



John Forsee O'Hearn

June 15, 1952 - June 10, 2020

John Forsee O'Hearn, age 67, of Frisco, Texas left this troubled world to be with God on June 10, 2020. He lived a happy life and passed away peacefully in his home.

John was born on June 15, 1952 in Louisville, Kentucky to his parents Edward and Mildred O'Hearn. John grew up in the Cherokee Park area of Louisville and attended Trinity High School and Bellarmine University. John's career started as a bellman at the Galt House Hotel and upon graduating college, he immediately moved to Miami, Florida to start his career in Hotel Sales & Hospitality. The business took him all over the country, but eventually brought him back to Dallas again where his daughter Casey was born. He was successful, reputable, and sometimes considered famous in the Hotel & Hospitality industry. For several years, he was a member of the Rotary Club of Frisco. John was well-known as a people person but his most important role was being a great father. He was notorious for loving and promoting his Irish roots and heritage and being a servant of Christ as a member of the Catholic Faith.

John was preceded in death by his parents Edward and Mildred O'Hearn and his sister Eleanor Dale. He is survived by his daughter and son-in-law Casey and Phillip Nowell; brothers: Edward O'Hearn Jr., Thomas O'Hearn; sisters: Challon Roberts, Katherine Farrell, Constance O'Hearn and numerous additional family and friends.

A memorial service will be held at 10:00 a.m. Sunday, June 28, 2020 in the Memorial Chapel at Restland Funeral Home in Dallas, Texas.

A Celebration of Life will be held at Casey and Phillip Nowell's residence following the service that is open to friends & family of John.

Events

JUN Memorial Service

10:00AM

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The Memorial Chapel at Restland Funeral Home

13005 Greenville Avenue at Restland Road, Dallas, TX, US, 75243

Comments



“ A webcast video has been added.



Restland Funeral Home and Cemetery - June 29, 2020 at 10:21 AM



“ I had a dream last night about John, and it would not go away. So today I looked to find that he had passed last year. I cried....hard. I was John's first assistant when he came to the Hyatt Regency in Dallas. He was 29 years old, and I was 25. To say the least, he was a handful and a force to be reckoned with. He called me "Sunshine". I have a picture he gave me of him running his first "Turkey Trot" race in Dallas. I will share it when I find it. I kept in touch with him over the years, and would call him periodically to see what was happening with him. It was always a good chat, and he still called me "Sunshine". I remember him well and sad he is gone. In my dream I was going to work for him again, oddly enough. I was going to call him. God loves him too, and that is a comfort to us all.

Eddie Hundley-Laity

March 3, 2021

Eddie Laity - March 03 at 06:00 PM



“ I will miss my friend John and all the great laughs we shared through the years. From our days in Hyatt together, to reconnecting in Frisco, John was one of "the good guys!" Miss you my friend!

Joe Thompson

Joe Thompson - November 10, 2020 at 03:02 PM



“ I met John in 2016 when I was working on a convention for the Embassy in Denton Tx.

We met in a trailer on sight and as we discussed what I wanted His daughter always came up.

Casey does this or Casey is that.

We grabbed hard hats and toured the construction and man was he all this about the new Embassy Suits. When we had lunch so many times he would rage me about my burger or fried chicken choices He was a gift for gab and I was impressed from day one.

We had many more encounters over the next years and Casey was the lead on all conversations

He called me swamp fox and I called him SIR

Sorry for your lose and he was the a dear friend to many

Rest my friend I hope someday to see you in heaven

Marvin Ruyle (swamp fox out)

marvin ruyle - July 02, 2020 at 10:43 AM



“ Casey and family,

There are no words to take away sadness when you lose someone so dearly loved as a father - a father such as John, also a wonderful son, brother and Uncle John. The tributes, music and photos at the service were beautiful. Please know that you're wished strength and comfort in the days ahead.

So glad that Scott Walker sent his tribute - I had heard the Hyatt Regency Dallas interview story from John, as we often reminisced about our early years in the hotel business. Anytime I saw John's name on caller ID (regardless of how busy) I simply had to pick up - knowing I would hear John's unique voice and share a good laugh or two.

Rest in Peace, John...

Myra Berry - June 29, 2020 at 05:23 PM



“ Casey, you were the light of your dad’s heart. Not a time went by when I saw John did he not bring up how proud he was of you. Your dad & I met @ Frisco Athletic Center as we both worked out there every morning for several years. He always took the first treadmill & I was normally on the second treadmill. He always talked about his “Casey” & how much you meant to him. He loved his KY sports too. I have not seen John for several years as I started working out at my home gym. I am so sorry to hear of his passing. May God wrap his arms around you & your dad’s family. I see John almost made it to his 68 birthday. He left you way too early but he will see you in heaven someday. He is now working out in heaven behind the pearly gates. We are all only traveling thru earth on our way to our real home of heaven.
God Bless. Jim Lee, Frisco

Jim Lee - June 28, 2020 at 10:51 AM



“ John was always great to talk to and hang with. Always a good time and it was difficult for us all to be heard as we were a bunch of expressive's all talking at once. That's just what us sales types do. RIP my friend I'm gonna miss you.

Tom Caradonio - June 26, 2020 at 05:24 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of John Forsee O'Hearn.



June 26, 2020 at 03:45 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of John Forsee O'Hearn.



June 25, 2020 at 05:57 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Forsee O'Hearn.



June 25, 2020 at 04:21 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of John Forsee O'Hearn.



June 24, 2020 at 07:29 PM



“ Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Forsee O'Hearn.



June 24, 2020 at 03:35 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John Forsee O'Hearn.



June 24, 2020 at 02:27 PM



“ Much love and support to you Casey and all his friends and family. The Farrell's are praying for you! Uncle John will always be our Irish Michael Douglas

Jess Farrell - June 21, 2020 at 04:11 PM



“ Bless John and his family. He always told me his life's greatest day was seeing his daughter get married. Dream came true. God Bless the O'Hearn family in this difficult time.

walter Barnard - June 15, 2020 at 08:42 PM



“ So sad this online stuff will not let me post alone, so I apologize to you for doing so through your post. We grew up together, he was fun and so smart! Loved them all! Johnny, Tommy, Connie, and ? With the Chihuahuas next to her. I'm bad with names but so loved and love that family. Heartfelt condolences all around to you all! Be pleased to know Mildred's pink rose bush still climbs by her back door, and I'd like a welcome home sign to me.

Kate Whaley Archer - June 17, 2020 at 01:05 AM



“ RIP Johnny Irish.

Karen Cromwell - June 11, 2020 at 11:19 PM