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John Erwin Bennett, age 58, of St. Augustine, passed away unexpectedly on May 20, 2018 at his home. Born and raised in St. Augustine, Florida, John was a graduate of St. Joseph Academy with the class of 1979. He joined the U.S. Navy right out of high school and served for 8 years stationed in San Diego, and Hawaii. After his discharge from the Navy, John served in the U.S. Merchant Marines until becoming disabled in the late 1990's. He loved to spend time boating and fishing and he enjoyed cooking. He was very active in martial arts, and was a member of the American Tang Soo Do Association. John returned to St. Augustine in 2008 after his wife Patricia died in 2007. John was a loving son, brother and friend to many and he will be deeply missed. He is survived by his parents, Joe & Milly Bennett of St. Augustine, his twin brother, Joseph F. Bennett, Jr. (Robin) of St. Augustine; his sister, Dr. Patricia "Patty" Bennett (Mark Marino) of Washington D.C., his younger brother, and James Darrell Bennett (Amy) of Thornton, Co. Services with military honors will be held at 11:00 am on Saturday, May 26, 2018 at St. Johns Family Funeral Home with Pastor Gregg Fischer officiating. A visitation, beginning at 10:00 am will precede the service. Interment at Fort Rosecrans National Cemetery in San Diego, Ca. will take place at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations in his memory can be made to S.A.F.E. Pet Rescue, Inc., P.O. Box 840215, St. Augustine, Florida 32080. St. Johns Family Funeral

Home is in charge of arrangements.