



# **Julian Emerson Turner** **"SKEETS"**

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**J**ulian Emerson Turner, "Skeets", age 87, of Lewes, DE passed away on Sunday, October 11, 2015 at his late residence. He was born on July 29, 1928 in Philadelphia, PA, son of the late Julian and Beulah (Hoehn) Turner.

Mr. Turner and his wife moved to Delaware in 1988 from Norristown, PA following his retirement from the Sears Roebuck Co. as a display manager with over 40 years of service. After relocating to Delaware, he began work at Beebe Medical Center where he retired in 2008 after 19 years of service as a security guard. He enjoyed painting in watercolors, especially scenes of the Caribbean and Lighthouses.

He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Evelyn Cresswell Turner; one son, John Turner and his wife Cindy of Telford, PA, one daughter, Leslie McGrath and her husband Edward of Boyertown, PA; five grandchildren, Tracey Turner of Hatfield, PA, Deborah Haring of Bally, PA, Anthony Bergandino of Clovis, NM, Kelly McGrath of Philadelphia, PA, and Edward McGrath III of Boyertown, PA; and three great grandchildren, Chelsea Turner of Hatfield, Ashley and Drew Haring of Bally, all of PA.

A Memorial Service will be held on Thursday, October 15, 2015, at 2:00 PM, at the Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium, Atkins-Lodge Chapel, 16961 Kings Highway, Lewes, DE, where friends may visit one hour prior to services at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, KS 66675.

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## Tribute Wall

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DR

**Donna Ramsell** posted:

It was great when you built the boat in the garage and couldn't get it out!Your niece DONNA

July 13 at 3:27 PM

BF

**Babette Fiebiger** posted:

Sorry this is late, but thanks to my brother Bobby for finding this and sending it to me. We have thought of you and Evelyn many times. Especially when getting ready for another cruise. As Bobby said, we are hooked since that first cruise with you guys and have been sailing ever since. Skeets, you will be missed by many. You are up there with Dad and I'm sure you are having a big time!Babette Dudley Fiebiger

May 24 at 9:50 AM

RD

**Robert Dudley** posted:

Sorry this is a little late but I just found this listing. Skeets, you will be missed for sure. You and Evelyn got our family hooked on cruising since that 7-day vacation to Nassau and Bermuda in 1978. Thanks for inviting us along. We have not stopped cruising since!Thank you,Bobby Dudley

May 24 at 7:13 AM

CM

**Carol Tadzynski Moore** shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

I have many fond memories of Skeets at Sears Abington and Willow Grove. My mom, Ann Tadzynski, worked in the Display Department with Skeets. I remember Skeets showing me the current painting technique he was mastering. In 1985 it was the palette knife. He is missed.



January 3 at 8:52 AM

FL

**Fred Lizzio** posted:

I have been meaning to write Skeets to thank him for being the best boss I ever had. I just Googled his name to get the address and was saddened to see his obituary. Like they say: Dont put off til tomorrow what you can do today. He will be remembered by many for his kind and gentle manner, for his thoughtful and generous ways. What a multi-talented guy. May he truly rest in peace. With sincere sympathy, Fred Lizzio. My first job was with Skeets in 1968, and I just retired from Sears.

October 14 at 8:00 PM



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DE

**Debbie** posted:

Pop Pop- I will miss you so much but I will always have all the amazing memories and moments that we shared. I am so glad that you were in my life. Miss you, love you lots till we meet again!

October 13 at 8:00 PM

DK

**Diane Kane** posted:

Gone but Never forgotten. He was a joy to be around and to work with. Every time he stoped by to say "Hi" it always put a smile on my face. I can honestly say the years we worked together here at BB were that of joyful memory. My thought and preyers to his lovely wife and famiy at this time for thier loss.

October 13 at 8:00 PM

LA

**Laura** posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with the family. Wishing you all warmth, comfort and peace.

October 12 at 8:00 PM

LW

**Lisa Wimmell** posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this difficult time. May the Lords peace surround you and help you through your sorrow.With deepest sympathyLisa Wimmell

October 12 at 8:00 PM

DP

**Dolon Peete** posted:

Sorry for your loss. When I think of losing a loved one as you have, it brings to mind the promise that the Bible holds out at Revelation 21:3,4 where it says that the Grand Creator Jehovah God will wipe away sickness and death forever and reunite us with our loved one on a clean earth in the near future.(John 5:28,29; Psalms 83:18)This may sound like a dream but it will soon be a reality for many families like yours. (John 17:3)I truly hope these scriptures can serve as comfort in your familys time of distress.For more encouragement, please go to [jw.org](http://jw.org)

October 12 at 8:00 PM



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DB

**Debbie Bailey** posted:

So sorry for your loss. I will remember Skeets every time his beautiful paintings in your house Jack. Our condolences to your entire family.

October 12 at 8:00 PM

LE

**Leslie** posted:

Dad - I will miss you so much. I know you are talking the Angels ears off and will be painting palm trees for them! I love you so much.

October 12 at 8:00 PM



## Media

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