



Philip L Edge

September 8, 1947 - November 15, 2022

Philip Leland (Phil) Edge, 75, of Travelers Rest, passed away on Tuesday, November 15, 2022, at Palmetto Patriots Home in Gaffney, SC.

Born in Spartanburg, SC, he was a son of the late Leland Thomas and Helen Virginia Dixon Edge. Mr. Edge was a Vietnam era U.S. Navy Veteran. It was one of his greatest honors to serve his country. He was a beloved Principal in the Greenville County School System for 36 years and he was a member of Marietta First Baptist Church.

Surviving is his loving wife, Sharon E. Edge; a daughter, Sara Gilstrap (Matthew); two sons, Casey Philip Edge and Cory Dixon Edge (Kate) and four grandchildren, Lilla Maxwell, Natalie Gilstrap, Brody Edge and Roman Edge.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by a son, Travis Edge.

A Memorial service will be held at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at Marietta First Baptist Church with Military Honors.

The family will receive friends from 2 until 2:45 PM at the church prior to the service.

The family will be at the home.

Memorials may be made to Palmetto Patriots Home, 120 Hampshire Drive, Gaffney, SC 29341 or Marietta First Baptist Church Building Fund, P.O. Box 337, Marietta, SC 29661

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **20**. 2:00 PM - 2:45 PM (ET)

Marietta First Baptist Church
Highway 276 Geer Highway/P.O. Box 337
Marietta, SC

Memorial Service

NOV **20**. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JH

“ Phil was always good-natured and quick with a smile anytime we interacted. My oldest and Phil’s son Travis were best buddies for a few years in middle and high school. Phil would take them on Saturday mornings to play paintball. My son would always come home excited about the day’s game. No matter how bruised up he got, he always looked forward to the next game. I always appreciated those Saturdays Phil made possible. Those are memories my son will forever cherish; spending time on a paintball field, battling against the odds with his best buddy. Thank you, Phil.

Jane H. - November 20, 2022 at 10:04 AM

JC

“ Janet Chandler lit a candle in memory of Philip Edge



Janet Chandler - November 19, 2022 at 07:26 PM

SH

“ My deep heartfelt sympathy to Sharon and family. Phil was a wonderful man that I met through my late wife’s school, Greenbrier Elementary. Mr. Edge was a very caring Principal and educator. I personally observed his professionalism towards the students, teachers, and staff. I admired his respect towards others. Occasionally we would see he and Sharon around town. After his retirement, he personally sent his condolences after Pam passed away. Then years later I saw him faithfully working the Hallelujah event at Marietta First Baptist Church. He spirit shined through as he genuinely was glad to see me. What an example of a faithful servant of the Lord. May his light shine on the family by providing lifelong memories . May the peace of the Lord comfort each of you.

Steve Hand - November 17, 2022 at 09:54 PM

BK

“ Bj King lit a candle in memory of Philip Edge



Bj King - November 17, 2022 at 12:09 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Philip L Edge.*



November 17, 2022 at 11:50 AM

MG

“ *10 files added to the tribute wall*



Matthew Gilstrap - November 16, 2022 at 08:57 PM

JM

So many great memories of a wonderful friend

James Moore - November 18, 2022 at 09:19 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Philip L Edge.*



November 16, 2022 at 03:55 PM

AS

“ *Sharon I am so sorry about Phil. I have sweet memories of you two eating with me at the Dixie. I loved you both and you two were a blessing to me. Continued prayers for you and your family. 🙏❤️*

Ann Sloan - November 16, 2022 at 12:44 PM

FP

“ Sharon; I am so sorry to hear the news of Phil's passing. Will keep your family in my prayers❤️

Faye Pruitt - November 16, 2022 at 11:57 AM