



John Angus Montgomery

March 29, 1934 - July 1, 2014

John Angus Montgomery, 80, of Charlotte, died peacefully on Tuesday, July 1, 2014 in Lansing. John was born March 29, 1934 in Westland, MI, the son of Donald Duncan and Velma Mae (Fuller) Montgomery. He graduated High School in 1952 before enlisting in the U.S. Navy to serve his country during the Korean Conflict, remaining active until 1960. He married his High School sweetheart, Stella Burnette Morgan and the two started their family before moving to Charlotte to “spread out.” John very much enjoyed living in Charlotte, and found work wherever made it possible to stay local. Many may remember him as the produce manager at Wrigley’s Grocery in Charlotte, where he worked 11 years. John and Stella wintered for 14 years at the Pioneer Missionary Camping grounds in Orlando, FL, where Stella volunteered for 10 years. He always enjoyed the outdoors, particularly camping and hunting. John was a member of the Bowling League in Charlotte, and also the 1st Baptist Golf League. He was faithful to the 1st Baptist Church in Charlotte, and, above all, a devoted father and grandfather. John is survived by his wife, Stella Burnette Montgomery; son, Jeffrey (Karen) Montgomery; grandchildren, Jordan Montgomery, BreAnna (Justin) Bray and Johnathan Montgomery; and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his son, Robert Montgomery in 1997 and his brother, Donald Walter Montgomery. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 pm on Monday, July 7, 2014 at Pray Funeral Home in Charlotte, MI with Rev. Richard Wilford officiating. Visitation will be from 6:00-8:00 pm on Sunday, July 6, 2014 and

from 1:00-2:00 pm on Monday, July 7, just prior to the service. Interment and U.S. Navy Honors will take place at Bosworth Cemetery in Olivet. Memorial contributions may be made to the First Baptist Church of Charlotte.

Tribute Wall

SS

“ Dear Stella, Jeff and family, We are sorry for you loss. Our hearts ache for you. Steve and Nancy Shaver

Steve and Nancy Shaver - July 16, 2014 at 03:41 PM

PR

“ Mrs. Montgomery and Jeff, I am so sorry to hear of the passing of your husband and father. Your video tribute brought back allot of great memories from growing up in the First Baptist Church. I pray that God will give you peace at this most difficult.

Penny (Patrick) Ryan - July 06, 2014 at 10:32 PM

JV

“ John was a good friend to Jerry. As soon as Jerry was out of the Army and job hunting, John got him a job. They worked together until the shop closed. John continued to be a friend to Jerry. John and Stella were really kind to our daughter, always welcoming her to sit with them during church when she was little and have been really friendly as she grew up. I have enjoyed the friendship of John and Stella and will miss John a lot. I will see John when I get to heaven, but until then, he will be missed greatly.

Jerry and Janice Vinson - July 04, 2014 at 03:03 PM

BW

“ Stella & family, I'm awfully sorry to have just gotten this bad news about John. Thank you John for having served our country. My deepest condolences.

Bill Welch - July 02, 2014 at 08:57 PM