



Raymond "John" Terek

December 6, 1944 - January 31, 2025

Raymond "John" Terek, 80 of Moundsville, died Friday, January 31, 2025 in WVU Reynolds Memorial Hospital.

He was born December 6, 1944 in Wheeling, WV; the son of the late John and Viola Anne (Golein) Terek.

John was a retired fireman, having served as fire chief from the Moundsville Fire Department; US Army Vietnam War veteran; member of Messiah Lutheran Church, VFW 437, Moose 1087, Earl Francis Post 3 American Legion, Eagles 499; loved fishing, bowling and golf; USBC (US Bowling Congress); and a WBA Hall of Fame member.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by one son, Robert "Bobby" Terek; and one brother, Paul S. Terek.

Survivors include his wife of 57 years, Sandra L. Holmes Terek; one son, Douglas (Angela) Terek of Moundsville; three grandchildren, Jessica (Chad) Wilson, Amanda (Dallas) Rine, and Jimmy Nixon; three great-grandchildren, Conner Wilson, Clara Wilson, and Riley Rine; one brother, Roy (Karen) Terek of Brookside, OH; one sister, Betty Fluharty of Moundsville; several nieces and nephews.

Family will receive friends Tuesday from 2pm until the time of service at 4pm at Grisell Funeral Home and Crematory, 400 Jefferson Ave., Moundsville with Pastor Devin Ames officiating and the Moundsville Honor Guard conducting Military services.

Private interment will be held in Riverview Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Wounded Warriors Project,
woundedwarriorproject.org.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 4. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home - Moundsville
400 Jefferson Ave
Moundsville, WV 26041
(304) 845-0400
<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>

Funeral Service

FEB 4. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Grisell Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Raymond "John" Terek*



Grisell Funeral Homes - February 03, 2025 at 11:12 AM

SS

My husband Ed worked with John at fire dept. Told Ed but he has Parkinson's so not sure he remembered. Prayers for family

SHIRLEY STILWELL - February 03, 2025 at 10:05 PM

MG

“ *Melinda Grandstaff lit a candle in memory of Raymond "John" Terek*



Melinda Grandstaff - February 04, 2025 at 04:57 PM

PR

“ *Sandy,
I'm very sorry to hear of the passing of your husband.
Pat Roper*

Pat Roper - February 04, 2025 at 01:33 PM



“ *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 Raymond Terek, 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 Army Veteran, Raymond Terek, 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 - February 04, 2025 at 10:04 AM



“ *Had many good times with John and will enjoy the memories made. Fun guy to be around. My sincere condolences to Sandy, Doug and his family.*

Gary Cunningham - February 03, 2025 at 08:48 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Raymond "John" Terek.*



February 03, 2025 at 07:13 PM

JK

“ Doug,
Sorry about your father. My thoughts and sympathy are with you,
your mom, and the rest of your dad's family and friends

Jay Knapp - February 03, 2025 at 06:12 PM



“ I am so sorry for your loss.

Lori Henderson - February 03, 2025 at 02:49 PM

FS

“ From. Alicia & George Schuster planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in
honor of Raymond "John" Terek.

From. Alicia & George Schuster - February 03, 2025 at 01:01 PM

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“ From. Alicia & George Schuster purchased the S
erene Retreat for the family of Raymond "John"
Terek.



From. Alicia & George Schuster - February 03, 2025 at 01:01
PM



“ 92 files added to the album LifeTributes



Grisell Funeral Homes - February 03, 2025 at 10:57 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Raymond "John" Terek.

February 03, 2025 at 10:11 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Raymond "John" Terek.



February 03, 2025 at 10:11 AM



“ Buddy & Terri Blake lit a candle in memory of Raymond "John" Terek



Buddy & Terri Blake - February 03, 2025 at 09:39 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Raymond "John" Terek.



February 03, 2025 at 08:09 AM



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

Dennis R Albaugh - February 02, 2025 at 07:55 PM



“ Boy will we miss John. John was one of the really good guys . Golfing, fishing, bowling, John always made us laugh. And, his choice of songs to sing were always perfect. He and Sandy were the perfect couple. Condolences to John's family and especially to the only woman in his life, Sandy

Karen Fabry - February 02, 2025 at 07:01 PM



“ Remember working with him, in the Grove bowling lane as we where young . Jim Gray.



Karen Gray - February 02, 2025 at 04:51 PM