



Mr. John Alan Spivey

November 22, 1946 - October 22, 2012

John Alan Spivey

“O give thanks unto the Lord; for he is good; because His mercy endureth forever.”

Psalms 118:1

John Alan Spivey, second of seven children, was born November 22, 1946, in Louisburg, North Carolina, to Elizabeth Malone Spivey and the late Jimmie Spivey.

John was a graduate of Riverside High School, Louisburg. He then joined the United States Army and served active duty in the Vietnam War. After serving in the military, he moved back to Louisburg where he worked for Bishop Upholstery in Raleigh, North Carolina.

He relocated to Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, in 1978, where he was employed by the New Cumberland Army Depot. He left the Depot in 1987, and started his own upholstery business, “Spivey’s Enterprises.” John designed, rebuilt, refurnished and upholstered all types of furniture. He also upholstered boats, cars and trucks. John had great love and pride for his work and finished each piece to perfection. He gave God all the glory, honor and praise for his gifts and talents. John was also employed by G4S Secure solutions until he retired

in 2010. John was a hardworking man and put in a lot of long hours until his health failed.

In 1991, John joined The First Baptist Church of Steelton under the pastorate of Rev. Dr. W. Braxton Cooley Sr. He truly loved the Lord and his church serving proudly and faithfully as a member of the Trustee Board, Charles Donahue Male Chorus and Senior Usher Ministry. It was while serving the Lord John met Joyce, and on August 19, 2001, they were joined in holy matrimony.

John enjoyed gardening, landscaping, home improvements, cooking, baking, "eating," and entertaining family and friends. He also loved spending quality time with his grandchildren and great-grandchildren. They could always put a smile on their Pop-Pop's face and make him laugh.

On Monday, October 22, 2012, Trustee John Alan Spivey passed from labor to reward joining his father, Jimmie Spivey Sr. and his brother, Jimmie Spivey Jr.

In addition to his mother, John leaves to honor his legacy of faith and integrity his devoted wife, Joyce A. Spivey; his three sons, Troy Durant Spivey Sr., John Spivey, Brian Cobb and his wife Tracy; his daughter, Tierna Henry and her husband Mark; his siblings, Carrie Spivey of Wake Forest, NC, James Spivey of Chapel Hill, NC, Queen Wilkens and her husband James of Louisburg, NC, Barbara Ann Spivey of Louisburg, Sheila Frasier and her husband Barry of Harrisburg; ten grandchildren, Troy Jr., Devontay, Kimani, Quinton, Jaleesa, Blair, Mark II, Justin, Sade and Makayla; four great-grandchildren, Domantay, Vontay, Shaina and Noah; a host of nieces, nephews, other family members and friends.

Giving God all Glory, Honor and Praise, Submitted by the Family

As John would always say,
“God Is An Awesome God.”

Cemetery Details

Rolling Green Cemetery

1811 Carlisle Road
Camp Hill, PA 17011

Tribute Wall



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. John Alan Spivey.*



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“ *My sincere condolences to the entire Spivey family. John- I love you and I'm here if you need me.*

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“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. John Alan Spivey.*



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