



## Curtis Bradford

August 18, 1951 - November 9, 2012

Curtis Michael "Mike" Bradford, age 61 of Centralia, IL, died Friday, November 09, 2012, at Highland Health Care Center in Highland, IL.

He was born August 18, 1951, in Granite City, IL, the son of Curtis Ray and Birdie M. (nee Phelps) Bradford.

Mike was born in Granite City and moved several times as a youngster. He graduated from Belleville High School. He had served in the US Navy during the Vietnam War. He had served as Chief of Police in Ashley, IL, and worked as a police officer in Mt. Vernon. He was a caregiver to his parents, and had worked at Rockwell Industries in Centralia. He had interests in Astrology, reading books and computers.

Survivors include :

Cousin - Janell D. Stephenson, Belleville, IL

Brother - Eddie Eck

Sister - Patsy Klein

Nieces and Nephews - Many

He was preceded in death by :

Father - Curtis Ray Bradford

Mother - Birdie M. Bradford (nee Phelps)