

Obituary

Mr. Patrick Leon Cwiklinski was born on June 3, 1952 in Buffalo, New York. He was the son of Frank Cwiklinski and Eugenia Wojtulski. Patrick departed this life on Wednesday, October 13, 2021.

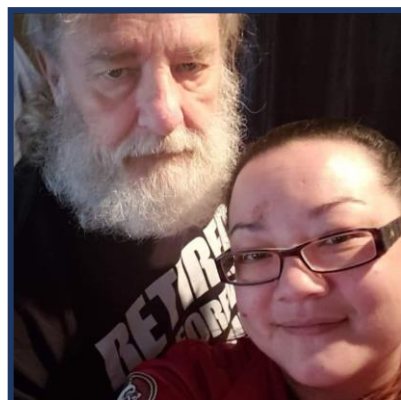
Mr. Patrick Cwiklinski was drafted into the United States Army, and served proudly for twenty years, and also fought in the operation Desert Storm. While serving his country, he saw most of the world. He gracefully survived this war, and was stationed at Fort Bliss, Texas, where he soon retired as an E-7. SFC (Ret.) Cwiklinski came to Columbia, SC to be with his family, and made Columbia his home.

SFC (Ret.) Cwiklinski was a simple man and a God-fearing man. He always managed to put others before himself. He loved to cook, play golf, draw, long walks, and he enjoyed watching wrestling.

Mr. Patrick was preceded in death by: his parents, Frank Cwiklinski and Eugenia Wojtulski.

Mr. Patrick Leon Cwiklinski leaves to cherish his memory: his daughters, Dawn Cwiklinski and Christine Cwiklinski; grandchildren, LaQuanda Cohen, Shi'Quan Cwiklinski, Diamond Simmons, Joseph McFadden, Jr., and La'Destiny McFadden; five great-grandchildren; other loving relatives, and an abundance of friends, all of whom will miss him dearly.

Memories



Order of Service

Call to Worship

Scripture.....Reverend Abraham Salley

Prayer of Comfort.....Reverend Abraham Salley

Remarks.....Mr. Richard Jones

Words of Comfort.....Reverend Abraham Salley



Committal, Benediction and Interment

1:00 p.m.

Fort Jackson National Cemetery
4170 Percival Road
Columbia, South Carolina

Letting Go

*The angels gathered near your side
So very close to you
For they knew the pain and suffering
That you were going through*

*I thought about so many things
As I held tightly to your hand
Oh, how I wished that you were strong
And happy once again.*

*But your eyes were looking homeward
To that place beyond the sky
Where Jesus held His outstretched arms
It was time to say good-bye*

*I struggled with my selfish thoughts
For I wanted you to stay
So we could walk and talk again
Like we did... just yesterday*

*But Jesus knew the answer
And I knew you loved Him so,
So, I gave to you life's greatest gift
The gift of letting go.*

- Judith Bullock Morse

In Loving Memory

I thought of you with love today
But that is nothing new.

I thought about you yesterday,
And days before that too.

I think of you in silence,
I often speak your name

All I have are memories,
And your picture in a frame.

Your memory's my keepsake,
With which I'll never part.

God has you in His keeping.
I have you in my heart.

Acknowledgement

We, the family of Mr. Patrick Leon Cwiklinski, would like to express our sincere appreciation and gratitude to all who have shown comforting expressions of love, sympathy, and prayers, during the passing of our loved one.

Services Entrusted To:

Taylor Street Chapel
1831 Taylor Street
Columbia, SC 29201
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9120 Garners Ferry Road
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-General Manager-

In Honor of your Memory

Mr. Patrick Leon Cwiklinski



Friday, October 22, 2021

1:00 p.m.

*Fort Jackson National Cemetery
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