



James Culbertson

October 30, 1934 - July 22, 2023

James Edward Culbertson
LTC, US Army, Retired

Jim was born in Elkridge, West Virginia, to Charles and Lola Culbertson. He grew up in Arkansas, went to college in Mississippi, and became a citizen of the world during his 26 years of military service. His assignments included tours in Germany, Vietnam, and Korea, as well as many states in the U.S. He commanded an Air Defense Battery in Pittsburgh, PA, a Rocket Battalion in Korea, and Army Recruiting in North Carolina, where he was honored by inclusion in Who's Who in North Carolina. His last assignment was Director of Personnel and Administration, United States Military Enlistment Processing Command where he was responsible for the manning of 72 Enlistment Processing Centers. His awards and decorations included the Combat Infantry Badge, Legion of Merit, Meritorious Service Medal, Bronze Star, and Air Medal.

After retiring from the military, Jim moved to Jackson, Mississippi and was employed as a Senior Systems Analyst with the Mississippi Employment Security Commission where he was tasked with procurement and installation of a new system of computer hardware and software. He took a year off to recover from a heart attack, then went to work as an eligibility investigator for the Office of the Governor, Division of Medicaid. It was during his time in

Jackson that he met and married Florence Ann Funchess. Jim and Florence retired from employment and moved to a permanent home in Naples, Florida in 1999.

Not inclined to be idle for long Jim accepted election to the Board of Directors, Country Club Manor Condominium Association in Naples, and served as President of the Board from 2000 until his resignation in 2013. He was also active in church choirs and was often featured as a soloist and member of ensemble groups. He will certainly be welcomed in the Heavenly Choir.

Jim is survived by his beloved wife Florence, daughter Pamela Culbertson, step-son Thomas Funchess, grandsons: Justin Culbertson and Jerrod Culbertson (Melanie), and great grandchildren Kix, Mallie, Annaleigh, and Joseph. He was predeceased by his parents, step-mother Elizabeth (Lib) Culbertson, step-son Terry Funchess, first wife Elizabeth Anne Culbertson, and son Michael Culbertson

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Previous Events

Memorial Service

JAN 20. 2:00 PM (CT)

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