



Gary Colin Hubbard

October 20, 1942 - November 26, 2023

Gary Hubbard of Orlando, Florida died peacefully Sunday at the age of 81. He is survived by his son Gary Jr. and his wife Tracy; his grandson Paul and his wife Hannah; his grandson Christopher; his great-grandsons Jaxson and Elias; his sister Linda; his brother Mark; and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife Vera, his parents, Clarence and Dorothea; and his sisters Carol, Kay, and Judy.

Gary was born in Columbus, Indiana. He and Vera were married in 1970. Gary's career in the U.S. Army included tours of duty in Korea and Vietnam, working in infantry and in airborne. His later years in the Army were in recruiting. After retiring from the military in 1980 and relocating to Florida, he held physical security positions with various defense contractors at the Kennedy Space Center and held other security jobs.

Gary loved the Lord Jesus Christ and bore witness to his faith for many years and to many.

people. He enjoyed being with family and friends, especially when cookouts and games of euchre were involved. He enjoyed watching tv westerns, listening to country gospel music and supporting various Christian ministries. He was always generous with his time, his money, and his stories. He had an infectious laugh and made friends wherever he went.

Second only to his love for the Lord, Gary most of all loved his wife, Vera, who preceded him in death by only a few days. Just as they were close in life, so they will be close as they will be buried together in a joint funeral ceremony scheduled for 1:00 pm on November 30th at Cape Canaveral National Cemetery, 5525 U.S. Highway 1, Mims, FL, with a reception to follow the ceremony at Beef O' Brady's, 2825 Garden St, Unit 9, Titusville, FL, from 2:00-5:00. All are welcome to attend and celebrate Gary's life. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to your favorite Christian ministry in honor of Gary. Condolences and memories can be shared at goodlifefuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Cape Canaveral National Cemetery

5525 US Highway 1
Mims, FL 32754

Previous Events

Graveside Service

NOV 30. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Uncle Gary was my hero.
I wanted to be just like him when I grew up.
He always made time to play with me and my cousin Troy whenever he was around.
He always had a story about the places that he had been and share some of the things he saw when he was in the military.
He took me to work with him at the recruiting office in Chicago when I was a kid and he let me watch a bunch of training films.
Uncle Gary I will miss all our long talks on the phone and all your stories.
Rest in Heaven Uncle Gary!
Love your nephew Brett*

Brett Ross - November 30, 2023 at 08:08 PM

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“ *My husband Chris and I went with my brother Mike to Gary and Vera's beautiful home in FL. Mike lived in FL at the time.. They were both truly in love and so hospitable to us, they didn't want us to leave... May God comfort all of you at this time. Love Beth (Fivecoat) Cloud*



Beth Cloud - November 30, 2023 at 01:41 PM

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“ *David R. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gary Colin Hubbard.*

David R. - November 28, 2023 at 11:52 AM