



John Carl Estes

August 13, 2017

A loving father, grandfather and great-grandfather, John Carl Estes of Saint Albans, passed away on August 13, 2017 at the age of 91.

Born in Putnam County in 1925, he was the son of the late Grover Cleveland Estes and Clara Ethel (Call) Estes. He was preceded in death by his wife of 54 years, Joy Kelley Estes, and all of his siblings: Anna Marie Casto, Mary Elizabeth Beattie, Gladys Short, Earl Estes, James P. "Dick" Estes and Clarence Darrell "John" Estes.

John Carl graduated from Hurricane High School and was a World War II veteran. He proudly served in the United States Marine Corps from 1944-1946 and was honorably discharged August 1946 with the rank of Corporal. He was employed by Union Carbide Institute plant as Foreman of the Reclamation Salvage Department from 1949-1984. A very independent and hard-working man, he was a master craftsman in woodworking as well as masonry. He was a member of the former Saint Luke United Methodist Church.

He is survived by three daughters; Lynn Romano (Patrick), Elizabeth Peters (Ken), and Carla Samples as well as grandchildren; Sarah Lynn (Matt) Hyatt, Lauren Elizabeth (Chad) Onken, Courtney Leigh (Chace) Tracy, Brian (Annalee) Peters and Mark (Kasey) Peters; great-grandchildren include, Presley Lauren Hyatt, Marilyn Claire Onken, Charlotte Joy Onken, Madelynn

Marie Peters, Elijah Samuel Peters, Gabriel Ward Tracy and Abigail Grace Tracy.

Funeral service will be held at 2:00pm Friday, August 18, 2017 at Bartlett-Chapman Funeral Home, St. Albans with the Rev. Kenneth S. Peters officiating. Entombment with military honors will follow in Cunningham Memorial Park, St. Albans.

Visitation will be held one hour prior to the service at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Cedar Grove United Methodist Church, 168 Old Turnpike Road, Parkersburg, WV 26104, where his daughter, Rev. Beth Peters is Pastor.

You may share memories with the family by visiting Mr. Estes' tribute page at ChapmanFuneralHomes.com

Bartlett-Chapman Funeral Home, family-owned and located at 409 Sixth Avenue, St. Albans is honored to serve the Estes family.

Cemetery Details

Cunningham Memorial Park

815 Cunningham Lane
Saint Albans, WV 25177

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 18. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Bartlett-Chapman Funeral Home
409 Sixth Avenue
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Funeral Service

AUG 18. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *John Carl Estes*

October 06, 2023 at 08:41 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Carl Estes.*



August 17, 2017 at 01:32 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of John Carl Estes.*



August 17, 2017 at 01:28 PM



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Chapman Funeral Homes - August 16, 2017 at 07:48 AM



“ We first met Carl in St. Albans decades ago, when Beth took us to the house to visit. He was a very friendly and welcoming person. Carl's love for his family was steadfast and strong. He will be missed.

from Ken and Kris Potter

Kris Potter - August 15, 2017 at 10:03 AM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,*

May your memories of John Carl Estes, give you peace, comfort and strength...

Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten..

*My thoughts
and prayers to the family of*

*US Marine Veteran, John Carl Estes, is “A True American Hero”
God Bless†*

† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †

Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum - August 15, 2017 at 06:31 AM