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. Jerry B. Nash passed away Friday, February 24, 2012. He was born in Tulsa on January 8, 1928 to G.B. and Evelyn Nash. Jerry joined the Navy at 16 years-with his father's permission. He served from 1944 to 1946, then graduated from Rogers High School. He attended Tulsa University and worked as a Civil Engineer at The Corps of Engineers, retiring after 43 years of service. Jerry loved his work. He enjoyed cooking; organizing the steak cookouts which brought the field and central offices of the Corps together. He served for 37 years on the the Board of Directors of The Tulsa Federal Credit Union. In 1949 he married Marjorie Arnell. They had 36 years together until her death. Jerry remarried and spent 23 years with his wife, Fauneal. He was preceded in death by his brother Don. He is survived by his brother Bob, four nephews; Terry, Brant, Chris and Cam as well as his extended family: Mike Morgan, Ethen Perkins (Linda), Norman Perkins (Sheree), Ruthanne Wright (Bill) and Gaylene Perkins. Also surviving are 12 grandchildren and two great grandchildren. He was a 32nd degree Mason, a Shriner and belonged to the Royal Order of Jesters. Jerry was a member of Boston Avenue Methodist Church. Dr. Bill Tankersley officiated at the memorial service held at Floral Haven Monday, 3:00p.m., February 27, 2012. Memorial contributions may be made to the Charitable and Educational Foundation, Tulsa Scottish Rite, 9529 E. 51st St. or the Community Food Bank, 1304 N. Kenosha, Tulsa, 74106.



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DM

Dave Murdock posted:

Fauneal, I was very sorry to hear of Jerry's passing. He was a very good friend to our family and extremely well thought of. The Super Bowl parites are fond memories that I will always cherish. I am very sorry I missed the funeral and to be there for you as you have always been there for us. If we can do anything for you please let us know. You will be in our thoughts as you always are.Dave

March 11 at 2:18 PM

SM

Steve Murdock posted:

Dearest Fauneal, I've only just learned of our tragic loss. You have always been there for our family in times of need and now I have failed you. I'll never forgive myself. My family has always agreed that there is no better friend than Fauneal Nash and our memories of you and Jerry are treasures. It goes without saying, I hope, that if there is anything I can do to help even at this late date it would help to assuage my guilt. I am honored to call you my friend. Love always, Steve.

March 11 at 12:31 PM

RA

Ray Barrett And Susan Andrews posted:

Was so sorry to see the news about Jerry. We also just saw him in December. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers!

February 28 at 12:40 PM

BB

Bruce Barrett posted:

Jerry was a great guy who I knew for 50 years+/- . My late mother Lucille (Lucy to Jerry) worked at the Tulsa District Corps of Engineers where she met Jerry, who then became my dad Ray's golfing buddy. I too was honored to play golf with Jerry a number of times.Jerry attended my Dad's 100th birthday luncheon just 2 months ago (December 16, 2011), and it was great to see him. I thought he looked fine and had no idea that he was ailing.Jerry, you're now in the Father's house, where I plan to see you again.Regards,Bruce Barrett

February 28 at 11:38 AM



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JW

Jerry Wilson posted:

Jerry Nash, Paul Mace and I made a trip to Omaha and NYC to check out several contractors for a job on a Corps project. What a wonder guy he was. He was the best at what he did. Engineering contracts! Please accept my condolences and my admiration for Jerry. I always considered him a friend and mentor. I was Resident Engineer at Keystone for 10 years and Area Engineer in Kansas and Northern Oklahoma for another 10 years. Jerry was always there for professional guidance, steak fries and if I needed help with the Credit Union. God bless his family and he will be missed by his COE family.

February 28 at 8:31 AM

DH

David Harder posted:

I really enjoyed working for Jerry as an engineering contract negotiator. His leadership taught me a lot about how to work within the Corp. The office was a fun place to work. Go with God.Dave

February 27 at 4:21 PM

RN

Robert And Branton Nash posted:

Rest in Peace. We will miss you very much.Your loving brother and nephew,Bob and Brant

February 26 at 4:48 PM

MF

Markham D. Ferrell posted:

"Yesterday, this days madness did bring tomorrows silence. Now Jester after Jester with his Mirth played out and went his way." Jerry you truly will be missed but more importantly you will be remembered for the true character and strong values that you have lived your life by. You always walked with a smile and as a Mason lived a good full life and touched those who crossed your path with kindness and genuine friendship. Your life will be remembered in the hearts of your fellow brothers and we will cherish this memory and say with pride "Job Well Done Jerry. You made us very proud!" Respectfully, Mark Ferrell

February 26 at 12:18 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Jerry by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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