



## John Joseph Manigault

August 21, 1932 - November 28, 2021

John Joseph Manigault was born Sunday, August 21, 1932, in Harrisburg, PA, son of the late Joseph F. Manigault and the late Beulah (Grayson) Manigault.

A graduate of the former William Penn High School, John pursued higher educational endeavors at Harrisburg Area Community College where he received an Associate's Degree. He served his country honorably in the United States Army during the Korean War. Upon completion of his military tour of duty, John returned to the states proficient in speaking three different languages.

John's employment and professional path included employment at the former Homestead Air Force Base, Middletown, PA; retirement from Dauphin County Transportation; and lastly, YMCA's Marcus Garvey Program where he taught the youth Black History. He was united in Christian fellowship with Bethel A.M.E. Church, Harrisburg.

John's community and civic affiliations included American Legion, Post 733, serving as Past Commander and District Commander, State of Pennsylvania; Chosen Friends 43 DDGM of International Freemasonry; and Alumni of William Penn High School Tigers. John served as Treasurer of the Laurel Towers Action Committee. He resided at Laurel Towers for the past twenty years and developed many longtime friendships while acquiring many

extended family members.

John was a seafood connoisseur. He loved to travel to Maryland; he would just say, "Let's go." He really enjoyed his lobster, crabs and shrimp. Among his other hobbies and special interests were sharing his wisdom with his children and grandchildren, listening to jazz, dancing, playing pinochle, bingo, travelling, hunting and fishing. As a result of sharing his fishing expertise, many of his grandsons became great fishermen. A self-sufficient, great-thinker, John was always formulating a master plan to generate revenue.

At his Harrisburg home, on Sunday, November 28, 2021, John Joseph Manigault departed this life at eighty-nine years of age. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Jayne Anne Manigault.

John leaves to mourn and fondly remember his life two sisters, Ora Manigault (eldest) and Beulah Bass, both of Harrisburg, PA; brother, George Manigault of Philadelphia, PA; daughters, Denise Manigault, Joanna Palmer, Joy Carter, Monica Harden (Mike Wilds), Lisa Harden, Frances Lopez; sons, John Palmer, Jonathan Palmer; his second wife, Marie Manigault, and her children whom he helped to raise, Eddie Harbison, Chris Harbison, Vince Harbison, Robert Harbison and Harriet Harbison. John's life will also be lovingly remembered and cherished by his sons and daughters (in-love), Stephen Tysinger, Annette White, Stacy Myers, Brian "Julio" Belicki; thirteen grandchildren, twenty-five great-grandchildren, four great-great-grandchildren, godchild, Trina McDade, as well as a host of nieces, nephews, other family members and friends.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CLICK ON THE SHARE A MEMORY TAB TO POST VIDEOS, SHARE MEMORIES, CONDOLENCES, REFLECTIONS OR SIMPLY YOUR NAME.

CLICK ON THE PHOTOS & VIDEOS ON-LINE STREAMING OF SERVICE  
TAB OR MEDIA TAB (MOBILE) AND TRIBUTE WEBCAST TO VIEW  
SERVICE.

# Cemetery Details

## Indiantown Gap National

Indiantown Gap Road  
Anville, PA 17003

# Previous Events

## Flower Delivery

DEC 9. 8:30 AM (ET)

Wallace Funeral Directors Inc.  
106 Agnes St  
Harrisburg, PA 17104  
(717) 939-9950  
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<https://www.wallacefuneraldirectorsinc.com>

## Viewing

DEC 9. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Service

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DEC 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *View and Download the Funeral Program*

Wallace Funeral Directors - April 08, 2022 at 02:29 PM



“ *Wallace Funeral Directors created a Webcast in memory of John Joseph Manigault*



Wallace Funeral Directors - December 08, 2021 at 05:17 PM

BW

*To The Entire John Joseph Manigault Families, my prayers, condolences; he will be missed, always saying smart things to me in Fun. Rest in peace my friend, you certainly will be missed.*

Barbara A Walker - December 10, 2021 at 07:52 AM

FW

“ *To Mr. J. Smooth family, with heartfelt sympathy and prayers for this beautiful family. Your dad was the man, nice person inside and out. Blessings...*



Frances Waters - December 11, 2021 at 08:23 PM

LH

*Thank you so much*

Lisa Harden - February 18, 2022 at 07:08 AM

ST

“ Steven Tisinger sent a virtual gift in memory of John Joseph Manigault



Steven tisinger - December 09, 2021 at 12:13 PM

ST

“ My dad always told me i had an old soul so mad i wasnt able to make it i can hear him say stevie j he will truely be missed he not suffering any more he is in the heavenly gates ima miss you dad tell mom and chena i said i miss dem to

Steven tisinger - December 09, 2021 at 12:13 PM

CN

“ My Condolences and Prayers of Comfort. I have fond Memories from childhood. He was well known, well Loved and Respected. May He Rest In Gods Everlasting Peace. Be Strong Loved Ones. From Crystal Newkirk & Woodward Family



Crystal Newkirk - December 08, 2021 at 10:20 PM

GW

“ My thoughts and prayers are extended to Joe's family who was a very friendly, caring person. He loved is family dearly as well as Post 733 and Bethel Church. God Bless and be with each of you.

Gwen Williams  
Towson, MD

Gwen Williams - December 08, 2021 at 04:20 PM

ST

*Thank you*

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**Steven tisinger** - December 09, 2021 at 12:07 PM

ST

*Thank you*

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**Steven tisinger** - December 09, 2021 at 12:07 PM

SR

*My condolences and prayers to the Family*

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**Sheryl Rain-Offer** - December 17, 2021 at 07:59 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of John Joseph Manigault.*



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December 08, 2021 at 09:42 AM

DR

“ *My heartfelt sympathy to the family. Continue to cherish your memories.*



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**Dawn Reeves** - December 07, 2021 at 11:16 PM

GK

“ To: The Entire Family of Mr. Joe Smooth,

*We have so many good memories of Mr. Joe. He was a Good Man. He was a man you could easily approach and talk too and with. He gave so much of his time and his treasures to Post 733, the people of Harrisburg and his family.*

*When he found out that my sister, Barbara, and I were from Alabama, he gave us a nick name, Low Land. He would welcome us into is present by announcing “Low Land in the House.” I can still here him saying “Low Land in the House.”*

*Mr. Joe’s Family, we are still in the house and we are asking God to give each of you the comfort and strength that you needs in the days, weeks and months ahead as you remember Mr. Joe.*

*Our Deepest Condolences,*

*Gloria King-Cobb, Barbara Williams and Our Families*

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**Gloria King-Cobb** - December 07, 2021 at 09:58 PM

ST

*Thank you we appreciate you*

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**Steven tisinger** - December 09, 2021 at 12:08 PM

RP

“ *Rebecca Price lit a candle in memory of John Joseph Manigault*



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**Rebecca Price** - December 07, 2021 at 07:17 PM

RP

*My deepest condolences to the family. Your dad treated me like family. Truly a friend to me my buddy I thank God for his friendship and words of wisdom a beautiful bless man he was may god give you peace and comfort. Thanks for sharing your dad*

Rebecca Price - December 07, 2021 at 07:24 PM

NI

“ To our Family,

*I will truly miss my Uncle Joe. He has touched many heart & souls in his 89 years. He would always make me laugh when I was around him I want to say THANK YOU TO HIS CHILDREN who took care of him during his long illness, & making sure you took him to wherever he needed or wanted to go no matter how near or far. You all did a heck of a job. I also want to thank his Drs., caregivers, & all who had a part of taking care of him. We all will stick together and be there for each other through & after this difficult time. I thank GOD & pray for extra strength, healing, & comfort for all of our family & love ones. Love you all!!!!!!*

*Cookie & Family*

Niece - December 07, 2021 at 09:24 AM



MH

*THANK YOU SO MUCH COOKIE AND FAMILY YOUR COUSIN MONICA AND FAMILY AND WE ALL LOVE YOU ALL THANKS AGAIN*

Moni Harden - December 07, 2021 at 11:14 AM

TW

“ To the Family my deepest condolences. May God continue to shower his blessings on you.

Theresa A Wise - December 07, 2021 at 08:38 AM

LH

“ *Condolences to the family*

linda henderson - December 07, 2021 at 07:03 AM



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



December 07, 2021 at 06:44 AM

HW

“ *My Heart, Peace and Blessings go out to the Family. “Joe Smooth” a Man with all your earthly answers, always willing to help anyone...RIP...*

H. M. Wadley - December 07, 2021 at 06:42 AM

WP

“ *William J Pillgreen lit a candle in memory of John Joseph Manigault*



william j pillgreen - December 06, 2021 at 09:20 PM

SG

*Prayers 🙏 and Condolences from Sarah Guider-Robinson & Family.*

Sarah Guider-Robinson - December 07, 2021 at 03:22 AM