



Harrison B. "Harry" Austin

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Harrison B. Austin Harrison B. "Harry" Austin, 74, of Punta Gorda, FL died Monday, February 28, 2011. He was born March 12, 1936 in Covington, VA to Louis and Gladys Austin. Harry's love of airplanes & flying started in elementary school, close to Wright Patterson Air Force Base in Dayton, OH. He served in the U.S. Air Force, became an air traffic controller, air traffic supervisor, director of training, flight instructor & corporate jet pilot. He lived in Ohio for 62 years & moved to Florida in 2004. Harry will be greatly missed by his wife, Melodie; sons, Michael Austin, Thomas (Barbara) Austin, Dale (Vanessa) Abraham; daughters, Linda Austin, Joyce Austin and Dawn (Kenneth) Egbert; sister, Doris (Steve) Motko and a brother, Gene (Mary Lou) Austin; 5 grandchildren. A Celebration of Harry's life will be held Monday, March 28, 2011 at 11:00 AM at the First United Methodist Church in Punta Gorda, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the First United Methodist Church, 5067 West Marion Ave., Punta Gorda, FL 33950. Arrangements are being handled by Fort Myers Memorial Gardens Funeral Home. Online condolences may be made to the family by visiting www.fortmyersmemorial.com.



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JE

Jetexpetleden posted:

Make no mistake, all the fitness myths that are out there didn't appear about by mistake

November 3 at 12:18 PM

JE

Jetexpetleden posted:

Bodyweight Exercises

November 2 at 2:22 PM

JE

Jetexpetleden posted:

Exactly what are some excellent Tumblr weblogs that allow you to submit photos, to gain more followers?

November 2 at 8:15 AM

JE

Jetexpetleden posted:

Deadlift – One of several greatest exercises for developing up the lower back, it really is performed by -pulling- a barbell from the floor by pushing with your legs and keeping your back straight

October 28 at 6:37 AM

SL

Stan Levine posted:

Worked with Harry, both at Pittsburgh /and Cleveland Centers. He was tops as a Controller/ supervisor. He was the kind who made you a better controller when working with him. Unflappable under pressure and never seeking to gain points for helping others. I remember clearly how we struggled after the 1981 strike and how Harry so often helped others. I never worked with a better more unselfish person in the FAA. So So proud of his family. I think of the first day we "pushed traffic" on a radar tub in Pittsburgh. I though this guy was special. Boy was I on target. I miss you Harry.. Stan Levine

April 13 at 3:18 PM



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RO

Ronald posted:

I am saddened to hear of Harry's passing as he was a friend and fellow controller that I worked with for many years. Harry was one of my flight instructor's as I worked toward getting my ratings. We had a lot of laughs and good times while working at the Oberlin ARTCC. I'm sure he will be fondly remembered by all of the friends and acquaintances that knew Harry. May God give all of you strength in your hour of sorow and you find peace in knowing that he is with the Lord.

March 19 at 9:56 AM

MS

Mike Schneider posted:

In 17 years at Cleveland Center I had six team supervisors and Harry was far and away the best of the bunch with none of the others even coming close. He was fun and interesting to work with and always looked out for his troops. Knowing him and working for him made my life richer. My deepest sympathy to his family and friends, I know everyone will miss him greatly.

March 18 at 8:42 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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