



John G. Andrews

November 1, 1923 - April 27, 2014

John G. Andrews, age 90, of Columbus, and formerly a life-long resident of Cambridge, Ohio, passed away on April 27, 2014 at the Kobacker House in Columbus. John was born November 1, 1923 in Cambridge, Ohio to the late George and Wadea Andrews, and was married to his beloved wife Madeleine for 64 years. He was a graduate and valedictorian of Staunton Military Academy. In 1942, while attending Harvard University, his father suffered a heart attack making it necessary for John to return to Cambridge to manage his father's National Hotel business. In 1943, he entered the United States Army and served for three years, which included serving in the Pacific Theater of Operations on the island of Okinawa, Japan. Upon his return from the service, John attended Babson College where he graduated Summa Cum Laude with a degree in finance and accounting. In 1952, he and his wife Madeleine built the Andrews Motel on U.S. Route 40, just west of Cambridge. In 1965, he organized the Guernsey Regional Planning Commission and was named its first chairman. That same year he purchased land at State Route 209 in Cambridge and later developed the Travelodge Motel, which he and Madeleine successfully owned and operated until 1985, at which time they were awarded the motel chain's highest honor, the Operator of the Year Award. John was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Cambridge where he served as chairman of the Board of Trustees and also as a member of its Investment Committee. He was a long-time member of the Masonic Blue Lodge #62, was a 32nd Degree Scottish Rite mason, and was a

member of the Aladdin Temple Shrine. In addition, he was a member of the Cambridge Chamber of Commerce, the Elks club, the VFW, and the Cambridge Country Club. He excelled at and held a great passion for flying as well as the game of tennis. John is preceded in death by his wife , Madeleine. He is survived by and will be sadly missed by daughters Gloria (Jack) Joseph, Kay (Alan) Drake, Jeannie (Ted Nicol) Andrews, and Diane Andrews; sister Mary (Richard) Malmer; grandchildren Michael Joseph, Tegan Drake, David Drake, Matthew (Megan) Nicol, John Nicol, Tony Donato, and Kristen Donato; great-grandsons Liam Hamilton- Drake and Kullen Andrew Drake; several nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by a sister, Georgette Hajjar; grandsons, Christopher Nicol and Robert Nicol.

Friends may call Friday, May 2, 2014 from 2 to 8 pm at Bundy Law Funeral Home, 120 North 11th Street, Cambridge, Ohio 43725. Masonic Services will be held at 7 pm. Funeral service will be held Saturday, May 3, 2013 at 11am at the First United Methodist Church, 641 Steubenville Avenue, Cambridge, Ohio. Interment to follow at Northwood Cemetery where military Graveside Rites will be performed by the Guernsey County Veterans Council. If family and friends wish to make a memorial donation, it may be made to Kobacker House / 800 McConnell Drive / Columbus, Ohio 43214. John's online tribute wall may be viewed and signed at www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.

Cemetery Details

Northwood Cemetery

10th Street
Cambridge, OH 43725

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 2. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Bundy-Law Funeral Home
120 North 11th Street
Cambridge, OH 43725
(740) 432-5705
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Service

MAY 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

CP

“ Keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers during these sad days. May your happy memories help you through.

Carol Buchsieb Padden

Carol Padden - May 03, 2014 at 09:13 AM

JR

“ Our sincere love and sympathy. Love you forever. Love Ted and Judy

judy richardson - May 02, 2014 at 03:05 PM

AE

“ Our sorrow over John's passing is truly deep and ongoing. For our families shared so much of life together. And hopefully, "all" of those wonderful and loving memories will help to ease the pain and comfort each and every one of you.

Bill and I extend to each and everyone of you our deepest and heartfelt sympathy as well as our loving prayers.

Bill & Adele Elias

Adele Elias - April 30, 2014 at 09:59 PM

RG

“ A great gentleman in all walks of his life.He will be missed. What a great Witness. RON @ SHARON GUTHRIE

Ron Guthrie - April 30, 2014 at 08:34 PM

JD

“ *Our deepest sympathy to all of you. We are out of town but our thoughts and prayers are with you.*
John and Judy Davis

Judy Davis - April 30, 2014 at 02:52 PM

KB

“ *Diane,*
My prayers are with you and your family.
Karla



Karla Boyd - April 30, 2014 at 01:24 PM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of John G. Andrews.*



April 29, 2014 at 11:31 AM

DJ

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Darcel Jackson-Fultz - April 29, 2014 at 10:47 AM

DJ

“ To Ms. Diane Andrews and entire Andrews Family:



*On The Wings Of Hope
As an ancient legend goes;
If anyone desires a wish to come true,
they must capture a butterfly and whisper that wish to it.
Since butterflies make no sound,
They can't tell that wish to anyone but the Great Spirit,
So by making the wish and releasing the butterfly,
It will be taken to the heavens and be granted.
Although this legend implies that we should keep our wishes silent,
there are some wishes that need to be expressed out loud.
To those that have been touched by the disease we are helping to
fight today,
We wish the caregivers strength and tranquility,
and thank them for their gifted labor of love.
We wish the survivors a long and happy life,
and thank them for showing us how to fight with courage and
determination.
We wish those currently fighting the battle energy and hope,
and thank them for showing us what true bravery is all about.
And finally, we wish the victims peace and love,
and thank them for the joy and happiness they brought to us.
With this symbolic gesture, we honor those that have left us and
encourage
those left behind to continue the fight "On the Wings of Hope".*

Darcel Jackson-Fultz - April 29, 2014 at 10:45 AM

EB

“ *Deepest sympathy for the loss of John on behalf of the Amos family of the late Bob and Hannah Amos. John and Madeleine were dear friends. We will remember them fondly. Sincerely, Elizabeth Amos Ball*

Elizabeth Amos Ball - April 29, 2014 at 08:35 AM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time*

May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,

May your memories of John G. Andrews, give you peace, comfort and strength...

Rest now in the arms of our Lord your work on earth is complete.

I thank you for your service to our Country and for my Freedom

You will not be forgotten. My thoughts and prayers are with the family of.....

US Army John G. Andrews, "A True American Hero" God Bless†

† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †

Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum - April 29, 2014 at 07:13 AM