



John L. Brashers

December 14, 1931 - June 28, 2015

John L. Brashers, 83, of Washington, passed away at 5:16 p.m. Sunday, June 28, 2015 at his residence.

He was born December 14, 1931 in Charity, MO to Robert and Orvilla Nottingham Brashers. He married Emma Marie “Re” Tott in Harrison, AR on June 30, 1952. She preceded him in death on Nov. 21, 2008. He was also preceded in death by his parents; son, Gary Leo Brashers; one sister, Marie Gregg; 3 brothers, William Arizona Brashers, Roy Lee Brashers, Charles Loren Brashers; granddaughter, Brittney Brashers; and daughter-in-law, Suzanne Brashers.

Surviving are 2 sons, Phillip Brashers of Treasure Island, FL, Barry Brashers of Yates City, IL; 2 daughters, Brenda (Doug) Hunter of Metamora, Teresa Brashers of Peoria; 8 grandchildren, Chandra (Eddy) Doyle, Sara (Trent) Walter, John Brashers, Krista Hunter, Ashley (Edmund) Gilgenbach, Kyle and Cody Brashers, Chase Robinson; and 6 great-grandchildren, Connor and Sophia Doyle, Corbin and Sloane Walter, Isla Gilgenbach and Barret Brashers.

John was a United States Air Force Korean War Veteran. He worked at Caterpillar Inc. retiring after 35 years of service. He was a pilot and enjoyed spending time with his family, working in his garden, tinkering, and fixing all sorts of things.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to OSF Hospice or Northern Tazewell Fire Department.

A service to celebrate John's life will be held at 12 Noon on Thursday, July 2, 2015 at Deiters Funeral Home and Crematory in Washington with Rev. John King officiating. Burial will be at Fondulac Cemetery in East Peoria. A visitation will be held from 10 am until service time at 12 Noon on Thursday at the funeral home.

Cemetery Details

Fondulac Cemetery

1985 E. Washington Street
East Peoria, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 2. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Deiters Funeral Home & Crematory - Washington
2075 Washington Road
Washington, IL 61571
(309) 745-5999

Service

JUL 2. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



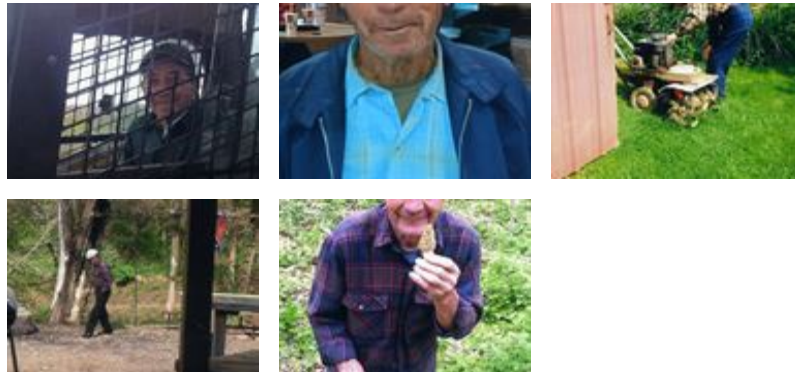
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“ Phil-our deepest sympathy to you and your family. I haven't seen your dad for several years, but I always remember him being so nice and always seemed to have a smile on his face.

Tom & Kathy (Lynn) Degenhart

Kathy Degenhart - July 01, 2015 at 08:41 AM

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“ Thinking of the Brashers and wishing you all peace. The Owen Family

Brooke M Owen - June 30, 2015 at 03:44 PM

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“ Love you John. You will be missed. Have some wonderful memories of John.

Charlotte Wolland - June 29, 2015 at 11:10 PM