



John Lawrence Warwick, Jr.

March 31, 2011

Graveside services for John Lawrence Warwick, Jr., 81, will be held at 2:00 p.m. Sunday, April 3, 2011 at Magnolia Cemetery. The Rev. Tom Pietila will officiate. Brown-Pennington-Atkins Funeral Home is serving the family. Memorials may be made to the McLeod Hospice House, 1203 East Cheves St., Florence SC 29506.

Mr. Warwick died Thursday, March 31, 2011. Born in Marlboro, Co., SC, he was a son of the late J. Lawrence and Beulah Dial Warwick. He was a member of Wesley United Methodist Church and the Kenneth Kuehner Sunday School Class. He attended Wake Forest University and was a graduate of Limestone College. He worked in the personnel and labor relations field for over 35 years and was the retired Human Resources Director for the city of Greenville, SC.

Surviving are his wife, Joyce Collins Warwick of Hartsville, SC; daughters and sons-in-law, Anne and Richard Hembree of Campobello, SC, Jan and Robert Stenhouse of Greenville, SC, Fran W. Emmel of Greenville, SC; grandchildren, Bradley Hembree, Lauren Hembree, Davin Emmel, Joslyn Emmel, Collin Emmel; sister, Lenora Saleeby.

Tribute Wall



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“ To the Warwick family, I am sad to hear of John's passing. I wish I could have known about his passing when it happened. John was my uncle and his father was my grandfather.
Love to all Kenneth Warwick Gray

Kenneth Gray - December 25, 2013 at 10:36 PM



“ Daddy,
Yesterday was April 14th. A year ago you were first diagnosed with cancer. You had had so much to deal with since September of 2010. I know you know Mother was weepy yesterday. She is having her ups and downs ... as we all are. Know, Daddy, that we are continuing to keep the promise we made to take care of Mother. I will be with her this weekend. Fran will be spending her Spring Break with her. The azaleas are blooming and the pollen is thick. The whole world is clothing itself in flowers and the promise of new life. You have showed us that dying is a part of living. While it is a marvelous time to be in God's Magnificent creation here on Earth, you, Daddy, are now experiencing life in a place we can only imagine. What could be better than where we are right now? My brain cannot wrap around this idea. But, I am firm in the knowledge that you, Daddy, are free, healthy, pain-free, hearing-restored, and glorying in the mind-boggling home God prepared for you ... that is just right ... and special ... and welcoming ... and a GOOD PLACE that surpasses your WILDEST IMAGINATION. Bless the Lord, for his provisions and watchcare. You are a child of God, Daddy, and are being tenderly embraced in your new home. We are OK. We look to see you ... in the blink of an eye. love, Jan###imported-begin##Jan Warwick Stenhouse##imported-end##

April 15, 2011 at 07:03 AM



“ *Daddy, you always got us all set up at Lake Arrowhead. You made sure we were safe. When you knew we were okay, you went home. You just did it again. Daddy, I miss you.##imported-begin##Fran##imported-end##*

April 14, 2011 at 09:00 PM



“ *Joyce I am so grateful for our visit together just three weeks ago. What an amazing couple you and Lawrence still are! You know where I am and I will continue to be right here as long as I can, too. Sending much love and prayers to you, Janice##imported-begin##Janice Morris##imported-end##*

April 07, 2011 at 07:05 PM



“ *Please know that your family is in my thoughts and prayers. The next several days, weeks, and months may be tough, but know that there are friends who care and will offer spiritual support. Concentrate on the good times, the fun and pleasant memories, and know that your loved one will always be with you. May God care for you and bring you peace!*

*Love,
Deborah P. Collins##imported-begin##Deborah Pitts
Collins##imported-end##*

April 06, 2011 at 10:58 PM



“ *What a beautiful expression of a family's love. It is inspiring.##imported-begin##Rebecca T. Greene##imported-end##*

April 06, 2011 at 03:44 PM



“ Dear Jan and Fran,
I am so sorry to hear of your Dad's passing. I know how that feels, especially since my Dad died of cancer also. It's so hard to let go, but hold on to your faith and know that he is now at peace and happy. You'll see him again!

My prayers are with you now as you heal. Take care of your dear Mom, for her heart is broken. May God bless your families with love.

Betsy Meccia

Surfside Beach, SC##imported-begin##Betsy Meccia##imported-end##

April 06, 2011 at 03:07 PM



“ Jan and Family,
I have been thinking and praying for you and your precious family as you have travelled the rocky road of health difficulties with your father for some time now. Please know you will continue to be in my thoughts and prayers as your grief heals. May your sweet memories comfort you as God's love and grace console your heart.

Lots of love,

Sheila Dobbins##imported-begin##Sheila Dobbins##imported-end##

April 06, 2011 at 02:24 PM



“ To Jan...

May God wrap His loving and most comforting arms around your mother and all of DADDY'S girls and their families as each of you heals from the hurt of losing this wonderful husband, Dad, Grandfather, and Friend.##imported-begin##Nancy Pace##imported-end##

April 06, 2011 at 10:35 AM



“ We are so sorry to hear of your loss and we wish you peace and comfort through coming days. You continue to be in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##James and Liz Myers##imported-end##

April 05, 2011 at 10:40 PM



“ Daddy, I think cancer is a MEAN disease, but you were able to do what the doctors couldn't. You killed that cancer. I was and am so very proud to be your daughter. Your heart was big and full of love for Joyce and your girls. I know you will continue to watch over us. God has prepared a very special home for you in Heaven. I know you will make it nice and safe and inviting for us when we join you. In the meantime, please keep an eye out for us and know that we will continue to make you proud, Daddy. love, Jan##imported-begin##Jan Warwick Stenhouse##imported-end##

April 05, 2011 at 08:04 PM



“ I miss you, Daddy. I am keeping your hat warm! And I promise we'll take care of your beautiful Joyce!###imported-begin##Fran##imported-end##

April 04, 2011 at 06:11 AM



“ I was so sad to hear about Mr. Warwick. He was a true gentleman. His soft spoken and kind manner will always be remembered. I am thankful to have gotten to know him. I will keep the Warwick family in my prayers.###imported-begin##Lester Reynolds##imported-end##

April 03, 2011 at 08:26 PM



“ To the Warwick Family:
You most certainly have our sympathy and condolences.
Mr. Warwick was one of the finest men I have ever known. He cared!!!!He thought about the employee first and foremost and always put others first. He was a good man and will be remembered as such.
Faye and I are also Methodist, and I cherish the promise of Christ and know beyond doubt that We will meet again.
May God bless you all in this time of grief. Love/ Bill and Faye###imported-begin##William C. (Bill) Dees Captain, Ret. GPD##imported-end##

April 03, 2011 at 02:57 PM



“ I am so sorry for your loss. May the perfect peace that only God can provide fill your hearts and comfort you.###imported-begin##Cindy Stenhouse Goforth##imported-end##

April 02, 2011 at 03:02 PM



“ *Condolences to all the family on your loss..##imported-begin##margaret smith##imported-end##*

April 01, 2011 at 06:14 PM



“ *Hey Daddy,
Now you know the wonders of Heaven.
Save me a place.....
love,
Anne##imported-begin##Anne##imported-end##*

April 01, 2011 at 06:03 PM



“ *I love you PaPa. Thank you for all that we share.##imported-begin##Collin Emmel##imported-end##*

April 01, 2011 at 02:32 PM