



Eugene "Gene" Lanier Fox

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Eugene "Gene" Lanier Fox, 77, of Culpeper died at his home surrounded by family on Wednesday, May 1, 2024. He was born March 1, 1947 in Alexandria, VA to the late Eugene Fox, Sr. and Katherine Fox.

Gene attended Bridge Community Church. He was a veteran of the US Army, and retired from the US Secret Service after 36 dedicated years. Gene was quick witted and the king of "one liners", especially while playing cards. He loved playing golf and reclining in his favorite chair while sipping on bourbon watching the Washington Nationals and HGTV. Though he dreaded the journey, he loved the destination going to the beach with family and cruising with friends.

He is survived by his wife of 31 years, Doris Fox; three children, Kimberly Fox-King (Eric), Lori Irwin (Chris), and Matthew Fox (Anna); two stepchildren, Shane Smoot (Danielle) and Bree Smoot; six grandchildren, Nathan Hoffman, Jeremy Hoffman, Connor Irwin, Maverick Fox, Levi Fox, and Erik Smoot (Rebecca); three great-grandchildren, Adelyn Hoffman, Ella Smoot, and Jase Smoot; and two siblings, Larry Fox (Sandy) and Edith Fox (Mike).

In addition to his parents, Gene is preceded in death by his brother, Lee Fox; and grandson, Cole Smoot.

The family will receive friends from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Monday, May 6, 2024 at Found and Sons Funeral Chapel, 850 Sperryville Pike, Culpeper, VA 22701.

The funeral service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 7, 2024 at Found and Sons Funeral Chapel with Pastor Dave Dooley officiating.

Interment will follow at Culpeper National Cemetery, 501 E. Chandler Street, Culpeper, VA. Pallbearers serving the family will be Nathan Hoffman, Jeremy Hoffman, Connor Irwin, Chris Irwin, Shane Smoot, and Billy Ashby.



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In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Blueridge Area Food Bank Eastern Region
give.brafb.org

An online guestbook and tribute wall are available at www.foundandsons.com

Found and Sons Funeral Chapel of Culpeper is serving the family.



Events

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Visitation

Monday, May 6, 2024

5:00 PM - 7:00 PM ET

Found and Sons Funeral Chapels & Cremation Service

850 Sperryville Pike, Culpeper VA 22701



Funeral Service

Tuesday, May 7, 2024

11:00 AM ET

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Burial

Tuesday, May 7, 2024

12:00 PM ET

Culpeper National Cemetery (New)

501 East Chandler Street, Culpeper VA 22701



Cemetery Details

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Tribute Wall

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Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Fox family.

May 6 at 6:05 AM



Sincerely, Julie Talley And John Helder planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Eugene "Gene".

May 6 at 6:05 AM



The Secret Service Photo Branch sent a Strength & Solace Spray to the Fox family.

May 5 at 10:53 AM



The Secret Service Photo Branch planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Eugene "Gene".

May 5 at 10:53 AM



John And Judy Syphrit posted:

Gene and I worked together with the Secret Service where us and the crew would have many fun lunches at the World Buttery, Blackies, and the Hung Jury. Many memories that I will never forget. Also, we commuted to work together and had many great conversations. May God bless Gene's family and his good friends. See you on the other side Gene. John Syphrit

May 5 at 10:18 AM



Jeff Clemente May 5 at 1:22 PM

I worked with Gene for many years and got to know him well when I became his direct report. I always appreciated his wisdom and support. I send my deepest condolences to Doris and the rest of Gene's family. My best wishes are with all of you. Jeff Clemente



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DV

Dawn & Mike, Sam & Shawn, Vannah & Tim sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Fox family.



May 4 at 1:29 PM

KG

Kevin Good posted:

Matt and the entire family are in my thoughts and prayers. Condolences to all and may god bless you all as you celebrate your loved one's life.

May 4 at 9:00 AM

JG

Jim Grasman posted:

In loving memory of Gene whom I had the honor of working with. Your dedication, guidance, and camaraderie made every day brighter. Your legacy lives on in the hearts of those you touched. Rest peacefully, dear friend and colleague."Jim Grasman

May 4 at 6:59 AM

EW

Ed White lit a candle in honor of Eugene "Gene".



May 4 at 5:29 AM

RC

Ray & Dewana Buck. Kent & Sherri Chesnut sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Fox family.



May 3 at 7:54 PM

WI

William posted:

My condolences to Gene's family and friends. William Diaz, GWHS Class of 65

May 3 at 5:01 PM



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Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Fox family.



May 3 at 11:07 AM



Carmine Artone posted:

Our sincere condolences to Doris and family. I have many fond memories working with Gene and Doris at the Secret Service. We are very sorry for your loss. Carm and Carol Artone

May 3 at 5:29 AM



Ruth Gibson Robinson May 3 at 9:54 AM

I was best friends with Gene and his ex wife Diane Daton Fox. We attend GWHS and graduated in 1965. Many great memories of special off times. Love ❤️



Amy Kohl posted:

Our condolences to Doris, Kim, Lori, Matt and your families. Our holidays with Gene were always fun and entertaining. He had a good spirit and we could tell he loved his family very much. We will continue to pray for you all during this time- peace, understanding, and rest.

May 2 at 4:22 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Eugene "Gene" by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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