



Thomas, John

March 16, 2011

Thomas, John R., age 80, of Fourth Street, New Martinsville, WV, died Wednesday, March 16, 2011 at Camden Clark Memorial Hospital, Parkersburg, WV.

He was born July 24, 1930 in Wetzel County, WV, the son of the late John and Lillian Smith Thomas.

John was a retired rolling mill worker at Consolidated Aluminum in Hannibal, Ohio; a member of Bridge Street Church of Christ in New Martinsville; Moose Lodge #931 and American Legion Post 28, both of New Martinsville; VFW Post 6327 in Sistersville, WV; and a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean War.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Harold Thomas; a daughter, Crystal Barker; and three brothers, Jim Smith, Ralph Thomas and Joe Thomas.

Survivors include his wife of 58 years, Wilda Blake Thomas; a son, Rickie (Kay) Thomas of Proctor, WV; five grandchildren, Jason, Jeremy, Jessica, Lacy and Kendra; six great grandchildren; and a sister-in-law, Ada Cooper of Dover, Ohio.

Family will receive friends on Friday from 6-9pm and also on Saturday from 2-4 and 6-9pm at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 751 Third Street, New Martinsville, where funeral services will be held on Sunday at 2:00pm.

Interment in Greenlawn Memorial Park, New Martinsville, where the Honor

Guard of Sistersville, Paden City and New Martinsville will conduct military graveside services.

Memorial contributions may be made to Bridge Street Church of Christ, 1139 Bridge Street, New Martinsville, WV 26155.

Tribute Wall

BB

“ Wilda, Rick and family, We are so sorry about John's passing. Keeping you in our thoughts and prayers, praying that God watches over all of you. xo

Bill and Pam Shockley, Joyce Brown - March 20, 2011 at 03:33 PM

DV

“ So sorry to hear about John. Sympathy & prayers are with you and your family.

Don & Lou Ann Virden - March 19, 2011 at 01:37 PM

JE

“ Please know we are thinking of you and your family at this time. And we offer our condolences and prayers to you. John will be surely missed. Dickie and Gail

JR and Gail Estep - March 17, 2011 at 10:44 PM

LM

“ i was so sorry to read about John's death. He was a good person and will be missed by us. I know its so hard on you losing three loved one's in so short of time.

lloyd miller - March 17, 2011 at 03:23 PM

JM

“ Our sympathies and condolences, at this sad time. Our prayers are with you. Joe and Judy

Joseph s. Morris - March 17, 2011 at 09:50 AM