



John Joseph Uraco

May 20, 1955 - May 14, 2022

John Joseph Uraco, age 66 of Big Wheeling Creek, Wheeling, WV died Saturday, May 14, 2022 at home with his family by his side.

John “Joe” was born on May 20, 1955 in Wheeling the son of the late Frank and Lillian Pauline Uraco.

He graduated from John Marshall High School in 1974; was employed by Valley Camp Coal, Lamar Advertising, Ohio Valley Candy and retired from “Team Sledd” in June 2017 with 20 years of service and was a member of Elm Grove Eagles Aerie 1891.

He enjoyed the outdoors, his family, Steeler Football, riding his mini bike, hunting and gardening. He was looking forward to his son’s upcoming wedding.

Survivors include his wife of 37 years, Lynn Wayne Uraco; one son, Wayne Joseph Uraco and his fiancé Kristian Winters, of Pittsburgh, PA; one sister, Frankielea Uraco Cappellari of Daniels, WV; one brother, Mark (Mary) Uraco of Wheeling and several nieces and nephews.

Family will receive friends on Wednesday from 2:30pm until 7:00pm with a Memorial Service at 5:00pm at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 1 Ridgecrest Road, Bethlehem/Wheeling with Pastor Tony Romano officiating. Private interment will be held at the convenience of the family.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 18. 2:30 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory- Wheeling/Bethlehem
1 Ridgecrest Road
Bethlehem/Wheeling, WV 26003
(304) 232-0400
<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>

Memorial Service

MAY 18. 5:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home
400 Jefferson Ave.
Moundsville, WV 26041

Tribute Wall



“ *Grisell Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of John Joseph Uraco*



Grisell Funeral Homes - May 17, 2022 at 10:03 AM

KB

What a beautiful tribute to John~ Love, prayers & (((HUGS))) for you & Wayne! May you find comfort in you beautiful memories! I love you so much, Cuz!!

Karen Beck - May 16, 2025 at 05:35 AM

RP

“ *Lynn, Wayne, Frankielea, & Mark I m so sorry to hear of John's Passing and wish that I could be there to convey my condolences to you in person as words alone can not express the loss of a loved one. I will always have my fond childhood memories of the times spent @ the Uraco family home on Big Wheeling Creek (or as I called the place Johnny Joseph's), especially on the 4TH of July Picnic's. Anytime my dad would drive by on the way to camp I would be asking to stop @ Johnny Joseph's.
Rest in peace My Cousin, My Friend.
Rick (Ricky) Pompeo*

Rick Pompeo - May 18, 2022 at 08:24 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John Joseph Uraco.*



May 17, 2022 at 09:37 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of the passing of Joe. Worked with him 18 years at Sledd Co., many memories, say hey to George and Carolyn, RIP. Teresa and family*

Teresa Ritchea - May 17, 2022 at 01:29 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of John Joseph Uraco.*



May 17, 2022 at 12:33 PM



“ *Lynn & Family:*

Please accept my condolences on the passing of John.

Dave Diegmiller

Dave Diegmiller - May 17, 2022 at 12:21 PM



“ 119 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Grisell Funeral Homes - May 17, 2022 at 10:00 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness* was purchased for the family of John Joseph Uraco.

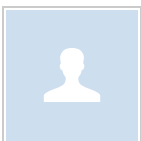


May 17, 2022 at 06:28 AM



“ *Many prayers for comfort* lifted up for all of the family

Robert J Hughes - May 17, 2022 at 05:07 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of John Joseph Uraco.



May 16, 2022 at 09:34 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of John Joseph Uraco.*



May 16, 2022 at 08:51 PM



“ *Solar Angel Statue to Send as Unique Sympathy Gift Remembrance was purchased for the family of John Joseph Uraco.*



May 16, 2022 at 07:09 PM



“ *Our sincere condolences to Lynn and Wayne and family. John will be truly missed. We always looked forward to John's bacon breakfast at our yearly mountain cabin family retreat. Hugs and prayers to you.*

Mark & Brenda Winters

Mark Winters - May 16, 2022 at 06:44 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John Joseph Uraco.*



May 16, 2022 at 05:27 PM

TC

“ *The Cappellari's purchased the Serenity Wreath for the family of John Joseph Uraco.*



The Cappellari's - May 16, 2022 at 04:44 PM

DA

“ *My sincere and humble condolences to the family and friends of John. Denny Albaugh*

Dennis R. Albaugh - May 16, 2022 at 02:03 PM

MH

So sorry Lynn and Wayne. A lot of good memories of John at our bank outings. 🙏👼

Mary Helen - May 16, 2022 at 08:21 PM