Arthur Marshall Johnson



Arthur Marshall Johnson, 54, of Brunswick, Maine and formerly of Zephyrhills, Fla., died peacefully after a period of declining health on Thursday, Dec. 1, 2011 at Mid Coast Hospital.

Arthur was born Sept. 10, 1957 in Springfield, Mass., a son of the late Richard A. Johnson and Jane E. (Miller) Johnson of Brunswick, Maine.

He grew up in Hampden and North Andover, Mass., and after finishing school, he traveled the continental U.S. for several years before settling in Florida, where he met Patricia Napora, the mother of his three children.

While in Florida, Arthur began a career as a finish carpenter, working for Manuel Construction. He later brought his talents to New Hampshire and began his own business.

He was an avid hunter and member of the North American Hunting Club and the Wildlife Federation. Due to his extensive travels, Arthur became quite the storyteller. He always will be remembered for his infectious smile, the twinkle in his eye and the love of his children and family.

Besides his mother, he is survived by his son, Patrick A. Johnson of Burke, Va.; his two daughters, Jeannette D. Johnson of Evart and Elizabeth W. Napora of Big Rapids; and his three grandchildren, Haylee, Jake and William. He also leaves his three sisters, Lynn D. Johnson of Brunswick, Maine, Susan L. Johansson and her husband, Peter, of Salem, N.H. and Nancy E. Johnson and her husband, Geoff, of Topsham, Maine; as well as several nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by his brother, Jarl R. Johnson, who died Sept. 1, 2001.

A memorial service will be conducted at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in memory to: Palliative Care Services, c/o Mid Coast Hospital, 123 Medical Center Drive, Brunswick, ME 04011.

For further information and to sign Arthur's guest book please visit <u>www.advantageportland.com</u>

Arrangements are under the direction of Advantage Funeral & Cremation Services, 981 Forest Ave. Portland, Maine.