



# John R. Butler

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**J**ohn R. Butler, 76 of Crooksville died Sunday November 17, 2024 at Genesis Healthcare following an auto accident.

He was born August 17, 1948 in Zanesville to John Roy and Nancy (Wheeler) Butler.

He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Etta K. (Hammer) Butler; four sons, Gary (Laraine) Butler of Zanesville, Doug (Allison) Butler of Dresden, Todd Butler of New Lexington, Jeremy (Stephanie) Butler of Roseville; eleven grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren.

He was devoted to his family, friends and community as was evident in every action and every word. He enjoyed performing with the Rusty Knights, was an avid fan of the Buckeyes, enjoyed the outdoors and playing cards with friends and family.

He will be deeply missed but remembered as a man of kindness, humor and a great inquisitive mind. His legacy lives on in the hearts of those who loved him.

A celebration of John's life is scheduled for January 4th from 12 p.m. to 3 pm at Prophets Park, 2560 Old River Road, Zanesville, OH 43701.

In lieu of flowers the family requests memorial contributions to the American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 7023, Merrifield, VA 22116-7023 or [diabetes.org](http://diabetes.org)



## Tribute Wall

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DL

**Dave Lowe** posted:

I am so very sorry to hear of John's passing. We grew up across the street from each other. He was a good friend to me.

November 25 at 2:33 PM

CL

**Cindy Weiser (Lowe)** posted:

Condolences to the Butler family. My brother Dave and I knew Johnny when we lived on West Main St. hadn't seen him in years was so sorry to hear of his passing. Have thought about him often.to his family.

November 25 at 4:34 AM

JG

**Jerry Gibson** posted:

Good friend and many fond memories. He will be missed.

November 25 at 2:57 AM

DG

**Donna Siemer Gabbard** posted:

My sincere sympathy to all of the Butler family. You are in my prayers.

November 24 at 4:13 PM

MS

**Michelle And Bill Shultzman** posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. I have great memories of my teenage years with Gary and the Butler family. So very sorry for your loss.

November 24 at 2:14 AM

NK

**Nancy And Fred Killian** posted:

Our Deepest Sympathy and thoughts and prayers Etta to you and the boys. Love you friend ❤️

November 23 at 6:48 PM



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CB

**Carmen Baker** posted:

Etta, I am so sorry for your loss. Worked many year with John at Good Sam. Prayers and hugs to your family.Carmen and Marvin

November 23 at 3:06 PM

AD

**Anita Dickson** posted:

Etta, I am so sorry for your loss. John was a wonderful man. Thinking of you and the boys and their families.

November 23 at 10:17 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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