

Rest in Peace ~ Charles 'Top' Outman

December 24, 1946 ~ March 7th 2017

We didn't know Chuck nearly as well as a lot of other people did, but we always enjoyed the time we spent together.

Among all the things that Chuck was.... High on the list ~ he was husband to Debbie. "I was so very blessed to have this Amazing Man as my husband." There was a love and friendship admired by many. They were married on July 26, 1992.

Top was a US Marine, earning the rank of Master Sergeant He proudly served his Country for 23 years ~ from 1963 to 1986. He would subsequently be taken by pancreatic cancer ~ a souvenir of his exposure to Agent Orange while serving in Viet Nam.

After retiring from the USMC in 1986, Chuck met Debbie. She commented, "I was impressed by his personality. He was always a gentleman." For six years they traveled around in their RV before set-



ting here in Arizona. Then they each drove School and Tour Buses for several years. Deb continued, "In 2001 he met the amazing Motorcycle Club Viet Nam Vets / Legacy Vets MC and was a member until he

passed away."

Top was also a member of the Saguaro Detachment 554 of the Marine Corps League, for about five years. "He had an awesome time with all those Retired Marines."

Chuck was laid to rest on May 23, 2017 at the National Veterans Cemetery in Phoenix, surrounded by many friends and fellow Veterans.

Deb shared that, "Chuck was a great Husband and an amazing Marine! He had a very strong personality right up to the end. He is deeply missed by myself and a ton of friends."

We are among the many who admire him, call him friend, and will miss him.

With love & respect, to Chuck and to his beautiful wife Debbie,

Bruce & Betsy

*"The true soldier fights
not because he hates what is in front of him,
but because he loves what is behind him."*

G.K. Chesterton, English author

