



Howard Lynn Swain

March 25, 1943 - September 23, 2015

Howard Lynn Swain, 72, of Kansas City, Missouri Passed away September 23, 2015 at his home surrounded by his loving family. A Memorial Service will be held from 4-6:00 PM, Saturday, September 26, 2015 at Park Hill Baptist Church; 7609 MO-9 HWY; KCMO 64152. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Association at alsa.org. Howard was born March 25, 1943 in Council Bluffs, Iowa to Howard E and Zora Swain. After High School he enlisted in the United States Air Force and played trombone and baritone in the 579th United States Air Force Band stationed at then Stewart Airforce Base in Newburgh, NY from 1960 until 1965. During his tenure Howard had the honor of playing for President John F. Kennedy. He also continued to share his love of music by playing for many years with many local bands and orchestras including the Parkville Symphonic Band which he was in for several years. Howard was retired from Ford Motor Company and after his time there embraced yet another passion embarking on a solo 1,200 mile, month and a half long bicycle ride from Kansas City to New York state. This was both preceded and followed by multiple charity rides through the years. He is predeceased by his parents Howard E. and Zora Swain and his wife Diana Swain. He is survived by his five daughters and sons-in-law: Lisa and Bobby Dunn, Gina and Steven Mcferrin, Dana and Fred Meachum, Cara and Paul Williamson, Rita and Justin Roberts; eight grandchildren; his two sisters, Donna Thacker and Pam Walston; a special cousin, Sandy Hinman, other family and close friends. Fond memories of

Howard and words of comfort may be shared at: www.CashattFamilyFunerals.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **26.** 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Park Hill Baptist Church
7609 MO-9 HWY
Kansas City, MO 64152

Tribute Wall



“ *Howard Lynn Swain*

October 04, 2023 at 10:39 PM



“ *I am grateful for the life of Mr. Swain. Thanks to his service and to the service of others in our armed forces, my family and I have been able to lead our lives in freedom and peace.*

Bob in Overland Park, Kansas - September 25, 2015 at 03:14 PM



“ *Blooming Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Howard Lynn Swain.*



September 25, 2015 at 12:06 PM