10 PM

DH

“ *Mark was a joy to talk to when he would visit our store. He will be missed. Our condolences to his family.*



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**David Hasik** - November 11, 2019 at 01:12 PM

DR

“ *Thank you for sharing Mark with my sister and brother, Charline & John; and our family. We were so blessed to have Mark as part of our extended family and we will miss him very much. We have all enjoyed our visits with him and all of the love he shared with us. Thank you, Mark for being a blessing to so many people. Till we meet in heaven. Everett & Dawn Rodgers and Don & Virginia Butler*

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**Dawn Rodgers** - November 11, 2019 at 12:51 PM

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“ *Prayers for the Cason family; we are glad we had the chance to meet Mark during his visit to Phoenix. John and Robin Nichols*



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**Robin Nichols** - November 10, 2019 at 03:14 PM