



John J.J. Jackson

February 6, 1948 - September 27, 2011

Visitation for John J.J. Jackson, 63, of Kankakee, will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday at the Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, west Kankakee, where funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday. The Rev. Andy Anthony will officiate.

Burial will be in Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery, Elwood. Memorials may be made to the family wishes. He died Tuesday (Sept. 27, 2011) at his home.

Mr. Jackson was an employee of Federal Signal Corp. in University Park, had been a heating and air conditioning instructor at Kankakee Community College and had also worked for McConnell Refrigeration. He was born Feb. 6, 1948, in Camden, N.J., the son of John and Agnes Sammons Jackson. He was a graduate of Bradley-Bourbonnais Community High School, served in the U.S. Navy in Vietnam and was a member of the Masonic Lodge and Kankakee VFW. He enjoyed grilling, cooking and golfing.

Surviving are his wife, Janice L. Jackson, whom he married May 16, 1981, in Phoenix, Ariz.; one son and daughter-in-law, Jacob and Kristin Jackson, of Bourbonnais; one daughter and son-in-law, Janel and Josh Johnson, of Bourbonnais; two grandchildren, Kode Johnson and Laila Jackson; and one sister, Pat Walsh, of Kankakee.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Cemetery Details

Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 Hoff Road
Elwood, IL 60421

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **29**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home
1480 W. Court St.
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 932-1214
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Funeral Service

SEP **30**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

LM

“ *Janice. We are so sad for you and family.
May God cradle You in HIS arms as JJ
looks down with Love and Blessings.
His Goodness & Happiness were like
Super Glue. Once He touched you, it
was with you forever.
We Praise God for JJ's Life, Goodness
& Faithfulness to GOD, Family, Friends
& Country...
His Presence will be sorely missed.
His memories will remain Forever.....*

With Christian Love, Blessings, Hugs & Tears.

*Lee Jay & Linda Martin
(X-FedSig) Momence,IL*

Lee Jay Martin/Linda B. Martin Momence, - September 30, 2011 at 10:42 AM



“ *John always made me laugh!! Him and Janice would come to the
vfw on Friday nights and his smiling face always made my night! you
will be missed greatly. my thoughts and prayers go out to the family.
Michelle West (John's favorite waitress from vfw)*

Michelle West - September 29, 2011 at 08:36 AM

JC

“ *John. You always made me laugh!!! I will miss you greatly especially
your sense of humor. To Janice, Jake, and Janel (and family's) you
are in my prayers and thoughts always. Love you all*

Jeanne Chick - September 29, 2011 at 05:29 AM

LN

“ *John may you rest in peace. May you continue to watch over your family who will miss your laughter, your smile, and your loving touch. You will be missed by all.*



Lezlee Newman - September 28, 2011 at 09:57 PM

JJ

“ *Jeffrey Johnson lit a candle in memory of John J.J. Jackson*



Jeffrey Johnson - September 28, 2011 at 08:27 PM

JJ

“ *Janice, Jake and Janel,
I am so sorry for your loss. In the years that I have known John I never heard him say a bad word about anyone. He was such a great man with a laugh you couldn't help but to laugh along with him. I will never forget the last couple of years being invited over for John's;s grilling and being able to share Father's Day together.
You will be missed my friend.
Jeff Johnson*

Jeffrey A. Johnson - September 28, 2011 at 08:12 PM

MB

“ *Mary Pat Taylor Barney lit a candle in memory of John J.J. Jackson*



Mary Pat Taylor Barney - September 28, 2011 at 02:04 PM

DL

*John, I passed you a few days ago in your truck. I slowed down and rolled my window down so we could do the "Rolling Catch Up". We talked for about 1000 feet, at 10 miles per hour. I never thought our Good buy and Thumbs up, would be our last. Janice, Janel and Jake, We Love You! Our heart are with you in this very sad time. He is a great Dad and Friend to all who knew him. We love you.
Durwood & Debbie Larsen*

Durwood Larsen - September 29, 2011 at 08:49 PM

MB

“ *We went to St. Pat's Grade School together and a year at St. Pat's Central.....we were hoping you were coming to the 45th class reunion for the Class of '66 from Bishop Mac! We had a wonderful time with you the last reunion you shared with us! You will be missed, John! God Bless you and your family.....Mary Pat Taylor Barney*

Mary Pat Taylor Barney - September 28, 2011 at 02:02 PM

JH

“ *Janel and Family*
We are saddened to hear of the passing of John. Though I didn't know him well he impressed me as being a great guy! I know he will be missed by all that knew him!
We will say a prayer John and your family.
Johnny & Jean Holt



Johnny Holt - September 28, 2011 at 12:48 PM

JR

“ *Jennifer Rivera lit a candle in memory of John J.J. Jackson*



Jennifer Rivera - September 28, 2011 at 12:34 PM

JR

Your Family will be in my Prayers.

Jennifer Rivera - September 28, 2011 at 12:34 PM

AL

“ *I'll always remember john by coming into the bank and being such a sweet man, always saying i love you to his daughter janel, He will be dearly missed by all.He always had a smile on his face, and a laugh you would never forget*
Ashley Paquette



Ashley L'Ecuyer-paquette - September 28, 2011 at 12:32 PM

LE

“ *Lianne Egan lit a candle in memory of John J.J. Jackson*



Lianne Egan - September 28, 2011 at 11:06 AM

KV

“ *My sincerest condolences to John's family. I will always remember John's sense of humor, his sweet side, and his laugh....his laugh will forever echo in my mind. Godspeed John....you will be missed. You were a dear friend to our family for many many years.*
Kathie VanTassel Grazis

Kathie VanTassel-Grazis - September 28, 2011 at 08:47 AM