



## Mr. Ray G. Phelps

September 4, 1935 - August 5, 2018

Raymond" Ray" G. Phelps, Sr. of Cocoa, FL passed away Sunday August 5, 2018.

He was the son of Thomas and Indie Overstreet Phelps, born on September 4, 1935 in Dixie County, FL.

Ray grew up in Crystal River, FL and graduated from Crystal River High School. He developed a love of law enforcement early in his life. He started with Crystal River City Police Department. Ray continued his law enforcement career with the various law enforcement agencies, Florida Highway Patrol, Cocoa Police Department, Brevard County Sheriff's Office. He especially enjoyed his time with Brevard County Sheriff's Office when he became partners with King, his K9 officer as well as spending time with the Sheriff's Office Mounted Posse. After his career at Brevard County Sheriff's Office he went to work at Kennedy Space Center Law Enforcement SWAT team as head of security for several years, until finally deciding to fully retire in 1989, to spend more time with his family and friends.

His last law enforcement accolade was when he was sworn in as an honorary Deputy Sheriff with Bay County Sheriff's Office on his 75th birthday, by Sheriff Frank McKeithen.

Ray enjoyed being outdoors, fishing, spending time with family and helping anyone in need.

He is preceded in death by his loving wife of 46 years, Sandra. He is survived by his sister Virginia, 7 Children, 12 grandchildren and 17 Great Grandchildren.

Memorial Services will be conducted on August 17, 2018 @ 4:00p.m.. Honors presented by Brevard County Sheriff's Office Honor Guard.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

AUG 17. 4:00 PM (ET)

American Police Hall of Fame  
6350 Horizon Drive  
Titusville, FL 32780  
(321) 264-0911

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Ray G. Phelps*

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January 30, 2023 at 03:36 AM



“ *He was my father.*



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**Cynthia Phelps** - August 15, 2018 at 01:14 PM



“ *I worked with Ray at Kennedy Space Center Patrol. He took his job seriously and loved to have fun doing it. He Will be miss family and co-workers. Prayers and condolences go out to his family. RIP Ray my friend..You done good*

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**Tommy Forf** - August 12, 2018 at 11:20 PM