



## Bernard George Kuiken

February 12, 2013

Newton - Bernard "Butch" G. Kuiken, Jr., age 69, passed away on Tuesday, February 12, 2013 at Preakness Healthcare Center in Wayne. Born in Paterson on June 20, 1943 to the late Jessie Metzler and Bernard G. Kuiken, Sr., Butch had lived in Vernon before moving to Newton. He had served in the United States Army during the Vietnam War. Butch was predeceased by two brothers, Steven Kuiken in 1989 and Charles Kuiken in 2000. He is survived by his former wife, Laurie Kuiken of Pompton Lakes; his two daughters, Donna Kuiken Ezzo of Vernon and Dawn Heimall of Pompton Lakes; three brothers, William Kuiken of Warwick, NY, John Kuiken of Totowa, and Edward Kuiken of Bradenton, Florida; three sisters, Carol Macaluso of Sarasota, FL, Lorraine "Dee" Walsworth of Oklahoma, and Maryanne Guendjoian of Sarasota, Florida; and his six grandchildren, Savannah, Cheyenna, and Hunter Heimall and Jake, Zach, and Cassidy Ezzo. Friends may pay their respects to the family on Monday, February 18, 2013 from 3 to 4 p.m. at the Pinkel Funeral Home, 31 Bank Street (Route 23), Sussex, New Jersey. Military services will immediately follow at 4 p.m. at the funeral home. Online condolences may be offered to the family on [www.pinkelfuneralhome.com](http://www.pinkelfuneralhome.com)

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“ *donna, so sorry to hear about your dad, i know you loved him very much. may he rest in peace. sincerely, fran & lou*

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**fran & lou ezzo** - February 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM