

# L-4 ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF THE Pershing Rifles National Alumni Association



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Dear Alumnus,

The patriarch of our alumni association, Kent Etheridge, passed away on Wednesday, June 17, 2015. He was admitted to a hospice in patient facility this past Sunday after a long battle with a cancer. He died peacefully with his wife, Debbie, son, Bryan, and a close family friend by his side.

In the words of Debbie Etheridge, "Thank you all for your prayers and thoughts during this long fight of an insidious disease. He put up a great fight until the end. He is now with the angels in heaven."

Kent's remains will be cremated and the ashes eventually taken to NC. Later in the summer a celebration of life memorial service will be conducted. A Masonic funeral service at the family grave plot will follow. As final details become available, they will be passed along.

Until that time expressions of sympathy to the family should be mailed to the following address:

The Etheridge Family  
13019 West Desert Glen Drive  
Sun City West, Arizona 85375-4826

Kent Etheridge was inducted into the Honourable Order of the General of the Armies John Joseph Pershing. He was the 41<sup>st</sup> Knight Commander of the Pershing Rifles Group's life achievement award. His fraternal legacy will long endure as he was the first L-4 Alumni Association member to be inducted into the honourable order on the degree of Knight Commander. Long live the memory of L-4 First Sergeant William Kenneth "Kent" Etheridge, NC State University, 1970.

Fraternally,

*Joe*

Joe Harris, 1968  
Director of Administration

CHARTERED MARCH 13, 2014