

A memorial service for Jerome "Jerry" Conrad Johnson, 73, was celebrated at 3:00 p.m. Monday, April 30, 2012 at Tabor-Rice Funeral Home in Brighton, Colorado with Chaplain Daryl Meyers as the Celebrant. Inurnment was held in the Wheatland Cemetery in Wheatland, Wyoming.

He died Tuesday April 24, 2012 at the Platte Valley Medical Center in Brighton.

Jerome was born December 13, 1938 in Sioux Falls, South Dakota, the son of John C. and Margaret P. (Murren) Johnson. He entered the U.S. Air Force in August of 1959 and honorably served our Country until May 1963. On April 9, 1960 he married Shirley Ann Sessions in Lansing, Michigan. Jerry worked for the Department of Justice Federal Bureau of Prisons for 30 years all across the United States. He and his wife fulfilled a life-long dream of retiring to Wheatland, Wyoming in

1995. In 2009 he moved to Brighton, Colorado and enjoyed spending his days with his grandchildren.

Survivors include his two sons and their wives, Brian and Mandy Johnson of Brighton, Colorado and Patrick and Ann Johnson of Ellabell, Georgia; three grandchildren, Taylor, Hunter and Lauren Johnson all of Brighton; two brothers and their wives, J.R. and Karen Johnson of Petaluma, California and Dennis and Vicki Johnson of Britton, Michigan, along with several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Shirley and his parents, John and Margaret Johnson.

Serving as honorary pallbearers were Brian Johnson, Patrick Johnson, J.R. Johnson, Dennis Johnson and Hunter Johnson.

Tabor-Rice Funeral Home of Brighton was in charge of the arrangements.