



John C. Warfield

August 2, 1929 - February 25, 2020

John C. Warfield, 90, of Bonita Springs, FL died Tuesday, February 25, 2020. John was born August 2, 1929 in Frederick, MD a son of the late Robert L. and Mable (Poole) Warfield. His step-mother Lucy Price Warfield passed away in 1979. John was a resident of Frederick, MD until moving with his late wife, Maggie to Bonita Springs, FL in 1994.

He was a graduate of August Military Academy and attended Washington and Lee University. After his junior year he enlisted in the U.S. Air Force and served as a Navigator-Bombardier in the Korean conflict. After returning to Maryland, he joined his father in the automotive business. John remained active in the family business, Frederick Motor Company until 1994 when his son Jim took over. He remained active with the Air Force Reserve until transferring to the West Virginia National Air Guard and retiring as a Major.

In 1961, he married the love of his life, Margaret K. "Maggie" Warfield and they raised three children. Maggie passed away on January 1, 2014.

After moving to Bonita Springs he quickly became involved in the community through the Chamber of Commerce, Speakers Assembly and the Rotary Club of Bonita Springs. In 1999, Bonita Springs voted for incorporation to become a city. John decided to run for one of the six council seats and was elected to the City Council in 2000. He served two terms. As a philanthropist, he

supported the efforts of Hope Hospice, the United Way of Lee County, Literacy Council, the Speakers Assembly of Southwest Florida, Florida Gulf Coast University and the Philharmonic Center for the Arts and the Guadalupe Family Center in Immokalee.

In 2011, he was named the Citizen of the Year at the annual Bonita Springs Chamber of Commerce Luncheon. In 2014, he received the Love of Bonita award and in 2018 he was presented with a rare Honorary Club Membership in the Bonita Springs Rotary Club.

He is survived by his three children, James P. Warfield and his wife, Amy of Frederick, MD, John D. Warfield and his wife, Laura of Bonita Springs, FL and Katherine "Kate" Schroeder and her husband, Jim of Oxford, MD; ten grandchildren, Matt, Owen, Ben, Emily, Hanna, Baera, Bo, Brady, Blair and Barclay and two nephews, Richard and Robert Warfield.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, Maggie and his brother, Robert L. Warfield, Jr.

Funeral services are being postponed indefinitely due to the coronavirus and a reschedule date will be announced.

Memorial Donations in memory of John C. Warfield may be made to the Guadalupe Center Scholarship Fund, 2640 Golden Gate Parkway, Suite 205, Naples, FL 34105.

Additional services are being planned for Frederick, MD with burial in Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

To sign his guest register or to leave online condolences please visit www.ShikanyFuneralHome.com

Arrangements have been entrusted to Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home Family
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Cemetery Details

Mt. Olivet Cemetery

515 So. Market St.
Frederick, MD 21701

Tribute Wall



“ *John C. Warfield*

October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ *Jim, Katie, and John:*

I was so sorry to hear of the loss of John. I started to work at FMC in 1960 just out of High School. I got to know and enjoy time spent with the Warfield family on my many trips taking cars to Palm Beach.

John will be remembered in my thoughts and prayers.

Bill Shaffer

Bayonet Point, Fl.

Bill Shaffer - April 12, 2020 at 12:03 PM



“ *Jim, Katie, and John;*

Our condolences for you loss. What a remarkable man and will surely be missed.

Jim & Michelle Doll

Jim Doll - March 15, 2020 at 02:16 PM

KB

“Katie, Jim and John,
I have very fond memories of working for your Dad at the Frederick Motor Company at the time when you children were growing up JCW was a very special man, always fair to his employees, always devoted to his family, his company and his community. You have my sympathy for the loss of your father.
Karen & Vic Barker

Karen Barker - March 10, 2020 at 07:44 AM

NN

“John and Maggie were neighbors and good friends. John's legacy is a testament that life is about the way you live, the way you treat others and the impression you make on the lives around you. He will be missed by our community.

With sympathy,
Nancy Near

Nancy Near - March 08, 2020 at 04:03 PM



“Jim & family, I just read about your dad's passing. So sorry to hear, he was a good man & I have very fond memories of working for him at the Frederick Motor Co. My condolences to your family. Sincerely
Mark Shaw

Mark Shaw - March 08, 2020 at 10:21 AM

KD

“Sorry for your loss. I serviced Johns fountains for several years. He was always cordial and would visit and inquire about my family. Ken Douglas, Naples Driftwood Garden Center

Kenneth Douglas - March 08, 2020 at 07:29 AM

PR

“ We were so saddened to learn of John's passing. He was a dear friend and a great inspiration to many in this community. Weill will remember his as a loving husband to Maggie during those difficult years. We keep you in our thoughts and prayers at this time. May our Lord bring you peace and comfort.

Pat Russell - March 06, 2020 at 12:54 PM

PR

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Pat Russell - March 06, 2020 at 12:51 PM

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Pat Russell - March 06, 2020 at 12:49 PM

KC

“ Katie, Jim and John, I send condolences from all the Collivers on the loss of your wonderful, charming father. He was such a presence in our long-ago neighborhood—I can still hear his laugh—we all have fond memories of him, and all your family. Take care.....

Katie Colliver - March 06, 2020 at 07:13 AM

AL

“ Amy and Jim, My condolences to your entire family. I guess Uncle Carl and he have met up to discuss the Redskins. Blessings, to all of you. Anna Marie Linton (Carl Fry, Sr's niece).

Anna Marie Linton - March 05, 2020 at 03:16 AM

RS

“ John was a good man, I am proud to have been his friend. God bless his family,
they have lost a great leader in this man.
Rex & Peggy Sims
Bonita Springs.

Rex and Peggy Sims - March 04, 2020 at 07:36 PM