



## John Andrew Curtin Jr.

February 2, 1938 - February 22, 2021

John Andrew Curtin, Jr., 83, of Rock Spring, Georgia went home to be with his Lord and Savior on Monday, February 22, 2021. He was born in Washington, D.C. to the late, John Andrew and Helen Stroh Curtin, Sr., and had lived in the Chattanooga and North Georgia areas for most of his life. He was a member of Crosspath Church and was an Army Veteran for more than 12 years. He served as a Senior Intelligence Analyst for special projects during the Vietnam War and was a member of the American Legion Post #95. He was employed with Coosa Valley Services as a Director for many years and was a Preacher for more than 20 years. He loved sharing his faith with anyone he met and was a true animal lover. He was a loving and devoted brother, father, grandfather and great grandfather that will be truly missed by all who knew him. He was also preceded in death by his wife, Wanda Jean Boatwright Curtin and two brothers, Dennis Curtin and Butch Curtin.

Survivors include his children and spouses, Lynn (Dan) Knight, Leah (Cecil) Youngs, Michelle (Wes) Bridges, Dana (Brad) Cothran and Randall (Crystal) Williams, Jr.; brother & sister-in-law, Terrence (Robin) Curtin; sisters & brother-in-law, Kathryn Minnick, Mary Brewer and Helen Marie (Elwood) McClintic; 16 grandchildren; 5 great grandchildren and numerous nieces, nephews and extended family & friends.

Funeral services will be held at 3:00 p.m., Friday, February 26, 2021 in the

Fort Oglethorpe Chapel with Rev. William Jacques and Bro. Mike Hendrix officiating. Burial will be held in the Chattanooga National Cemetery at 2 p.m., Tuesday, March 2, 2021. The family will receive friends on Friday from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m. on Friday at the funeral home. Online guest book at [www.wilsonfuneralhome.com](http://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com). Arrangements by W.L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Home Fort Oglethorpe, GA.

# Cemetery Details

## Chattanooga National Cemetery

Holtzclaw Ave.  
Chattanooga, TN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 26. 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM (ET)

W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Home-Ft. Oglethorpe Chapel  
555 West Cloud Springs Road  
Ft. Oglethorpe, GA 30742  
(706) 866-5555  
info@wilsonfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Service

FEB 26. 3:00 PM (ET)

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## Burial

MAR 2. 2:00 PM (ET)

Chattanooga National Cemetery  
Holtzclaw Ave.  
Chattanooga, TN

# Tribute Wall

JR

“ *Jerry & Linda Reed lit a candle in memory of John Andrew Curtin Jr.*



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**Jerry & Linda Reed** - February 26, 2021 at 03:59 PM

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“ *Johnny was the oldest.of 7. I was the youngest. He was in the service by the time I was born. I really dont have many memories of him until I guess I was 10 or 11 maybe. When I was an adult he brought to Christianity. He gave me.my first bible which I still have. He was there when I needed him always. Answering religious questions and just life questions. He was a good man. I love him dearly. He is with the lord celebrating his arrival. With his wife and our parents and 2 of our brothers. Johnny we will all be together again someday. Looking forward to it.*

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**Helenmarie Curtin McClintic** - February 24, 2021 at 10:28 AM

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*John and Wanda were my next door neighbors when I moved to Lakeshore Apts. She was already ill and passed about 6 mints later. Shortly after I lot my oldest son at 53; the last of my 3 children. John was such a comfort during the months that followed! We were good friends in Christ and he would help guide me in my scripture reading! He was a wonderful, caring person and I still miss his presence living next door! All us neighbors fell in love with their big black cat they called Mort. She welcomed all the neighbors from her window perch! I will always remember my friend and value the time he lived next door! We kept in touch after he moved to Rock Springs and he was always available for my questions and we just kept check on each other's health!*

*You will be greatly missed, my friend, but I find comfort in knowing you are once again with Wanda and you both are resting in peace with our Lord.*

*My sympathy and condolences go out to his daughter and son-in-law and well as the rest of his family and many friends!  
I know the angels are still rejoicing at his arrival!*

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**Sue Lowery** - February 24, 2021 at 03:29 PM

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*“I am John Curtin and sister Kathryn My brother and I we were like twins we were best friends from day one he had rheumatic fever when he was a little boy and I spent every waking moment with him we were always together One time when we were little he shot me in the head with a BB gun I still got a scar We talked on the phone all the time we hadn't seen each other in years but like I said we were best friends I could go on and on the things we had done together I loved him I love you brother and I know you're where you wanna be*

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**kathryn Chilcoate minnick Sister** - February 24, 2021 at 05:30 AM