



Potts, Bing

November 4, 2007

Dr. Bing Potts, 61, son of the late Ralph and Esta Potts of New Martinsville, WV passed away on November 4, 2007 at the Kalispell Regional Medical Center, Kalispell, MT after a long illness.

He was preceded in death by his sister, Eleanor Witschey, of New Martinsville, WV.

Survivors include his wife Patty, son Michael of Milford, NH, daughter Jennifer of Lexington, KY, sisters Vern Hunt of New Martinsville, June Mortimer of Salyersville, KY, Nancy Goetz of Lexington, KY, JoAnn Kay of New Martinsville, sister-in-law Tammy Mallamo of Dover, DE and several nieces and nephews.

Bing was a 1964 graduate of Magnolia High School in New Martinsville, received his BS from the University of Kentucky in 1968, his Masters Degree from the University of Kentucky in 1970, and his PhD in Electrical Engineering from the New Mexico State University in 1973. Bing was an employee of The Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Lincoln Laboratory for his entire career of 33 years during which he was a resident of Acton, MA. His profession took him and his family on three tours totaling 13 years to Kwajalein in the Marshall Islands.

He served in the United States Air Force and the United States Air Force Reserves. Bing was an avid fly fisherman, outdoorsman, and woodworker.

Bing was a world traveler in the pursuit of the largest fish and the most beautiful places where fish live.

Family will receive friends on Sunday, November 11, 2007 from noon until time of service at 2:00pm at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 751 Third Street, New Martinsville with Pastor Bob Brooks officiating. A reception will follow the service at the New Martinsville United Methodist Church, 10 Howard Jeffers Drive, New Martinsville.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Histiocytosis Association of America, 333 North Broadway, Pitman, NJ 08071.