



## James M. Newcombe Jr.

October 10, 1949 - August 19, 2012

Age 62, passed away on Sunday, August 19, 2012 at his home with his wife and children by his side. He was born on October 10, 1949, in Williamston, N.C., the son of James Milford and Bettie Mae (Little) Newcombe. On July 4, 1987 in Garden City, MI, he married Judith A. Parmentar and she survives. Jim was a member of the United States Army and served in the Vietnam War where he received two Purple Hearts. He attended Embry-Riddle University where he graduated with a Bachelors in Aeronautics. Jim worked for Guardian Industries where he was a corporate pilot for many years as well as a pilot for the Pistons, Red Wings, and the Tigers. He was also a member of the Masons, and in his free time he loved to travel, go bear hunting, and fish. Most of all he loved his family. In addition to his wife, survivors include his children Jeffery and Janelle. Other survivors include five sisters, two brothers, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and his sisters Wanda and Ann. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, August 23, 2012 at 11:00 A.M. at the First United Methodist Church of Saline, with Rev. Dr. James E. Tuttle, officiating. Military honors will be held under the auspices of the Washtenaw County Veterans Honor Guard. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the First United Methodist Church of Saline or to the Wounded Warrior Project P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, Kansas 66675. Envelopes will be available at the Robison-Bahnmler Funeral Home in Saline where friends may begin calling on Wednesday, August 22, 2012, between the hours of 5:00 P.M. and 8:00 P.M. and at the church on Thursday, August 23, 2012 from 10:00 A.M. until the time of service at 11:00 A.M. To leave a memory, for more information or for directions please visit <http://www.rbfhsaline.com>.

# Events

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**AUG 22**   **Visitation**   05:00PM - 08:00PM

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Robison-Bahnmler Funeral Home & Cremation Services  
301 East Michigan Ave., Saline, MI, US, 48176

**AUG 23**   **Visitation**   10:00AM - 11:00AM

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First United Methodist Church of Saline  
1200 North Ann Arbor Street, Saline, MI, US

**AUG 23**   **Service**   11:00AM - 12:00PM

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# Comments

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“ My condolences to the family on the loss of your loved one. Let the memories you have bring you comfort and peace during these difficult times.[John 5:28,29]

**M. Johnson** - August 23, 2012 at 08:32 PM

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**Noah M. South, Jr.** - August 22, 2012 at 02:15 PM

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“ Uncle Jim you are loved and will be missed. The anticipation and excitement of your visits to NC at 30 something was the same as when I was 10. The most exciting story I have to tell my kids is because of you. You took me up in my first helicopter ride, only to be followed by a trip in a private plane from MI to CO. Who knew you could be served steak and eggs as "plane food" or that a stock of m&m's was considered by some as mandatory. Most of all I love the pride I see in my kids when they tell someone that their Uncle Jim is a Vietnam Veteran. Aunt Judy, Jeffery, and Janelle you are all in my thoughts and prayers. We love you.

**Nikki Hardison** - August 21, 2012 at 10:11 AM