



John Wilbur "Jack" Saunders

July 4, 1956 - July 17, 2017

John "Jack" Saunders, 61, of Cobb Island, MD, passed away on July 17, 2017.

Born on July 4, 1956 in La Plata, MD, he was the son of the late James and Marie Saunders.

Jack was married to Bernadine M. Saunders on September 16, 1983.

He was a lifetime member of the Cobb Island Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad and retired from the U. S. Navy. Jack so loved his family, his pets, motorcycle riding and being on the water. Jack always said "that if he was away from the water too long, his gills would dry up".

In addition to his wife, Jack is survived by his children Fred Saunders and husband Brandon of Greenwood, SC, Scott Donoho and wife Barbie of King George, VA, Michelle Farr and husband David of Mechanicsville, MD; brother James "Spider" Saunders of Cobb Island, MD and his late wife Betty Jo; sister Tina Brinson of Durham, NC and her late husband John; grandchildren Brianna, Aurora, Meadow and Chad; also survived by several nieces and nephews.

Memorial service on Sunday, July 30, 2017 at 1 PM at Cobb Island Volunteer

Fire Department 17069 Cobb Island Road Cobb Island, MD 20625.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Cobb Island Volunteer Fire Department P. O. Box 156 Cobb Island, MD 20625 or directed to the Saunders family to assist with expenses.

Tribute Wall



“ *John Wilbur "Jack" Saunders*

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ *John Wilbur "Jack" Saunders*

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ *Sherry Selinske lit a candle in memory of John Wilbur "Jack" Saunders*



Sherry Selinske - August 04, 2017 at 04:35 PM



“ *My sincere condolences to the Saunders Family and the Cobb Island Fire Department. I know he will be greatly missed. Katrina Wiskup, Cobb Island*

Katrina Wiskup - July 27, 2017 at 10:50 AM



“ *So sorry to hear of Jackie's death. Although I didn't know him well, he and the family were great to my dad and I know he thought a lot of Jackie. My sincere condolences. Beth Mudd DeLabar*

Beth DeLabar - July 26, 2017 at 09:22 PM

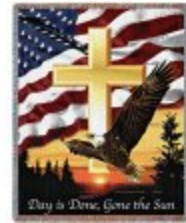
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“ You will be missed by all thank you for your friendship and for teaching me alot in the Firehouse thank you jackie for telling me i can do it i am a better person because of you you took my son under your wing and tought him so much just like you did for my Daughters you were and always will be a great person I am proud to call you my friend now and forever love you Jackie

Cathy Lancaster - July 22, 2017 at 06:27 PM



“ Memorial Honor Blanket was purchased for the family of John Wilbur "Jack" Saunders.



July 22, 2017 at 11:52 AM

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“ I attended school with Jackie and shared some good times with him and others in the Cobb Island area while we were growing up. Although I lost touch with him after High School, I am still deeply sadden to learn of his passing. My prayers are for all his family and friends. He will be missed!

Bob Deyermond

Bob Deyermond - July 22, 2017 at 09:06 AM

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“ Growing up on Cobb Island you could not help but to know what a fun loving guy Jackie was. I have many fond memory's ,like swimming under the bridge and getting him to give me rides back to shore when it was over my head. He was always happy and joking around with everyone.I moved away at age 16, and we lost touch but I would hear from time to time about all the great things he was doing in his life. I know he was loved by many and will be missed greatly. I send my deepest condolences to his family.

Love Cely Simms

Cely Simms - July 21, 2017 at 09:04 PM



I also share so many fond memories! Oh, the stories we could share! All my love to my extended family. Big hugs!

Sherrie King - July 21, 2017 at 10:05 PM

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“ We are so sorry for your loss!! Jack was an awesome guy! Everyone who knew him is so much better for knowing him!!

Darcee & Buck Trigger

Darcee Trigger - July 21, 2017 at 07:21 PM