



John Robert Linens

September 4, 1938 - December 31, 2016

John Robert Linens, 78, of 195 Davis Drive, Ringgold, VA went home to be with the Lord on Saturday, December 31, 2016 after being in declining health for the past year.

Mr. Linens was born in the Vernon Hill community of Halifax County on September 4, 1938 a son of the late Robert Lee Linens and Nannie Carter Linens. He had live all of his life in Halifax and Pittsylvania County where he was known by many friends as John "Brown". John had owned and operated Piedmont Paint Company prior to his retirement. He was a member of Glen Hill Baptist Church. John loved to hunt, fish and go to local race tracks. On August 16, 1978 he married the late Linda Wilkerson Linens who died on June 5, 2006.

John is survived by one daughter, Darlene Linens and one son, John Rodney Linens & wife Paula all of Ringgold, two step-daughters, Lori Harris and Mary Harris both of Danville, VA, one step-son, Cliff Parrish of Collinsville, VA, three granddaughters, Amanda Orrell, Tatum Linens both of Ringgold, VA, Jessica L. Weaver & husband Jason of Powathan, VA, one grandson, Jonathan Linens of Ringgold, VA.

Three great grandchildren, Kaedence Orrell, Kate and Luke Weaver and three step grandchildren, Jennifer, Tabathia & Dale Harris and special friend, Jerry

Wilkerson. John was predeceased by one sister, Violet L. Kates, one brother, Richard Linens and one step-son Jeff Parrish.

Funeral Services for Mr. Linens will be conducted on Tuesday, January 3, 2017 at 11:00 a.m. from the Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel conducted by the Stephen Wright. Interment will follow at 1:00 p.m. in Oak Ridge Cemetery in South Boston, VA. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Monday night from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. and at other times they will be at the residence of his son, John Rodney Linens & wife Paula, 161 Davis Drive, Ringgold, VA, in the Mountain Hill Community. The family would like to give a very special and loving thank you to Judy Moss for all the care and kindness that you gave to John.

Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel is respectfully serving the Linens family.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 2. 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

Wrenn-Yeatts Westover Chapel
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Funeral Service

JAN 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I'm so sorry for the loss of Mr. Linen. He was a funny and sweet man. He is missed.
Rhonda Martin, CNA

Rhonda Martin - January 04, 2017 at 07:09 PM

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“ John was a sweet man and is missed.



CATHY, C.N.A. - January 02, 2017 at 06:45 PM



“ 52 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Homes - January 02, 2017 at 02:07 PM

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“ I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers go out to the family.

Glynis Walker - January 02, 2017 at 10:59 AM



“ *Lisa Francis lit a candle in memory of John Robert Linens*



Lisa Francis - January 02, 2017 at 10:38 AM



“ *Kathy Chilton lit a candle in memory of John Robert Linens*



Kathy Chilton - January 02, 2017 at 10:12 AM