



John Henry Morris, Jr.

September 15, 1946 - July 29, 2020

John Henry Morris, Jr., 73, of Rising Fawn, went home to be with his Lord and Savior on Wednesday, July 29, 2020. He had lived in the North Georgia area for most of his life and was of the Baptist faith. He was an Army Veteran having served during the Vietnam War and retired from Astec Industries in 2015 after more than 35 years of service. He was a member of the V.F.W. in Fort Oglethorpe and he had a passion for Antique Cars. He was a loving and devoted brother, husband, father and grandfather that will be truly missed by all who knew him. He was preceded in death by his parents, John Morris, Sr. & Ivauline Painter and 2 brothers, Rusty Painter & Carl Painter.

Survivors include his loving wife of more than 55 years, Shirley Taylor Morris; 3 children & spouses, John H. & (Lisa Michelle) Morris, III, Jerry & (Amanda) Morris and Donna & (Bob) Capps; brother & sister-in-law, Donald & (Cathy) Painter; 4 grandchildren, Matthew Capps, Sarah Capps, Kayla Morris and Gabriel Morris; and numerous extended family & friends.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 p.m., Monday, August 3, 2020 in the Fort Oglethorpe Chapel. The family will receive friends from 4-8 p.m. on Sunday and prior to the service on Monday at the funeral home. Burial will take place at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 5, 2020 in the Chattanooga National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the V.F.W., 89 Memorial Drive, Rossville, GA 30741 (706) 861-0061. Online guest book at w

ww.wilsonfuneralhome.com. Arrangements by W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Homes, Fort Oglethorpe, GA.

Cemetery Details

Chattanooga National Cemetery

Holtzclaw Ave.
Chattanooga, TN

Tribute Wall



“ Shirley I’m sick so won’t get to come but I loved Johnny and now he is in no more pain sending love and prayers to you and family

Janice Jones Ware - August 02, 2020 at 12:50 PM



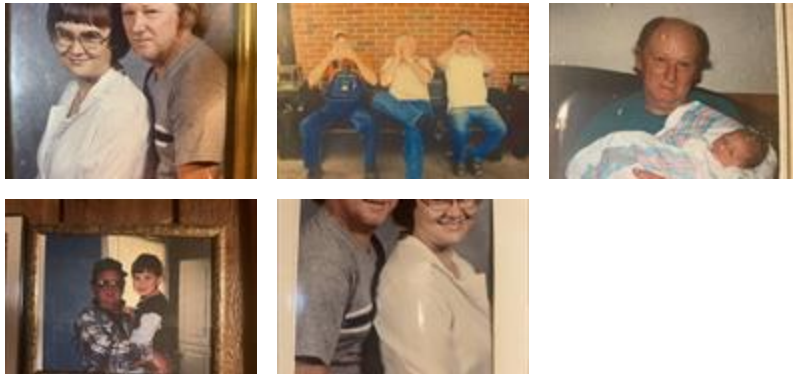
“ Hurshel Stone lit a candle in memory of John Henry Morris, Jr.



hurshel stone - August 02, 2020 at 08:26 AM



“ Family Photo Album



Kayla Morris - August 02, 2020 at 12:15 AM

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“ *I love you* ”



Kayla Morris - August 01, 2020 at 11:49 PM

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“ *His two sons* ”



Violet Gray - August 01, 2020 at 07:46 PM

VG

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall* ”



Violet Gray - August 01, 2020 at 07:42 PM

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“ John would joke even when he felt his worse just to place a smile or laughter on someone else’s face. He is truly loved and we will miss him everyday

Violet Gray - August 01, 2020 at 07:30 PM

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“ Some great photos of Papaw and family - Kayla



Kayla Morris - August 01, 2020 at 06:59 PM

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“ Shirley & Family,
Seems like only yesterday we were there and sitting out on porch talking. It couldn't have been more than 3 weeks. Such a beautiful home and so warm. You and John were a perfect couple. I know your heart is broken, and you have some tough days ahead. Cling to the Lord and your family. Your sister was so kind when she let us know about John.

Thoughts & Prayers are with you ,

Henry & Dawn Saylor

Dawn Saylor - July 31, 2020 at 11:22 AM

VS

“ *Vivian Smartt lit a candle in memory of John Henry Morris, Jr.*



Vivian Smartt - July 31, 2020 at 06:52 AM

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“ *Shirley, I am so sorry. I have happy memories of Johnny when we were kids. Johnny has always been a caring and giving person. He dearly loved his family. It's a comfort to know we will see him again soon. I loved Johnny and I love you. I'm here if you need me.*
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imogene Helton - July 30, 2020 at 08:50 PM