



Thomas Nance

April 19, 1949 - November 18, 2012

Thomas Richard Nance, 63, of Searcy died Sunday, November 18, 2012. He was born at Searcy April 19, 1949, the son of James Kyle and Betty Jean Smith Nance.

Thomas was a member of the College Church of Christ. He served four years with the US Marines in Viet Nam and retired as a Major from the US Army after a total of 26 years service. He then worked with Southwestern Bell, retiring after 30 years.

Surviving is his wife; Phyllis May Nance, a son; James Coe Nance and his wife Leigh and grandson James Coe Nance, Jr. of Jonesboro, sister; Stephanie Moore, her husband John of Tallahassee, Florida, and aunt; Franchelle Harrell of Newport. He was preceded in death by his parents, a daughter; Kimberly May Nance and brother; James "Jim" Nance II.

Tribute Wall

GM

“ *Phyllis, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. My prayers and thoughts are with you and your family.*

Gloria Horton Moody - March 29, 2013 at 02:09 PM

DH

“ *I am very sorry to hear of your loss. Please let your tears be of joy and not sorrow for you will see him again in a brighter tomorrow.*

Donitta Hlgh - March 29, 2013 at 02:09 PM

LG

“ *I was very saddened to hear of Tommy's death.I knew him back in the day at Forrest City when we went to school together. Tommy was always smiling.Lost track when I left the area. Tommy was a great guy.Your family will be in my prayers.*

Larry Gibson - March 29, 2013 at 02:09 PM

HW

“ *My prayers are to you and your family for the loss of your husband. May God continue to give you all strenght and encouragement.*

Hendra K. Woodfork - March 29, 2013 at 02:09 PM

DD

“ *I am so sorry to hear about your loss. Praying for your comfort and strength, Phyllis and family.*

Denise

Denise Miller Dorriety - March 29, 2013 at 02:09 PM

CS

“ Phyllis, I am so sorry for your loss. God took Tommy way too soon but he knows best and there is sure to be a reason. You two were a real couple. I enjoyed getting to know him a brief time while you two were attending the AASCOE conventions. God Bless you each and every day to come.
Cheryl Stobaugh

Cheryl Stobaugh - March 29, 2013 at 02:09 PM

DJ

“ I am so sorry to hear about Tommy. I have been out of town and just learned of his death. Tommy always made me smile and laugh. You could not be around him without feeling like life is good. When my husband met the two of you at the hospital on the 29th for my surgery, he talked about what a nice couple you were. I can still remember Tommy making me laugh as we were both getting ready for surgery! God is with you as Tommy is now with God and his family that have left before him. Tommy made a positive mark during his earthly journey and I am sure he made a lot of people feel that life is good! We all go back to the first grade and we will all be together for eternity!

Dora Flanagin Jones - March 29, 2013 at 02:09 PM

JW

“ Just heard of Tommy's passing. So sorry Phyllis. I would love to have seen Tommy again. Would love to see you too Phyllis. What great times we had in high school! Tommy was such a hoot!! We will all miss him! Love to all of you. Jo

Jo Holt Weight - March 29, 2013 at 02:09 PM

KE

“ *Phyllis,*

I am so sorry for your loss. You and your family will be in my prayers.

*Kathy Elder
FSA, Lonoke*

Kathy Elder - November 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ *I am sorry to hear about Tommy. You may not remember me, but I got to know him when I lived on Brittany Lane. I haven't seen him in quit some time, but he was a really good man. My prayers go out to you & the family. God bless.*

Steve Ward - November 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM