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Jerry Wayne Allport, 62, of Stafford, VA passed away on August 31, 2017.

Jerry was a graduate of Gar-Field High School and lived most of his life in the Woodbridge, VA area. He began his career as an apprentice with Cross Electric, and later became a Master Journeyman Electrician. He got great satisfaction from mentoring others in the trade. Jerry enjoyed spending time with family and friends and was most content with a fishing rod in his hands. He will be greatly missed.

He leaves behind sisters, Jo Ann Brown and Donna Corser; brothers, John and Justin; mother, Sally Olsen; niece, Shannon Meade; nephews, Christian Worrell and Eric Meade; and great nephews, Brett and Preston Meade. He is also survived by brothers-in-law, Vic Brown and Jack Corser; and sister-in-law, Rose Allport.

He was preceded in death by his father, Jack; sister, Janice; and brother, Jimmy.

A private service and celebration of life will be held for family and close friends at a future date.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Camp Bennett - http://www.missiondc.org/camp_bennett where Jerry spent many of his childhood summers.

An online tribute wall is available at foundandsons.com.



Tribute Wall

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MV

Mike Vincent posted:

I was a young electricians helper at Cross Electric around 1987ish. Jerry was my boss, he was tough - but he taught me how to be tough as well. I think about that time in my life, young and trying to find my way...I am still convinced a young man should spend 2 years on a construction site. Once story in particular, we were digging under a footer in Dulles Airport and I had a digging bar that weighed about 12 lbs...I was filthy dirty and he laughed so hard and said, "I finally got you dirty!" My arms cramped so bad they immediately folded into my chest. I no longer work in that field or live in VA, but know that he is still thought about from time to time. Mike Vincent

October 5 at 12:11 PM

TH

T Alan Holloway lit a candle in honor of Jerry.

I've just found out a few minutes ago that our dear friend Jerry Allport had passed on It's a shame that we have yet lost another friend way to soon. Many years of friendship, bowling,, working, enjoying all the good time over the years.Rest in Peace My Friend. I'll see you again, but not yet...My Condolences to all Friends & Family.You will be missed terribly.Alan Holloway

March 25 at 6:21 AM



MS

Mike And Dee Simpson lit a candle in honor of Jerry.

It was a shock to see that Jerry had passed. My husband Mike and I loved bowling with him and the Woodbridge crew. I am sure there are a lot of people that will miss Jerry along with Myself and Mike. Condolences to his family.

November 17 at 12:48 PM



JT

John Tompkins posted:

Yet another one of the old Gar-Field crowd gone way to soon. I haven't seen Jerry in a lot of years, but he was a darn good guy. Same age as me at 62, so much living left to do. My heart felt condolences to Jerry's family. Very sorry for your loss. May God rest his soul.John TompkinsWilliamsburg, Va

September 7 at 3:20 PM



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WS

Wayne Stewart posted:

I will miss Jerry the remaining years I have left. He became a brother to me and losing a family member is never easy. Our home and hearts have a hole in them that he once filled. This Saturday we will pay tribute to him, at the bar he built at my house . We will raise a glass to him and christen the Bar as JERRY'S PLACE This will be after the service which begins at noon this Saturday

September 7 at 5:34 AM



Anonymous sent a Pretty Please to the Allport family.



September 6 at 9:37 AM

MF

Mark And Michele Fenter posted:

This post took our breath away! Mark and I are so very sad for the loss of this gentle man! We had so many great times bowling with Jerry and the Crew....Many evenings playing poker as well! May you rest in peace, our friend....say Hi to Bobby for us! We will miss you greatly! Prayers for the family during this very difficult time!

September 5 at 3:23 PM

TS

Thomas Smalls lit a candle in honor of Jerry.

Jerry was a good guy. Always willing to give advice and spend time with you if you needed it or if he thought you needed it. Others spoke of his stern demeanor but I found him to be a gentle soul. I'm going to miss ole' Jerry. He always called T Smalls and admired anyone with computer skills. I will remember the talks concerning the difference in kids today and the way we were raised in our times. I never took time for him to teach me to play poker, but he said "You would be good at it, you're good with those numbers". So long Jerry maybe we'll go fishing together up high. Thomas Smalls



September 5 at 11:50 AM



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SP

Sue Pennington posted:

My condolences to the entire Allport family. Jerry was a good friend, always had a funny story to tell, and enjoyed his family and friends. I will always cherish our friendship.

September 5 at 11:34 AM

BR

Brenda September 5 at 12:12 PM

Jerry is a great person he has be welcomed in heaven by our girlfriend Alice and may loved ones.

WI

Williams Electric Co., Inc. posted:

Sending our sincerest condolences. Jerry was hard working and always tried to take care of his responsibilities, even through his illness. We considered him a valuable employee and an asset to our company and he will be missed. Williams Electric Co., Inc.

September 5 at 9:32 AM

MS

Michael Stachnik September 5 at 6:10 PM

Jerry was a great man to work with. I had the opportunity to work with him while I was in Virginia doing work. He showed me a lot with the electrical trade and I will always appreciate that. Great to talk baseball with too! Thank you for everything Jerry!

JK

Jim Kanala posted:

Jerry was a great friend. Sad to hear of his passing. All of his childhood friends looked up to him as he was so talented and influential. Great man and friend.

September 5 at 5:49 AM

FC

Freddie Cross posted:

I am very sorry to hear of this. It comes as a great shock. I rarely ran into Jerry in the past 20 years, but we were always very glad to see each other. Jerry was the nicest man around, however he had stern persona in the field. I remember more than once when he worked at Cross Electric, my husband, Bill Cross, fretting over having to fire someone and instead sending that person to Jerry's job knowing he would end up quitting. I never could understand because he always treated me like a queen. Prayers to his family.

September 5 at 5:48 AM



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