



Martin Ray Schmidt

May 9, 1953 - July 7, 2019

Martin Ray Schmidt "Stretch" died peacefully at the Bailey Family Center on July 7th in Saint Augustine, Florida at the age of 66.

Stretch is survived by his mother Vora Nell Schmidt, wife Victoria Schmidt, son Daniel Schmidt, daughter Nicola Fox, sister Judy Wilson, brothers John Schmidt, Donald Schmidt, Larry Schmidt and Eugene Schmidt. He is preceded in death by his father John Schmidt and sister Patty Holder.

Stretch was born on May 9, 1953 in El Paso, Texas to John & Vora Nell. He joined the Army in 1973. He chased his girlfriend Vicky across the ocean to Germany and married her in 1974. Shortly after, the couple welcomed Daniel into their home followed by Nickie a few years later. His children remember him as a kind and funny father who loved spending time with his family and playing with his children.

Stretch was accomplished in the military as a ski and skydiving instructor. Following the military, he worked hard, with long hours at times just to support his family. He enjoyed sports, fishing and family vacations. He was an individual that others enjoyed being around and will certainly be missed.

A memorial service is scheduled for 2:30 on Saturday July 13, 2019 at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, located at 2924 FL-16, St. Augustine, FL 32092. All are welcome to attend and celebrate Stretch's life. Following the service, there will be a reception at another location. More details will be provided at the service. The family would like to thank everyone for their kind

and loving words and deeds.

St. Johns Family Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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