



Michael D. Calton

April 30, 1952 - December 22, 2020

Michael Derek Calton, 68, of Trenton, Florida passed away December 22, 2020.

Mr. Calton was born April 30, 1952 in Dunedin, Florida, but had lived in the Palm Harbor, Florida before moving to Trenton. He received an Associate of Art degree from St. Petersburg College, an Associate of Science from Santa Fe College, and was certified as a Master Residential Electrician. Mr. Calton worked for several years with the Telecommunications Department at the University of Florida, was a member of the Berea Baptist Church in Palm Harbor, and in his spare time enjoyed building computers.

Mr. Calton is survived by his wife Mary Ann Madsen, his mother Elizabeth Calton of Chiefland, Florida, and his sister Phyllis Wilson of Chiefland, Florida. He was preceded in death by his father James Calton.

A memorial mass will be held for Mr. Calton 11:00 AM Saturday, January 9, 2020 at the St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church in Chiefland, with Father Arul Yagappan officiating.

Arrangements have been placed under the care of the Rick Gooding Funeral Home Chiefland Chapel, with locations in Cross City 352-498-5400 and Chiefland 352-493-0050. Please sign the online guest book at

rickgoodingfuneralhomes.com

Previous Events

Service

JAN 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church
4050 NW Highway 27 Alt.
chiefland, FL 32626

Tribute Wall



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“ *My name is John Biery, I had the pleasure of working directly with Derek for over 16 years at the University Of Florida. He was my doctor, my lawyer, my mechanic, my go to guy, my mentor, and most importantly Derek was my friend. He was the smartest man I have ever had the fortune to work with, and he never failed to amaze me with all of his knowledge. You could ask him anything and he would have an answer. And he was the hardest worker I have ever known. I will miss our friendly punch buggy jabs we threw at each others shoulders while sitting at stop signs on campus, I'm sure we had a few students wonder what the heck are these two old guys hitting each other for. LOL We loved life and loved to laugh together. I will miss Derek very much.*”

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