



Mr. John Thomas Jr.

December 1, 2013

John, affectionately known as “Jay” by family and friends, was born in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, on Wednesday, March 25, 1953, to the union of John Thomas Sr. and Ella Hawkins Thomas.

Jay received his formal education in the Steelton School District. His employment history included Bethlehem Steel Corporation, Fruehauf Trucking and Three-Mile Island Nuclear Power Plant before starting his own business, Jay’s Hauling Service. Professionally, he was a member of Local Union No. 1180, Health and Welfare.

Jay loved his family and helping others through his business. He was an avid horseracing fan as well as a football and basketball fan.

At his residence in Harrisburg, on Sunday, December 1, 2013, Jay peacefully transitioned into eternal life. He was predeceased by his parents, John and Ella Thomas; and on November 15, 2013, he was predeceased by his sister, Mrs. Brenda Boulware.

John D. Thomas Jr. leaves to cherish many special memories a son, John McClendon; niece, Stacey Dawson; devoted cousins, Laura Taylor and James Hawkins Jr.; a lifelong friend, Nancy McClendon; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

In All Things, We Give Thanks! Submitted by Stacey Dawson, John McClendon and Family

A Memorial Celebration will be held at 7 p.m., Friday, December 6th, at Wallace Funeral Directors with visitation from 6 to 7 p.m. and interment at the convenience of the family.

Tribute Wall

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“ *I'm sorry for your loss. Death is such a hateful and ugly event. But God's words in the Bible give us future hope at Isaiah 25:8 where HE promises to wipe away our tears and swallow up death forever. May you find comfort from God's words in the Bible.*

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