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## Joseph Fryar Obituary

JOSEPH K. FRYAR, 83 of Kapolei, Hawaii, passed away on May 24, 2019 in Kapolei. He was born in Cleveland, Ohio and retired from the United States Navy and Pearl Harbor Naval Shipyard.

Preceded in death by wife Marilyn. He is survived by Brother James; Sister Annette (Thomas) Stankus; Step Daughters Peggy Massengill, Marilyn Herbert; Stepson Harold Jim; Step Grandchildren Pamela (Gilbert) Bennett, Amy Yamamoto, Malia Spirz, Michael Herbert, Harry (Sila) Jim, Jennifer Jim, Numerous Great Grandchildren; Great Great Grandchildren, Nieces and Nephews.

Visitation will be 9:00 am Friday July 12, 2019 at Mililani Memorial Park's Downtown Chapel. Funeral Service at 10:00 am. Burial 1:00 pm Hawaii State Veterans Cemetery.

Casual Attire.

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## Tribute Wall

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**James Hoyt Caylor** posted:

My husband was stationed with Joseph over their USN career. We talked occasionally on the phone. I got to thinking about him recently - that we had not spoken for awhile and decided we needed to chat. Imagine my surprise when I "found out he had passed last May." I recognize his sailor photo :-)

February 3 at 3:10 AM



**Jennifer** posted:

“The Voyager  
We are all lonely voyagers sailing on life's ebb tide,  
To a far off place were all warriors have died,  
Sometime at eve when the tide is low,  
The voices call us back to the rippling water's flow,  
Even though our boat sailed with love in our hearts,  
Neither our dreams or plans would keep heaven far apart,  
We drift through the hush of God's twilight pale,  
With no response to our friendly hail,  
We raise our sails and search for majestic light,  
While finding company on this journey to the brighten our night,  
Then suddenly he pulls us through the reef's cutting sea,  
Back to the place that he asked us to be,  
Friendly barges that were anchored so sweetly near,  
In silent sorrow they drop their salted tears,  
Shall our soul be a feast of kelp and brine,  
The wasted tales of wishful time,  
Are we a fish on a line lured with bait,  
Is life the grind, a heartless fate,  
Suddenly, "HUSH", said the wind from afar,  
Have you not looked to the heavens and seen the new star,  
It danced on the abyss of the evening sky,  
The sparkle of heaven shining on high,  
Its whisper echoed on the ocean's spray,  
From the bow to the mast they heard him say,  
"Hope is above, not found in the deep,  
I am alive in your memories and dreams when you sleep,  
I will greet you at sunset and with the moon's evening smile,  
I will light your path home.. every last lonely mile,  
My friends, have no fear, my work was done well,  
In this life I broke the waves and rode the swell,  
I found faith in those that I called my crew,  
My love will be the compass that will see you through,  
So don't look for me on the ocean's floor to find,  
I've never left the weathered docks of your loving mind,  
For I am in the moon, the wind and the whale's evening song,  
I am the sailor of eternity whose voyage is not gone.”  
Love and Aloha  
Jenny & Stacy

July 11 at 11:22 AM



**Jennifer** posted:

“Papa Joe from one sailor to another ..Thank you for the inspiration you provided!..A true sailor is one who finds love not in every port, but in his home port, and that you found, with your Ohana and beloved Mariiyn . Her eyes where the stars that guided you. Her heart was the ocean of love , she was your mermaid enrapturing the sailor with all her charms! Reunited now rest in love .. Love  
Jennifer

July 11 at 11:06 AM



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**Amy Yamamoto** posted:

Papa Joe you will always be remembered by your Ohana! Reunited with his beloved wife Marilyn! Â Â  
Thank you for taking care of your Ohana! God Bless You! Love from your granddaughter Amy Â

June 7 at 12:52 AM



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