Gene Arthur Robertson

Gene Arthur Robertson was born March 9, 1960, at Ellsworth AFB at Rapid City, SD, to Donald and Beverly (Madsen) Robertson. His father served 20 years in the US Army so Gene spent the first 14 years of his life traveling the world as an army brat living in so many wonderful places.

Gene attended Lead High School. He served 4 years in the US Navy in San Diego. Following his honorable discharge, he enjoyed many adventures through the United States. He enjoyed being a cook in many different venues.

Gene, 57, died Friday, February 16, 2018, at the Department of Veterans Affairs, Fort Meade.

He is survived by his father, Donald Robertson; his stepmother, Hazel Robertson; sister, Judy (Mark) Geffre of Lead, SD; sister, Nancy Robertson of Spearfish, SD; nephew, Nicholas Geffre of Lead, SD; daughter, Amber Wychoff of Stockton, CA; and three grandchildren, Jared, Alexander, and Emily.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Beverly Robertson.

A memorial has been established to Fort Meade Hospice.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.kinkadefunerals.com.



In Loving Memory Of



Gene Arthur Robertson

1960 ~ 2018



I'm Free

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free I'm following the path God has laid you see. I took His hand when I heard His call I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day
To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way
I found the peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void Then fill it with remembered joys - -A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss Oh yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow.

I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.

My life's been full, I savored much,

Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief - - Don't lengthen it now with undue grief. Lift up your hearts, and peace to thee - - God wanted me now: He set me free.

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Born

March 9, 1960 Ellsworth AFB, South Dakota

Died

February 16, 2018 Fort Meade, South Dakota

Military Honors

Sturgis Volunteer Honor Guard

Memorial Service

Wednesday, February 21, 2018, at 10:00 a.m. Kinkade Funeral Chapel Sturgis, South Dakota

Officiant

Chaplain Randy Bradley

Musical Selections

"I'll Fly Away" "On the Wings of a Dove" "Go Rest High On That Mountain"

Honorary Urn Bearers

Nick Geffre ~ Mark Geffre ~ Chipper Clark ~ Marty Clark Don Trohkimoinen ~ Bob Ruff ~ Rick Kendall ~ Steve Finn

Inurnment

Black Hills National Cemetery Sturgis, South Dakota