



Jack Howard Hibbard

May 25, 1946 - July 4, 2021

Don't grieve for me for now I'm free. I'm following the path God has laid you see. I took His hand when I heard His call. I turned my back and left it all. I could not stay another day to laugh, to love, to work, or play. Tasks left undone must stay that way. I found peace at the close of day. If my parting has left a void then fill it with remembered joys. A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss. O yes, these things too, I will miss. Be not burdened with times of sorrow. I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow. My life's been full I savored much, good friends, good times, a loved one's touch. Perhaps my time seemed all too brief. Don't lengthen it now with undue grief. Lift up your hearts and peace to thee... God wanted me now. He set me free.

When I come to the end of my journey and I travel my last weary mile, just forget if you can, that I ever frowned and remember only the smile. Forget unkind words I have spoken; remember some good I have done. Forget that I ever had heartache and remember I've had loads of fun. Forget that I have stumbled and blundered and sometimes fell by the way. Remember I have fought some hard battles and won, ere the close of the day, then forget to grieve for my going, I would not have you sad for a day, But in summer just gather some flowers and remember the place where I lay, and come in the evening when the sun paints the sky in the west, stand for a few moments beside me and remember only my best.

Tribute Wall

JH

“ I have so many wonderful memories of Jack-telling ghost stories in the living room of his home in Bonesteel-or when we would sneak up on the roof of McDonald's grocery store. Even our drive for 90 miles-so we could see the Mary Poppins film. What a fun childhood friend-and what an intelligent and well-educated adult. Blessings to his family.

Janis Hebert Hausmann - July 29, 2021 at 06:32 PM

TH

“ Our sincere condolences to you for your loss. A wonderful life well lived. It was always a pleasure to chat with Jack. We are making a donation to end Alzheimer's in memory of Jack. Rest In Peace Jack.

Tom and Kathy Hallett - July 14, 2021 at 10:15 PM

MB

“ Jack was my longtime professor and mentor and later my colleague and my friend. He was such a good man, and I will miss him always. My love and sympathy to Lee and his family.

Marlo Belschner - July 08, 2021 at 08:06 AM

KH

“ Much Love from the Hallett's. Cheers to a life well lived. May you Rest In Peace.

Kathy and Tom Hallett - July 07, 2021 at 09:10 PM

DW

“ Grew up next door to Jack in Verdi Minnesota in the 60s. Condolences to the family

Dave Wagner - July 07, 2021 at 05:09 PM