



Remembering our brothers who have passed from this life

Thomas W. Upton, '64

July 26, 1944 - January 13, 2022



Pvt. 1,2; Sgt. 3,4; SFC 5; Lt. 6;
 Captain 7; Fencing 1-7; Lacrosse
 1-7; Soccer 6,7; Track 5; Roller
 Rifles 5-7, 1st Sergeant 7.

One of the handsomest boys at Augusta, Tom is a one woman man. Tom has shepherded his "D" Company boys just as he would sheep. And Tom instantly found in Bob Wade one of his top running friends. Another late, late show viewer, Tom's friendliness commands loyalty. With a sense of humor which really shows in some of his jokes, he has proved this facet of his personality in some of his wild times at AMA. Tom ranks next to Joe Benedik in quietness, but he is a bombshell and he is right on top of the tee-pee!

Verona - Thomas W. Upton, Verona, died on January 13, 2022. He was the son of the late Charles E. Jr. and Madlyn E. Upton.

He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Rebecca T. Upton; two daughters, Paula S. Upton of Dunedin, FL and Ann Upton Bond, and her husband, Scott, of Connelly Springs, NC; son Thomas W. Upton II of Richmond, VA; grandchildren Madlyn C. Upton and Sterling H. Upton; and special friend, David Pence.



He was preceded in death by his brother, Charles E. Upton III.

Mr. Upton graduated from Augusta Military Academy in 1964 and served in the United States Marine Corps. He was a member of the Staunton Lodge #13 of AF & AM Masons, Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, Acca Temple Shriners; Staunton Elks #351, Shenandale Gun Club, and Brushy Mountain Gun Club.

At Tom's request, there will be no services.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Shenandoah House Hospice, Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, or St. Jude's Children's Hospital.

The family would like to thank Dr. John Marsh and the staff of Shenandoah House for their care and support.