



Phillip Duane Cheek

June 15, 1964 - August 17, 2021

Phillip Duane Cheek 57, of McCalla, AL peacefully passed away on August 17th, 2021, surrounded by loved ones, after a courageous battle with COVID-19. Phillip was born on June 15th, 1964, to James T. and Dorothy Kitchens Cheek, in Savannah, Georgia. After graduating from McAdory High School in 1982, he went on to proudly serve his country in the United States Navy on the USS Enterprise, CVN 65.

Phillip is survived by his loving wife, Roxann Reynolds Cheek. His children, Jessica Nicole Cheek and Zachary Ryan Cheek. His step-children, Witni Rena' Roberson and Brandon Douglas Roberson (Stephanie). Grandchildren, Gracie, Brayden, Kylie and Carly. He is also survived by his parents, James T. and Dorothy K. Cheek, his brother Jeff Cheek (Andrea). He is also survived by a host of nieces and nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins. He is preceded in death by his grandparents, James T. and Annie Louise Cheek, and William Bruce and Lester Selena Kitchens.

Phillip lived life to the fullest. He had many things he was passionate about with family being first. He loved Auburn football, Donald Trump, and anything Red, White and Blue. He loved to talk for hours to anybody that would listen on his favorite subjects. Due to his love for the sea, he loved to take cruises. He was always looking for the next great adventure. If you knew Phillip, you knew he always had a Mountain Dew in his hand, and a pocket full of lifesaver mints. He will be remembered for his infectious smile and blue eyes.

There will be a military graveside service Monday, August 23rd at 1:15 pm at

Alabama National Cemetery in Montevallo, AL. In lieu of flowers please make donations to Tunnel of Towers Foundation in honor of Phillip Duane Cheek.

Cemetery Details

Alabama National Cemetery

3133 Alabama 119
Montevallo, AL 35115

Tribute Wall

DS

“ I had a dream about my friend Phillip from the Navy. We were still kids when we met at NAS Memphis in Millington, TN.. I am so sorry to find this information. We hit it off pretty quickly as we were in the same barracks, he was on the 3rd floor and I was on the 5th. We were not drinkers much, but we did try every chance we could get at the enlisted club on base. I am grateful to have these memories.

Go with God my friend!

Duane Singleton

Duane Singleton - April 05, 2022 at 08:51 AM



Roxann
Cheek

Phillip always wanted to reconnect with his Navy buddies. He would be so proud to know those friends remember him fondly. Thanks for your comment!

Roxann Cheek - February 02, 2023 at 06:47 PM

TA

“ Phillip was a sweetheart. He always had a smile on his face and could always make me laugh. I am so sorry for his passing. He was taken too soon and will be missed by my brother Wally and me



Teresa Lee Arrigoni - August 20, 2021 at 05:12 PM

TR

“ My heart is just broken for you Rocki. I can't imagine what you & you're family are dealing with right now. Please know you're constantly in my thoughts & I'm praying that the Lord will comfort you during this difficult time. I'm always here if you need me. Lifting up prayers for your entire family.



With much love,

Teresa Russo

Teresa Russo - August 20, 2021 at 04:26 PM

KF

“ There are no words that can explain my sympathy and empathy for your loss. I've known the family for years. I pray that each and every one of you and your family will find peace and comfort at your time of grieving. My mom and I love you all! You will forever be in our hearts and prayers.



Kay Farish and Hazel Humphries.

Kay Farish - August 20, 2021 at 01:27 PM

DJ

“ Sorry for your loss rocky. Phillip was always a gentlemen and polite any time i saw him. I never seen him without a smile on his face. I will always remember him for that smile and his kindness . prayers and hugs

Your friend

Denise Jordan

Denise Jordan - August 20, 2021 at 09:51 AM

JC

“ I was deeply saddened upon hearing of Phillip's passing. He was my brother -in-law for many years. My sincere condolences to the family during this difficult time of loss. My love and prayers for my neice, Jessica and nephew, Zachary.

Josephine Clements - August 19, 2021 at 10:49 PM

PV

“ Prayers for the Family, So saddened to hear,



patricia Vizzina - August 19, 2021 at 10:04 PM

CB

“ Cecilia Bishop lit a candle in memory of Phillip Duane Cheek



Cecilia Bishop - August 19, 2021 at 07:17 PM

LF

“ Lisa L Franklin lit a candle in memory of Phillip Duane Cheek



Lisa L Franklin - August 19, 2021 at 06:50 PM

SN

“ Having lost touch with the Kitchens clan after my parents went to heaven, cousins Phillip and Diane found me and kept me apart of this family.

I literally was down to just a few living relatives.

Now there's so many!!! But one important one down...

His wit, his tenacious humor got to me like a little annoying brother would!

We texted a few days before this happened and he didn't see it coming in my opinion the way he poked fun...

Thank you Phillip for being my cousin and keeping me around and in the loop. Loved the last reunion! We just had text about granny loving her grandkids almost excessively and I'm sure she was there first when you arrived ❤️

See ya soon cousin Say Hi to my parents and of course all the family ❤️

God bless you and your families 🙏😊🙏😊



sherre nightingale - August 19, 2021 at 04:36 PM