



Wayne Malcolm Mitchell

August 24, 1952 - January 28, 2021

Wayne Malcolm Mitchell, 68, of West Palm Beach, passed away on January 28, 2021.

Wayne was born in Fort Worth, TX to Walter Sr. and Maude Mitchell on August 24, 1952. He served in the United States Air Force with his brother Walley. After his service, he pursued a career in Quality Engineering with several companies, and finally retired from Lockheed Martin last year. His job allowed him to travel around the country, and he was proud of the fact that he had visited all but four states. It was his goal to visit the final four with his wife, Fay, upon his retirement. Sadly, he was unable to do so.

Wayne loved jokes, whether it was hearing them or telling them. He'd often write down the premise of a joke, only to forget the punchline. He was a perfectionist and had a keen eye for detail. Nothing got past him...except the occasional punchline. He loved watching a good game of football and rooting for his San Francisco 49ers. He enjoyed watching Jeopardy with Fay and never missed an episode of NCIS or Bull. He took pleasure in the simple things like a good meal, a home project, a silly joke, a boisterous game of LCR, a quiet evening alone with his wife. Wayne was calm, soft spoken and mild-mannered. Conversations with him were easy, insightful and soothing. He cared very deeply for his family and friends. He is gone too soon and he will be sorely missed.

He is survived by his wife Fay, his children Michelle, Nick and Gianna, his brother Walley and his sister Donna, as well as his extended family and friends who loved him.

Aim High ... Fly, Fight, Win

Visitation will be 10AM, Wednesday, February 10, 2021 at Palms West Funeral Home.

Funeral services will be held at 12PM, Wednesday, February 10, 2021 at Palms West Funeral Home with Fr. Gabriel officiating. Burial will follow at South Florida National Cemetery.

Cemetery

South Florida National Cemetery

6501 S. State Road 7
Lake Worth, FL, 33449

Events

FEB **Visitation** 10:00AM - 12:00PM

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110 Business Park Way, Royal Palm Beach, FL, US,
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FEB **Service** 12:00PM

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Comments



“ Eternal rest Wayne



Joy Gementera - February 10 at 01:11 PM



“ We are saddened to learn about the loss of your loss one. May you draw comfort from the God of all comfort. Thinking of you all.

Evans family - February 21 at 12:29 PM



“ What can I say brother? Apparently not enough.... I no longer have a birthday to share with the one person that had the same thoughts and heart felt feelings for one another like we did. You were my quiet side. I always tried to be your protector. I was always the loud one. You were the one always looking for the better way. I tried to be your mentor and yet you were mine. We share so much and yet not enough.

Your pain is now gone and we are left to bear it. I will miss you so much now but I will always keep you in my heart with a brother's love. It is so hard to write these words. I thought that it would be you writing them for me... You finally beat me at something and yet everything. God willing I will see you again. I have lost my best friend for but awhile. Take care and watch over us brother.



Walter M Mitchell - February 10 at 03:15 PM



“ I met Wayne only once but he made me feel like I've known him for a long time. Such a down to earth person. Sad that you're gone too soon. All I can say is thank you for loving and caring for my dearest friend - Fe. Eternal rest Wayne... please pray for us as we do fo you.

Joy Gementera - February 10 at 01:07 PM



“ It wasn't so long ago I met Wayne and Fay. They bought their house through me in March of 2020. Wayne struck me as a quiet man not given to a lot of small talk but whenever he did say something it had meaning . Always thoughtful and considerate. Eventually i had learned that he was an excellent aeronautical engineer . No surprise there.

His photo gallery includes a picture of the space Shuttle Reminds me of the famous poem of John Gillespie Magee "Oh I have slipped the surly bonds of earth and danced the skies on laughter-silvered wings "

Fly on Wayne fly on "Put out your hand and touch the face of God"



anthony marinelli - February 06 at 11:00 AM