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FRAZEYSBURG – John J. Gilkes, Jr., 52, of Worthington, Ohio died Monday morning, July 25, 2011 at The Inn At Sharonbrook in Newark, Ohio.

Born June 17, 1959 in East Liverpool, Ohio he was the son of the late John J. Gilkes, Sr. and Shirley (Moran) Gilkes and was a graduate of Beaver Local High School. Mr. Gilkes was a member of the Order of Moose and attended the Perry Chapel Baptist Church. He was employed as a powdercoat painter with the Liebert Corporation of Worthington.

Surviving is one sister, Janie (Robert) Clifford of Frazeyburg; four nieces, Jamie Luckeydoo, Lacey Clifford, Courtney Clifford and Hayley Clifford and a great niece and great nephew, Addelynn and Brett Clifford.

Calling hours will be 6 to 8pm Wednesday, July 27, 2011 at the Frazeyburg Chapel of Vensil-Orr & Chute Funeral Home, 110 West Third Street.

Funeral services will be 1:30pm Thursday, July 28, 2011 at the funeral home with Pastor David Fowls officiating. Burial will be in Perry Chapel Baptist Church Cemetery.



Tribute Wall

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KM

Karen Miller posted:

Dear Janie, I am so sorry for the loss of your brother, John. He was one of my favorite childhood friends. We played football with Mark Merriman, Anthony Greco, etc. John always made me laugh! He will be missed.

August 11 at 5:45 AM

AY

Anthony Yanni posted:

There are no words to express the sadness that we feel for the loss of our lifetime friend. I am so thankful I spoke with John the Friday before he passed it was great to hear his voice, I had no idea it would be the last word we would share. Our thoughts and prayers are with each person's life that John touched. Forever in our memories. Anthony Yanni and family

July 28 at 5:12 AM



Anonymous posted:

Janie & family, thinking of you at this time it has been many years. So very sorry about the loss of John. May he rest in peace with your Mom & Dad. Fran Cowey, Chester, WV

July 28 at 2:49 AM



Anonymous posted:

I am speechless about the loss of John. He was a dear friend of mine and our family. Love Donna Utz Mobley.

July 27 at 4:03 PM

FC

Frank Crane posted:

Rest in peace my friend I will miss you.

July 27 at 3:45 PM

RF

Roger Flores posted:

Johnny-B. U were a friend I could trust I mad U laugh, & U let me be me. Always in my thoughts, may the good Lord Jessis be with U now!

July 27 at 3:38 PM



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Anonymous posted:

I had the pleasure of watching you while your parents went out for the evening. I am saddened by your passing. My condolences to your sister Jane Sincerely, Carole Reese Linville

July 27 at 2:27 PM



Jeff Yanni posted:

Im saddened by your passing John we had some great times as kids you will be missed my friend.

July 27 at 9:47 AM



Gail Deel posted:

Johnny, I'll miss you so much! You were always happy and in great spirits. And when I visited you just a few weeks ago, you made me laugh and smile as usual. You were a great friend, and I will miss you terribly Buddy! -Gail

July 27 at 8:39 AM



Robert Blestedell posted:

john i miss you already you had an up beat out look and a people personlity it was an hourer and prevlidge to have konw you

July 26 at 5:33 PM



Bob And Pat Trotter posted:

Dear Janie, So sorry to hear of John's passing. Just can't hardly believe it as it doesn't seem so long ago he was in second grade. Our love and sympathy go out to you and the family and we will pray that God will strengthen you in this time of sadness.

July 26 at 10:23 AM



Carrie (Kellogg) Mckinney posted:

Johnny, SO many fun memories!! I'll miss your great big smile and those huge bear hugs! You will not be forgotten. Rest in peace my friend.

July 26 at 9:07 AM



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KB

Kellie Birch posted:

Jayne,I was saddened to hear of John's passing.He was a good man.Time has a nasty habit of slipping away to quickly; for those we love; passes in a blink of an eye.My thoughts and prayers are to you and your family. My deepest sympathy..

July 26 at 7:33 AM



Anonymous posted:

John, it seems like yesterday when we went to the beach, you always had a big smile and a heart-warming laugh. The trip to Wheeling downs was unforgettable; make sure you say hi to my son Chris after you reunite with your parents. I will miss our friendship, laughs, fishing trips, and football gets together. Take care my friend,rest in peace, and remember go "Bucks". Love Joe and familyWesterville Ohio

July 26 at 7:21 AM

CE

Chuck Elliott posted:

I went to school and graduated with John. He was always a good guy. Myself and the graduating class of 1978 were so sorry to hear of your loss. The thoughts of many are with you at this time of sorrow. He will be dearly missed, and we hope the memories can help as it will for us.

July 26 at 6:33 AM

CC

Cheryl Coalmer posted:

Jayne: Just saw this in the E. Liverpool Review. My sympathies to you and your family. God Bless. Cheryl

July 26 at 4:39 AM

DC

David Christenson posted:

Rest in peace, will remember & miss you.

July 26 at 3:44 AM



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Jeff Yanni posted:

rest in peace John you will be missed thanks for the call had no idea.

July 26 at 3:19 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring John by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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