



Charles E. Hersom Jr.

March 10, 1933 - October 29, 2021

PITTSBURG – Charles E. Hersom, Jr. 88, of Pittsburg, died on Friday evening, Oct. 29, 2021, at the Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital in Colebrook, after a period of declining health, with his family by his side.

He was born in Exeter, N.H., on March 10, 1933, the son to the late Charles E. and Lydia (Byron) Hersom, Sr. He attended the local schools while living in Exeter and Kittery, Me., and later enlisted in the U.S. Air Force.

Chuck made a career of the USAF where he was trained as an air rescue medic. He was stationed at many different places throughout his career and flew all over the world. He was a combat medic and veteran of both the Korean and Vietnam conflicts.

After his military career, he trained as an occupational safety inspector and worked for several more years in a variety of places, including at the Portsmouth Naval Shipyard and for a period of two years in Perth, Australia.

It was a childhood love of the north country and his passion for hunting and fishing that prompted his retirement relocation to Pittsburg, where he and his family have enjoyed more than 40 years. Chuck truly loved to be in the outdoors and could often be found on his boat either on the 3rd Connecticut Lake or on Lake Umbagog in Errol.

Chuck was also a member of the Free & Accepted Masons for many years.

He leaves behind his beloved wife of 68 years, Maxine (Burton) Hersom of Pittsburg; two sons, Steven Hersom and wife Kristen of Campton, N.H., and Chris Hersom and his partner Jane Millett of Gilford, N.H.; a sister, Betty Jean Vielleux of Rochester, N.H.; five grandchildren, Eric Hersom, Takarra Rezendes, Lovetta Hersom, Will Foustoukos, and Catherine Bernard; and a great-granddaughter, Amara Bernard.

There will be no public calling hours. A graveside interment service with military honors will be held on Friday, Nov. 5, 2021, at 11 a.m. at the Lake Cemetery on Rt. 3 in Pittsburg.

Condolences may be offered on-line by going to www.jenkinsnewman.com.

Arrangements are entrusted to the care of Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home, Colebrook, NH.

Cemetery Details

Lake Cemetery

US Route 3
Pittsburg, NH

Previous Events

Graveside Service

NOV 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Pittsburg, NH

Tribute Wall

AG

“ *Very sorry to hear of your loss. I know Mel always liked waiting on you and Chuck at Dube's. Prayers for comfort at this sad time. Ann and Lindsey Gray*

Ann Gray - November 12, 2021 at 08:50 AM

LB

“ *Mrs.Hersom,
So sorry to hear about your husband! Prayers and thoughts go out to you and your family during this difficult time.
Lisa & Michael Bouchard*

Lisa Bouchard - November 04, 2021 at 04:06 PM

FJ

“ *From Cris & Jane purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Charles E. Hersom Jr..*



From Cris & Jane - November 02, 2021 at 11:13 PM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Charles E. Hersom Jr..*



November 01, 2021 at 07:58 PM

TB

“ *Many memories of hunting and fishing with you since I was a young boy. I will think of you when I enjoy our favorite pastimes. You were a great Dad and husband and a favorite uncle. I will miss your sense of humor. Love Tom B.*

Thomas Burton - October 31, 2021 at 04:27 PM

RD

“ *Rick And Steph Dube lit a candle in memory of Charles E. Hersom Jr.*



rick and steph Dube - October 31, 2021 at 06:55 AM

JG

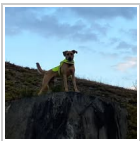
“ *I'm very sorry to hear this. Thoughts to Maxine! I'll always remember you 2 at Nana's restaurant. RIP*

Jamie Gray - October 30, 2021 at 07:14 PM

HH

“ *Our deepest condolences go out to the family on your loss.*

Haven & Peggy Haynes - October 30, 2021 at 06:38 PM



“ *Audie Porter lit a candle in memory of Charles E. Hersom Jr.*



Audie Porter - October 30, 2021 at 06:37 PM