



John Joseph Shingler

October 24, 1939 - March 1, 2014

John Joseph Shingler passed away on March 1, 2014 at home with his family by his side. He was born on October 24, 1939 in Gary, Indiana to Joseph and Mary Shingler. He attended St. Mark's Catholic School, Bishop Noll High School and St. Procopious College (Illinois Benedictine). Upon graduation he entered the U.S. Navy, spending five years active duty (Vietnam) and 22 years reserve duty retiring in 1988. He was employed as a Industrial Engineer at Youngstown Sheet and Tube in Indiana, Norwood Mills in Wisconsin, Walker Manufacturing in Wisconsin and Virginia, and as a Plant Manager at Victaulic Co. in North Carolina.

On May 25, 1968, he married Carol (nee Schmelter) Shingler in Hobart, Indiana. He was very active teaching religious education classes, coaching his sons baseball and basketball teams, as Cub Master and Scout Master and later attending all his sons sporting activities and games through college fitting in a lot of golf.

He is survived by his beloved family; wife Carol, sons Sean (Elizabeth) Shingler, of Pennsylvania, Timothy (Amy) Shingler of Virginia, John (Marita) Shingler of Texas. He adored his granddaughters; Mary and Abigail of Virginia; Katherine and Margaret of Texas and soon to be Josephine of Pennsylvania; sisters, Sr. Mary Josef Shingler and Elizabeth (Irwin) Holub of Donaldson, Indiana; JoAnn (Larry) Willett of Minnesota; sisters-in-law, Linda (George) Buzinec, Janet (John) Rigoni of Illinois and many nieces and nephews. John was preceded in death by his parents, sister Claudia Klich;

mother and father-in-law Leonard and Ann Schmelter; brother-in-law Charles Schmelter.

There will be a visitation with the family from 9:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, March 6, 2014 at St. Bridget Church, 201 Center Street, Hobart, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at 10:00 a.m., Rev. Dominic Bertino officiating. Celebration of his life will follow after Mass at the Paragon Restaurant, 1701 E 37th Ave, Hobart IN for all family and friends.

Burial will be at Arlington National Cemetery in Arlington, Virginia at a later date. Donations in his memory can be made to Juvenile Diabetes Research, 2004 Ironwood Circle, #140, South Bend, Indiana 46635 and Navy and Marine Corps Relief Society, 875 North Randolph Street, Suite 225, Arlington, VA 22203. Burns Funeral Home (Hobart) in charge of arrangements.www.burnsfuneral.com

Cemetery Details

Arlington Cemetery

Washington D.C., DC

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 6. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

St Bridget Church
201 Center St
Hobart,, IN 46342

Mass of Christian Burial

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Tribute Wall



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Burns Funeral Home & Crematory - March 05, 2014 at 12:02 PM

JB

“ *Carol and family,*

My deepest sympathy in he loss of John. My prayers and thoughts are with you all during this difficult time.

With sympathy,

Janet Binkowski (Geleott)

Janet Binkowski - March 04, 2014 at 07:43 PM

JE

“ Carol, Sean, Tim, John and of your families,

I am sorry to hear of the loss of Mr. Shingler. You are all in my thoughts and prayers as you go through this difficult time. It seems like a short time ago that the Shinglers were in the stands at Harrisonburg High School supporting the athletic events Sean, Tim and John participated in. Time goes by quickly but the memories remain.

With sympathy,

Jill Dellinger Early

Jill Dellinger Early - March 04, 2014 at 07:17 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of John Joseph Shingler.



March 04, 2014 at 11:51 AM

BZ

“ To Carol, Sean, Tim, John, and your families,

Some of my favorite memories in high school and college were made at the Shingler house where there was always lots of laughter and enough food and fun for anyone who was visiting! My deepest sympathies go out to your family in the loss of Mr. Shingler. He was a wonderful man who loved his family deeply.

*My thoughts and prayers are with you all,
Brooke Wynn Zehmer*

Brooke Zehmer - March 04, 2014 at 09:50 AM

GG

“ To Carol, Sean, Tim and John and your families,

What an avid supporter of his family whatever the occasion. It was never a surprise to see John and Carol at the many activities of their children - he was always there! I was often amazed how "short" the distance from IN to VA was -to be involved in his sons or his granddaughters activities.

The door to the Shingler home was always open for family and friends.

The last few years have been tough but John was a very strong and determined man and I am so glad we got to know him as a friend.

Wes and Glenna Graves

Glenna Graves - March 04, 2014 at 03:58 AM

VP

“ Carol, Sean, Tim and Little John and to all of your better halves. I am very sorry for your loss. I have many memories of you and your family being there for our family during our time of need. You are now in my thoughts during this sad time.

I have many childhood memories hanging with the Shinglers but one that sticks out at the moment is the infamous basketball game at Purcell pak playing with Sean, Tim and Mr Shingler where Tim obviously fouled me. Needless to say the game ended, Mr Shingler got the truck and we loaded Tim up in it for a fun trip the the hospital.

You will be in our thoughts this week.

*Fondly,
Vinnie, Kim and Family.*

Vinnie Paladino - March 03, 2014 at 05:24 PM