

Police Chief Aldin E. "Butch" Casson (1946-2017)

Butch was born March 8, 1946 in Kenton County to Rudolph and Easter Casson. He graduated from Simon Kenton High School in Independence.



During the late 1960s, Butch joined the Covington Police Department. He was promoted to Sergeant and, during 1972, he and Lieutenant Paul Eiffert established the new Community Relations Division. During 1981, he attended the FBI National Academy. He was promoted to Police Chief during 1984 and retired on August 1, 1989 with 22 years of service.

Chief Casson also ran Casson Printing Business for 30 years, printing bulletins for every Masonic lodge in Northern Kentucky, among other things. He was a member of the F.O.P. and 32nd degree Mason at Colonel Clay Lodge #109. Chief Casson was an aviation enthusiast and had a private pilot's license. He also served as a flight dispatcher and engineer for Sunworld Airlines and was a member of the Civil Air Patrol.

Chief Casson passed away on February 12, 2017 at his home. He was 70 years of age.

He was predeceased by his parents and 5 siblings, Clarence Casson, Virgil Casson, Richard Casson, Everett Casson, and Ginny Grimes. Chief Casson is survived by his wife of 49 years, Victoria Casson; sons Kenneth (Lynn) Casson and Scott (Ann) Casson; grandchildren, Stephanie Casson, Kenny Casson, Sam Casson, Kylee Enos, Noah Casson, Ben Casson, and Jackson Casson; great grandson Cody Casson; and siblings, Violet Lipscomb, Velma Sala, Mary Grimes, Phil Casson, and Frank Casson.

Visitation will be held 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. on Saturday, February 18, 2017 at Floral Hills Funeral Home in Taylor Mill. A Masonic Service will be held at 11:40 p.m. Interment will follow in Floral Hills Memorial Gardens.