



John C. Calhoun

September 24, 1934 - October 25, 2014

John C. Calhoun, age 80, of Wilmington, DE, went home to be with the Lord on Saturday, October 25, 2014 surrounded by his loving family. John was a faithful member of First Baptist Church in New Castle. He retired from General Motors after 39 years of dedicated service as an Auto Inspector. John enjoyed golfing and was an excellent bowler who bowled many games of 300. He was an avid baseball and football fan. John will be remembered most of all as a loving husband, father and grandfather who enjoyed spending time with his family and vacationing with them in Myrtle Beach. He, also, enjoyed his loyal friends from Millcreek Barber Shop.

John is survived by his cherished wife of 60 years, Cinda Calhoun; son, John R. Calhoun (Flossie); daughter, Joyce Bailey (Jonathan); and 7 grandchildren: Krystina Hamilton, Jonathan Calhoun (Jenny), Sarah Gemmell (Jimmy), Megan Rolston (Brendan), Samuel Calhoun, Emily Bailey, and Amy Bailey; He was preceded in death by his parents, Lillard and Rhoda Calhoun; son, Joel Calhoun; and 5 siblings.

A visitation will be held Wednesday, October 29, 2014 from 9:30-11:00 AM in the Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home, 635 Churchmans Rd., Newark, DE 19702 followed by a service in celebration of John's life at 11 AM. Burial will follow in Gracelawn Memorial Park. For directions or to send an online condolence visit www.strano-feeley.com

Cemetery Details

Gracelawn Memorial Park

2220 N. DuPont Highway
New Castle, DE

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **29**. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home
635 Churchmans Rd
Newark, DE 19702
(302) 731-5459
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Service

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Tribute Wall

KK

“ Love and prayers for my sweet Cinda and your precious family. God's gracious comfort and peace to you dear friend.

Kasie & Corey and the kids - October 28, 2014 at 10:47 PM

GH

“ Dear Cinda & family, Joyce, Mom, and I send our deepest sympathy. May the Lord bless and we remember so many great times at N.C. Love

Gary Hayden - October 28, 2014 at 06:13 PM

JG

“ Dear Cousin (sister) Cinda, John, Joyce and families,

Just to let you know that our hearts are with you in this time of grieving, yes, we do grieve because he was such an important part of your world and ours. The last time we were with Jay and Cinda was back in the summer when we took them out for lunch in West Jefferson. to celebrate their 60th. What a great time we had of fellowship, reminiscing and enjoying the good things of life, family, food etc. Little did we know that it would be the last time that we see Jay here on earth. But it is not all over yet. We will see him again, if by the grave or by the rapture. We will see him in the land of no more pain, sickness or separations. What a wonderful promise. And Paul said we were to comfort one another with these words. We love you very much. Hope to see you tomorrow. With much love, Russell and Judy Gordon

Judy Gordon - October 27, 2014 at 10:28 AM



“ *Basket of Joy was purchased for the family of John C. Calhoun.*



October 27, 2014 at 09:07 AM



“ *Our hearts, prayers, and thoughts are with you all. We love you deeply. Remembering fondly the many times Jay made me belly laugh. He's up in heaven cracking jokes with Joel and my mom, no doubt. Praying God will keep you and uphold you through this time. Much love, Trish, Sara, and Josh*

Trish Tatnall - October 27, 2014 at 08:56 AM



“ *Juanita Lambert lit a candle in memory of John C. Calhoun*



Juanita Lambert - October 27, 2014 at 08:35 AM



Cinda and family....We were saddened to hear of JC's passing on Saturday. We didn't see him a lot with the distance between us but he still will be missed. We pray that God will wrap his arms around the whole family and give you the comfort that you need in the days, weeks and months ahead. We are sorry we won't be able to come to the funeral. With Terry's work and mine it hard to get away with us being in NC and you all in Del.. I hope you understand. We love you all and will keep you in our prayers. May God Bless You All.....

Terry and Juanita Lambert

Juanita Lambert - October 27, 2014 at 08:46 AM

MF

“ Dearest Cinda, and family, Please know that our family is holding up the whole Calhoun Clan. You are and have been such a special part of our lives. As I described to Trey who JC was, I reminded him of our journey to Alaska, sitting in the dining hall; JC entertaining, and sticking his tongue out, turning his right ear and tongue that direction, turning his left ear, and pulling just under his chin.... with giggles again as we remembered. Jay was always the life of the party. I know he'll be missed, & we will be praying fervently for you in the upcoming days. Love in Christ, Melinda and Trey Fargis, Linda Calhoun and Ruth Ingle

melinda Fargis - October 26, 2014 at 10:00 AM