



Montgomery Counts "Montie" Skeen

January 17, 1962 - January 11, 2022

Montgomery Counts "Montie" Skeen, age 59, passed away unexpectedly on January 11, 2022 at Flagler Hospital. He was born to Silas and Betty Jo (Evans) Skeen in Abingdon, Virginia and moved to Knoxville, Tennessee at the age of 14. After graduating from Central High School, he proudly served as an Intelligence Specialist (Air Warfare) in the U.S. Navy from 1980 to 2000. He achieved the rank of First Class Petty Officer. After his retirement from the Navy, Montgomery started his own business as a private investigator in St. Augustine. He enjoyed music and played in a bluegrass band, "The Rebel Grass Band" for 20 years. He was loved by his family and friends and will be deeply missed.

He is survived by his wife, Teresa Mase-Skeen; son, Jesse Skeen; stepchildren, Stephanie Almond (Matthew) and Elizabeth Cooper; grandchildren, Tatum Almond and Tre Wood. He was preceded in death by his parents, and a brother, Tony Skeen.

Private service will be held at a later date.

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

Tribute Wall

TP

“ *The Law Offices of Ron Sholes, PA purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Montgomery Counts "Montie" Skeen.*



The Law Offices of Ron Sholes, PA - January 20, 2022 at 10:12 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Montgomery Counts "Montie" Skeen.*



January 20, 2022 at 07:58 AM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Montgomery Counts "Montie" Skeen.*



January 19, 2022 at 04:18 PM

WS

“ *William "Scott" Stone sent a virtual gift in memory of Montgomery Counts "Montie" Skeen*



William "Scott" Stone - January 19, 2022 at 12:03 AM

WS

*I have precious childhood memories of Montie 😭.
R.I.P. old friend 🙏❤️*

William "Scott" Stone - January 19, 2022 at 12:07 AM

JM

“ *Jacque McGiffin lit a candle in memory of
Montgomery Counts "Montie" Skeen*



Jacque McGiffin - January 18, 2022 at 10:01 PM

KS

“ *Kimberly Skeen sent a virtual gift in memory of
Montgomery Counts "Montie" Skeen*



Kimberly Skeen - January 17, 2022 at 08:04 PM

LC

“ I haven't known monty for to long but he always made a point to include me in conversation and his plans. Though it was only a few years I truly loved monty as my stepfather and I will miss him so much. My boyfriend only got to meet him once but he even made an impact in his life, he cried and that was only the second time I have ever seen him cry like that but it does show how much of an impression he left in people even with brief meetings! He was a man of honor and he took pride in everything he did. He was and im sure still is so proud of his son jesse. His struggle at the end but we all were expecting him to go back into remission the treatment was working we thought and he had so many plans for the future he looked so strong over Christmas and new year's no one would have imagined this so soon it deeply saddens everyone who love him!



lizzy (Elizabeth) Cooper - January 15, 2022 at 07:13 PM

KS

“ Kimberly Skeen lit a candle in memory of Montgomery Counts "Montie" Skeen



Kimberly Skeen - January 15, 2022 at 06:06 PM

KS

“ He was a Navy Seal and served proudly in Desert Storm. He served his country like a true veteran. He was a good father and always proud of his son. He made sure he was in the delivery room when Jesse was born. God bless him and let him rest in peace. He will be missed by many who loved him.

Kimberly Skeen - January 15, 2022 at 06:04 PM

JP

Loved him like a brother

Joe Payne - January 18, 2022 at 12:19 PM

JS

He was a good man with a great spirit. He taught me a lot about music and I always enjoyed his company. A big loss. Fair winds, friend.

Jon Sagaser - January 18, 2022 at 11:28 PM

PM

He always had a smile on his face even when we were a bit out of tune. We'll miss him. ... and Following seas, our brother!

Philip Mlynarski - January 19, 2022 at 12:47 AM