



Johnny D. Summers

July 15, 1972 - May 25, 2022

****Memorial service update - A memorial service will be held at 2 P.M. on Sunday, June 5, 2022 at Monoville Missionary Baptist Church, Pleasant Shade, Tennessee with Elder Kenneth Summers officiating.***

Johnny D. Summers, RET US ARMY 1SG, 49 of rural Warren, passed away on Wednesday, May 25, 2022.

He was born in Lafayette, TN., to Glenn “Bo” Summers and Janice (Summers) Pippin. Johnny graduated from Macon County High School with the class of 1991. He proudly served our country from 1991 to 2015. He had five deployments, including two to Iraq. While in duty, Johnny received multiple awards, including a Bronze Star. Johnny enjoyed hunting, fishing and being outdoors. Above all, Johnny loved spending time with his family.

On Nov. 5, 2003, in Marathon, FL. Johnny and Christy A. (Oswalt) Summers were married.

Survivors include his wife, Christy of Warren and children; Jimmy L. (Makayla) Summers of Lafayette, TN., Hunter Schreiber of Fort Wayne and Braden (Madison Bolinger) Schreiber of Warren and three grandchildren; Sophia Dobson, Emica Summers and Danika Summers.

Johnny is also survived by siblings; Jeffrey R. (Rhonda) Summers of Elkton, KY, Scott (Michelle) Andrews of St. Petersburg, FL and Jimmy A. (Lindsay) Summers of Lafayette, TN., a number of nieces and nephews and his mother,

Janice Pippin of TN.

He is preceded in death by his father & stepmother Allie Marie (Dallas) Summers and a brother, Danny L. Summers.

A Military Funeral Service will be held at 3 P.M. on Wednesday (June 1, 2022) at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Military honors will be performed by the Military Department of Indiana Ceremonial Unit at the Flag Plaza at Elm Grove Cemetery, following the funeral service.

Visitation will take place from 9 A.M. to 3 P.M. on Wednesday at the funeral home, prior to the service.

The family strongly prefers that memorials may be made in Johnny's memory to the Tunnel to Towers Foundation, instead of flowers and gifts.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Friends can send online condolences to the Summers family at www.thomarich.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 1. 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home
308 West Washington Street
Bluffton, IN 46714
<http://www.thomarich.com>

Military Funeral Service

JUN 1. 3:00 PM (ET)

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308 West Washington Street
Bluffton, IN 46714
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Military Honors Service

JUN 1 (ET)

Flag Plaza at Elm Grove Cemetery
3500 East State Road 124
Bluffton, IN 46714

Memorial Service

JUN 5. 2:00 PM (CT)

Monoville Missionary Baptist Church
558 Pleasant Shade Hwy
Pleasant Shade, IN 37145

Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Johnny D. Summers*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - June 01, 2022 at 10:23 AM



“ *Johnny D. Summers*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *My connection to 1SG Summers is everlasting as he was my 1SG while I served as the Commander of A Co / 113th BSB. I'm devastated to hear of this news and I'm sorry I didn't find out until today and missed his services. If anyone in the family could reach out to me my number is 317-771-4048. I'm sorry for your loss and please let me know if there's anything I can do. God Bless.*

Andrew Orman - June 02, 2022 at 09:35 AM



“ *Thank You for all the encouragement and the laughs , you will be missed
Sgt. Crider, Martina*

crider - June 02, 2022 at 09:29 AM

MH

“ 2 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Mike Hagan - May 31, 2022 at 08:36 PM

JC

“ 1 file added to the *tribute wall*



Jo Corell - May 31, 2022 at 04:57 PM

NT

“ *Thanks for all the wonderful memories.. I will miss you so much. I pray that the dark becomes light and your tears become laughter. Until we meet again TOP*



Nicole Tank - May 31, 2022 at 09:57 AM



“ 126 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



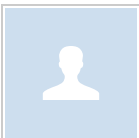
Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - May 30, 2022 at 03:15 PM



“ *Beautiful Whisper* was purchased for the family of *Johnny D. Summers*.



May 28, 2022 at 01:51 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet* was purchased for the family of *Johnny D. Summers*.



May 28, 2022 at 04:53 AM



“ *Elaine Hawkins's lit a candle in memory of Johnny D. Summers*



Elaine Hawkins's - May 27, 2022 at 11:21 PM



“ *My Soul Lives On Blanket was purchased for the family of Johnny D. Summers.*



May 27, 2022 at 08:47 PM