



## Cornelius Johnson

June 12, 1943 - July 11, 2017

Cornelius (CJ) Johnson went to be with the Lord on July 11, 2017. He lived an amazing life that cannot be put into words. His impact touched many lives. God gave CJ the gift to mentor and coach many of the youth of Prescott over the past 20 years. It was his desire to be a positive influence in their lives, to see them develop their personal character, achieve academically and to trust in God.

They were his passion!

To the many health providers in Prescott we want to thank you for your kindness and personal care you gave CJ over the years. You gave him more than care, you became his friends.

Cornelius is survived by his wife Christy, son Micah, sister's Mary and Helen of Virginia as well as many relatives and friends. We all loved his hearty laugh and respected his optimistic joyful spirit.

A Memorial Celebration will be announced at a later date. Anyone wishing to give in CJ's honor please send to the Youth Ministry at Prescott Christian Church.

# Tribute Wall

PC

“ I met CJ while working at Kenia Air. One day while standing on a ladder working on a aircraft in the hanger a man said to me" I hear you wrestled in high school, I'm looking for someone to spar with".I'm was a bit shocked as he was a very big man, later I found out he was joking, thank god. I tell this story often as Cornelius was a wonderful man with a great sense of humor.  
I think of him often, he will truly be missed. I found this site thinking of Cornelius , God Bless  
Pat Carney

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**Pat Carney** - January 26, 2020 at 04:16 PM

JM

“ CJ was my Godfather, my father Tim worked with him at Kenai Air. Where I spent my youth hanging around the hangar and the office and that shag carpet stairway leading to the office. I just found this because he was heavily on my mind. I am trying to take a breath and get my bearings. I dearly loved CJ when I was growing up. CJ and Christy were some of the most wonderful people I could have ever asked for in my life. I will forever miss him. My love goes out to Christy and the rest of the family, even if this is so late. I have always told stories about my Godfather and smiled every time I thought of him. God bless you CJ. I love you.

*James Miller*

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**James Miller** - February 22, 2019 at 03:53 AM

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“ *Lucie Gibert Olwine lit a candle in memory of Cornelius Johnson*



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**Lucie Gibert Olwine** - July 19, 2017 at 10:44 AM

JL

“ *We met CJ more than 20 years ago when we were having a building built next-door to the North of your KENAI Helicopter Maintenance Building. CJ let our builder use a garden hose as the construction progressed and our property had a well and power on our own.*

*We would enjoy watching the repairs and flight testing over the 30 acre field at our backyards and the landing and adjustments and retesting the Helicopters from our patio deck.*

*The Chino Valley Fire District Fire Marshal Dave Wharton would stop by to inspect our fire suppression water tank to be sure it was full and the three of us had some great conversations thru the fence. CJ felt good about having a 12,000 gallon dedicated fire water storage tank next door if ever needed.*

*I remember CJ and his mechanic Yoshi always cleaning and CJ moping your warehouse floors from his wheelchair. My wife and I loved being your neighbors all these years and this great man is truly missed.*

*John & Cheryl Langdon*

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**John & Cheryl Langdon** - July 18, 2017 at 03:39 PM

BS

“ When I think of dear CJ, Proverbs 3:5&6 comes to mind. I got to hear his testimony given to a large group of teens and he shared his life verses. It was impressive.

Since he married into the Lofstedt family who claims me as "auntie" I got to be CJ's auntie also. What a blessing.

Love you Cornelius. I miss you already. Love you Johnson and Lofstedt families.

Auntie Bev

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**Beverly Van Sickle** - July 17, 2017 at 06:58 PM