



Thomas Scott Ashfield

October 30, 1955 - November 27, 2023

Wantage - In loving memory of Thomas Scott Ashfield, who departed from this world on Monday, November 27, 2023, surrounded by his cherished wife, Paula; his stepchildren, Lidia and Giovanni; and his brother-in-law, Vincenzo. He passed in the tranquility of his home, just as he had wished. Scott lived a life marked by warmth, kindness, and resilience.

Born to Jerome Peter Ashfield and Carole on October 30, 1955 in Weehawken, New Jersey and shared his childhood with his sibling, Jackie. The Ashfield's surname ends with Scott's passing and his heavenly reunion with his parents, other members of the family, close friends and animals he so much loved that preceded him.

"Scott" as he preferred to be called, retired from Sears in 2017 as an In Home Technician and was the V.P. and Treasurer of Under My Wing Avian Refuge in Wantage, an exotic bird sanctuary founded by his wife in 2007.

Being a man of integrity, Scott loved God, people, animals and nature. He was a dedicated husband, loving father and well known in his community service. Scott found solace and joy in the company of his loved ones. His home was a haven filled with love, laughter, and shared moments that will forever be etched in the hearts of his family and friends. Scott faced life's challenges with unwavering courage, but today, he bids farewell after a valiant battle with his

Cancer. His journey was one of grace and fortitude, touching the hearts of those who were fortunate enough to know him.

Scott's legacy extends beyond his earthly presence, leaving behind a tapestry of memories that speak of a life well-lived. His strength, in the face of adversity and his love for his family serve as an enduring inspiration. He is survived by his devoted wife, Paula; his step-children, Giovanni Terracciano of Hamburg, New Jersey and Lidia Udrija (James Jeffers) of Morristown, New Jersey; his grandchildren, Javan and his wife Shalie, Amethyst Moore, Vincent and Adriana Terracciano; and one great-grandchild, Massai Carter. He is survived also by his only sister, Jackie Heins and her family, a multitude of extended relatives, as well as many beloved friends.

In honoring Scott's memory, let us celebrate the indomitable spirit that defined his journey and be comforted by the knowledge that he found peace surrounded by the warmth of his family. May his soul rest in eternal peace, and may his legacy continue to inspire those who carry his memory in their hearts.

A private celebration of life for Thomas "Scott" Ashfield is being scheduled and arranged by family. In lieu of flowers, at Scott's last request he wishes for family and friends to celebrate his memory with gifts of support to assist his beloved wife, Paula with her ongoing battle with her Cancer treatment and expenses.

Condolences and gifts may be sent to the funeral home for Mrs. Paula N Ashfield.

If you prefer to send condolences and gifts online, please visit the ongoing fund raiser <https://gofund.me/515eaa37>

Private cremation services have been entrusted to the Pinkel Funeral Home, 31 Bank Street (Route 23), Sussex. Online condolences may be offered to the family at <http://www.pinkelfuneralhome.com>

Cemetery Details

Private Cremation Services

Tribute Wall

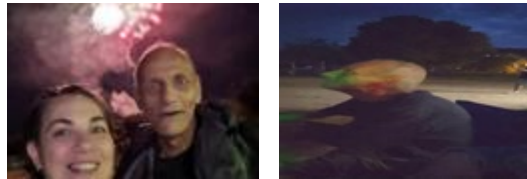
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“ Dear Paula, I am so sorry for your loss. I am so grateful that you found such a loving relationship with Scott that you and your family were able to enjoy for many years. Often, grief is the price we pay for having loved much. I will be praying comfort, peace. the presence of God and healing over you Paula, for it is hard to be the one left behind. Scott has found his eternal home. Take care of yourself.

Desiree Ukstins - November 30, 2023 at 05:04 PM

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“ RIP Scott. You are missed so much... I wished we saw more fireworks but I'll cherish this memory forever. Thank you for all your ever did for us from the advise to the help to the parenting and even grandparenting.....I'm glad you're free from pain and the burden we humans have. I'm glad to have you on the other side.



Lidia - November 28, 2023 at 08:47 PM



My deepest condolences to you and your family. My thoughts and prayers are with you. 🙏❤️🙏

Pam Carter - November 29, 2023 at 08:29 PM

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Paula, Michael & I are sending you heartfelt condolences! Although we have not yet met in person, I feel as if our recent friendship has spanned years. I know God connected us via our mutual love of birds, & cancer diagnoses. Thank you for sharing your love story & testimony with us, what a beautiful one, & this too we have in common. You have inspired me with your strong faith, strength, courage, & humor, even during your storm!! Praying we have an opportunity to meet in person one day soon. Scott & you were blessed here on earth, a temporary life. One day you will be joined together eternally in heaven, to continue your beautiful love story. As we say in the Jewish faith; "May his memory always be for a blessing!" - Marlene & Michael

Michael Ulman - December 02, 2023 at 05:11 PM