



John Albert Cashion

December 13, 1946 - March 20, 2019

John Albert Cashion, 72, of Mooresville, NC, went home to be with his Lord March 20, 2019.

Funeral Services celebrating his life will be held 2:00 PM Thursday March 28, 2019 at Davidson United Methodist Church with Pastor Sarah Belles officiating. The family will visit with friends prior to the service, at 1:00 PM in the church fellowship hall. Graveside services with full military honors will be held following the service in the Mimosa Cemetery in Davidson.

John was born to the late Albert Gwendon Cashion and Gladys Baucom Cashion. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death, by a sister, Barbara Cashion Campbell.

John graduated from North Mecklenburg High School in 1965 and went on to obtain his undergraduate degree at UNC-Charlotte and received a master's degree in public health administration from UNC-Chapel Hill. He also participated in numerous courses with the American Hospital Association and received a lifetime membership to the North Carolina Hospital Association.

He would honorably serve his country in the United States Air Force during the Vietnam War as a staff sergeant, spending the majority of his deployment in Thailand.

John enjoyed serving his community as a member of multiple Hospice boards, youth league baseball coach and a variety of other organizations throughout the years. He was a member of Davidson United Methodist Church, where he had recently rejoined upon moving back to the area. This was the church in which he was baptized, confirmed and where he attended through high school.

John was an executive administrator at Wilson Medical Center, Vice President at High Point Regional Hospital and President at Lexington Memorial Hospital.

His favorite hobbies included woodworking, golf, being around the water, shooting, flying in his para-plane and spending time with his grandkids. John was also known recently to have a passion for inviting others to his church and spending time helping around the community wherever needed.

Survivors include his children Erin Riggsbee and Bryan of Park City, UT; Jake Cashion and Brooke, of High Point, NC and Jeff Cashion and Jennifer, of Winston-Salem, NC and six grandchildren-Maddie, Will, Piper, Margaret Ann, Charlee and Sadie. Also surviving are extended family, close friends and his faithful pup, Snickers.

Memorials may be made to Davidson United Methodist Church.

Friends and family may sign and view the guestbook at www.cavin-cook.com.

Previous Events

Receiving Friends

MAR 28. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Davidson United Methodist Church
233 South Main Street
Davidson, NC 28036

Memorial Service

MAR 28. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

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233 South Main Street
Davidson, NC 28036

Graveside Service

MAR 28. 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Mimosa Cemetery, Davidson

Tribute Wall



“ *John Albert Cashion*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ *John Albert Cashion*

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *John Albert Cashion*

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM



“ *To the family and friends,*

My condolences and prayers for your loss, as I believe we may have been related.

My prayers are with you!

Audie

Audie Cashion - March 28, 2019 at 03:41 PM

JH

“ Johnny was a good friend from Mrs. Gallant's kindergarten through high school. He is a part of many happy memories of growing up in Davidson. There was only one class at each grade level so by high school we were like siblings. I loved seeing him at the reunions and keeping up through Beat.

Like Johnny I moved back to Davidson after I retired. Thomas Wolfe was wrong.... You can go home again, especially if it is to a place that you love.

Jane Withers Holland

Jane Withers Holland - March 27, 2019 at 07:12 PM

SW

“ John and I met a few years ago, brought together by our connections to the town of Davidson. We didn't quite overlap back in the past because he graduated from North Meck shortly before I moved to town in 1965 and went to high school there. He always had the best stories to tell about growing up in Davidson, and he was very happy to move back to the Lake Norman area not long ago! We also visited Beat together several times, and John put her historic Davidson home plaque on her house for her.

John was a good friend, and I always enjoyed spending time with him and his sweet dog Snickers, too. I'm going to cherish my special weathered wood planter box he made for me!

Erin, Jake, Jeff and your families -- your father and grandfather was SO proud of all of you! He talked about you all the time, showed me photos, and obviously loved all of you tremendously.. I know all of you will miss him very much.

Susan Walker

Susan Walker - March 26, 2019 at 05:42 PM

DF

“*Doug, Deanna, Ty & Beat Cashion (Bub's Family) purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of John Albert Cashion.*



Doug, Deanna, Ty & Beat Cashion (Bub's Family) - March 25, 2019 at 01:52 PM

MC

“*Jake, Erin, and Jeff, We have many special memories of the years when your family and ours were next door neighbors on Traceway Road. One fun memory of John took place when he and Mike were in the Mess America Pageant at our church. Both of them were contestants in the pageant along with seven or eight other men. With his mustache your dad fit right in with the others, but the thing that set him apart from them was his talent. John sang a song which brought tears to my eyes (Miss Ann, as I laughed)! Your dad was a great sport who added a special part to the pageant which was planned by our Sunday School class as a way to have some fun and to put smiles on the faces of those in our church family. He was a fine man, a great neighbor, and a caring and supportive friend!*

We were saddened to learn of his passing. To the three of you we send our condolences and our love!

Mike and Ann Current - March 25, 2019 at 01:54 AM

SW

“*1 file added to the album Memories Album*



SUSAN WALKER - March 24, 2019 at 03:05 PM

FF

Susan, thank you so very much for working John's booth the night I was in town so we could catch up! That was a very special gift of time you gave us. What a precious photo!

Fran Forsyth - March 26, 2019 at 12:26 PM

SW

You're very welcome, Fran! I know it meant a lot to John to spend time with both of you.

Susan Walker - March 26, 2019 at 05:23 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of John Albert Cashion.*



March 24, 2019 at 09:30 AM

FF

“ *John loved to dance to rock and roll music. In High School, John and I danced the Spotlight Dance on Kilgo's Kanteen to "You can have her"! It was so fast! Somehow John figured out how to slow us down so we could finish the dance, lol!*

Fran Forsyth - March 24, 2019 at 06:47 AM

SW

John often talked about how much he loved dancing and how much fun you both had dancing together!

Susan Walker - March 24, 2019 at 04:00 PM

FF

We did have a lot of fun, Susan. John wanted us to try to dance to that song again. He was SURE we could do it if we practiced a bit.

Fran Forsyth - March 26, 2019 at 12:27 PM

SW

He was teaching me to dance recently, too. So much fun!

Susan Walker - March 26, 2019 at 05:23 PM

DC

“ *We and Beat send our condolences to Johnny’s family. Beat and Bub had many good times and memories of him. Your family are in our prayers. Love, Edith, Doug, DeDe and Ty Cashion (Beat and Bub Cashion’s family.)*

Doug Cashion - March 22, 2019 at 06:14 PM