



## John Kingsley

August 26, 1954 - September 3, 2012

John Kingsley passed away September 3, 2012 at West Kendall Baptist Hospital in Miami. He was born August 26, 1954 in New Orleans, Louisiana to Eleanor (Haywod) Kingsley and the late James F. Kingsley, Sr.

John's school years were spent in Bloomfield, Indiana and he graduated high school in 1973. He entered the US Air Force in 1974 and served eight years. He worked at the Newport News Naval Shipyard and for the last twenty years he worked for the Ordnance Department at the Naval Air Station, Key West, Florida.

He is survived by his wife Gaylene, son John "Jay" (Amber) and three grandchildren, Devin, Isabella and Kaylee, mother Eleanor Kingsley, sisters, Judith (Walter) McDaniel, Jacqueline Kingsley, Jewel (James Robert) Carmichael, brothers James (Connie and Daniel Kingsley, aunt Joan Hadorn and uncle Doyle (Linda) Haywood.

Memorial services will be held Sunday October 21, 2012 at 2:00 P.M. at the First Baptist Church in Bloomfield.

Visitation will be from 1 P.M. until the hour of service at the Church. Burial will follow at Mt. Nebo Cemetery in Newberry.

Online condolences to the family can be made at [www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry to hear of the passing of your son. My thoughts and prayers are with you and family.

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**floella Walters** - October 18, 2012 at 06:14 PM

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“ Dear Gaylene, I can't begin to tell you how shocked I was to see John's name in the obituaries tonight. I am a retiree from NSWC Crane and, although I never met John in person, we shared too many conversations on the phone to count. The first time I called to check some Keywest inventories, I learned that John was from Bloomfield. From then on, it was as if we'd known each other for a long time. After a hurricane would touch FL, I would call to make sure he and his family were okay. We helped each other dozens of times with logistical problems and questions. I am so very sorry to hear of John's passing. Please pass my condolences to the entire family. I will not be able to come to the memorial service on Sunday but you will be in my prayers.

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**Charlotte Alexander** - October 17, 2012 at 09:35 PM