

## Melvin Douglas King Jr.

September 10, 2020



Melvin Douglas King Jr. 49, Of Crescent City, passed away unexpectedly of a heart attack in his home on Tuesday, September 1, 2020.

Melvin was the 1st born son of Melvin D. Sr. & Evelyn King after waiting 6 long years. It was truly a gift from Heaven. Nana Cheney, Evelyn's mother always wanted a little red-haired grandbaby & it was little Mel. Mel was later joined with 2 little brother's, Matthew & Mark. Therefore, giving the proud parents, & I quote, "My 3 Sons", unquote. Survived by his Mother, Evelyn (Cheney) (King) Flagg & Step-Father, Keith Flagg. Brother's Matthew King of Crescent City & Mark & Liz King of Oregon City, OR. Fiancé, Barbara J. Smith of CC. Numerous Uncles/Aunts/Nieces/Nephews/Cousins.

Mel attended Crescent City Elementary Schools & graduated from DNHS in 1990.

Melvin was a U.S. Army Veteran & had a great love for God, Family, & Country. He followed in his Father's footsteps & joined the US Army, as a Calvary Scout. Proudly serving as a PVT 2 from 1993-1996. Stationed 1st in Kentucky, then Cuba & 7 last at Fort Hood, TX. During his time in the Military, Melvin was decorated

with The National Defense Service Medal, Army Service Ribbon, Sharp Shooter, Marksmanship Award & The Unification Badge with Rifle Bar. While serving our country, Melvin was hurt & received an Honorable-Medical Discharge in 1996.

Returning home, Mel had several careers & attended CMA Nursing School in Portland, OR. Working at several companies in Managerial Positions in Blythe, California. Eventually, returning back to his hometown of Crescent City, where he had worked as a Customer Service Manager at Wal-Mart for over 8 years.

Mel had a great passion for America & loved his flags, guns, photography as well as fishing. I can't forget to mention his love of BIGFOOT & UFO'S, as we all know.

Most importantly & above all was his love & admiration for his Mother, Evelyn. Always with honor, respect and kindness he treated her like a mother deserves to be treated... like a queen. He believed & obeyed the 5th Commandment. "Children, Honor Thy Father & Mother"

Melvin loved his Family & had a "Heart of Gold", he learned it from his Mother. Always helping other's...For example, at Wal-Mart, if a customer couldn't finish paying for their groceries, Mel opened his wallet & his heart. Or seeing a homeless man down on the waterfront with no shoes, he went & got him a pair of shoes. Always showing a great Love & Compassion for everyone around him.

Viewing was held at Wier's Mortuary Chapel on Thursday, September 10, 2020 from Noon until 1:00 pm with services following at the Redwood Family Worship Center, 2900 English Lane, Crescent City, CA starting at 1:00 pm

Arrangements are under the direction of Wier's Mortuary Chapel.

Please sign the family's online guest book at [wiersmortuary.com](https://wiersmortuary.com).