



Mr. Francis Greenawalt

July 22, 1943 - September 26, 2023

With heavy hearts, we announce the passing of Francis Edward Greenawalt, a loving father, grandfather, and great-grandfather, on September 26, 2023, in Baytown, Texas. He was 80 years old and his daughter, Wendy (Greenawalt) Meldahl, stood by his side during his final moments. Francis was born on July 22, 1943, in the Marion, Ohio area to hardworking farmers, Donald and Ellen Greenawalt. He grew up in the embrace of the heartland, where he learned the values of dedication, resilience, and family that would guide him throughout his life. After completing his education, Francis embarked on a four-year journey of service in the United States Navy, where he displayed unwavering commitment to his country. Upon his return, he channeled his dedication into a successful career as an electrician/electrical engineer, showcasing his talents and making a lasting impact on his field.

Francis was preceded in death by his beloved parents, Donald and Ellen Greenawalt of Marion, Ohio, his first grandson, Brandon P. Greenawalt, and his cherished wife, Verla S (Irwin) Greenawalt, whom he missed dearly and has now joined in eternal rest.

He leaves behind a legacy of love and strength, survived by his three children: Wendy (Greenawalt) Meldahl of Baytown, Texas; Mark (Marci) Greenawalt of Phoenix, Arizona; and Francis Scott Greenawalt of Baytown, Texas. Francis also leaves behind a treasure trove of memories in the form of his 9

grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren that will carry forth his spirit and love.

In our hearts, we hold dear the image of Francis strumming his banjo while his beloved Verla sings along, their voices harmonizing in eternal bliss. As we bid him farewell, we take comfort in knowing that he is reunited with his soulmate, and they are once again creating beautiful music together. Dad, Poppy, Magic Man, you have touched our lives in countless ways, and your memory will forever shine brightly in our hearts. Your wisdom, love, and laughter will be deeply missed. We find solace in knowing that you have embarked on a new journey, reunited with loved ones who have gone before you, and that your spirit will continue to watch over us. Rest in peace, Francis Edward Greenawalt.

Your legacy lives on in the hearts of those you've left behind. We love you always.

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