



Thomas McGrath

November 7, 2003

Thomas Robert McGrath, a native of Hoquiam, Washington, died November 7th, 2003 at his home in Chestertown, MD. He was 66.

Born February 20, 1937 to Thomas and Louise Welsh McGrath at Grays Harbor Community Hospital. He graduated from Hoquiam High School in 1955 and following his graduation from high school, he enlisted in the U.S. Air Force. While in the military, he specialized in computer programming. Mr. McGrath was remembered saying once that one “small” computer he worked on took up an entire room.

After receiving an honorable discharge from the US Air Force he began an outstanding professional career. He worked for IBM of Tacoma, WA, Weyerhaeuser, Inc. in Washington State, BP John’s Furniture of Lake Oswego, OR, Mail Well Envelope of Lake Oswego, OR, Georgia Pacific of Tennessee, Wisco Envelope of Illinois and ended his career in 1997 with Wisco Envelope of Chestertown, MD.

Mr. McGrath was a well-educated man. He knew much about history, particularly of the Civil War era. He continued to reside on the East Coast after retirement citing the rich history there. His goal after retirement was to visit all of the Civil War Battlefields. He was an avid reader, and enjoyed duck hunting. He was a member of Ducks Unlimited. He also enjoyed traveling.

Mr. McGrath is survived by two brothers, Ron McGrath of Hoquiam, WA and Dave Timmons of Aberdeen, WA; a sister, Carol Winter of Aberdeen, WA and a step father, Charles Timmons of Pacific Beach, WA. He was never married and had no children, but was close with his family that included many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins, particularly his Aunt Marietta Massoth of Hoquiam, WA.

His Family will be gathering for a private celebration of his life. In Lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Ducks Unlimited, C/O Kent County Chapter, P.O. Box 201, Chestertown, MD 21620.

Arrangements are by Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, P. A., Chestertown, MD.

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