



John Dutton McCance

March 27, 1946 - July 23, 2017

John Dutton McCance, age 71 of Byesville, passed away unexpectedly at OSU East in Columbus on Sunday, July 23, 2017 at 10:00 pm. He was born on March 27, 1946 in Cambridge, Ohio, a son of the late Edison Cromwell McCance and Julia (Dutton) McCance.

John received an Outstanding Accomplishment award in 1963 from John Glenn High School where he was a 1964 graduate. He was drafted into the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War and served 1968-1969 as a Sergeant E5 in the 4th Infantry Division as a machine gunner and point man. He received several medals including NDSM, SPS M-14, MKM M-79, EXP M-16, VCM, VSM, Air Medal, 2 O/S Bars and Combat Infantryman Badge. He was a member of the Plumbers and Pipefitters Local Union #495 for over 35 years. A member of the Cambridge Eagles Aerie #386; the Loyal Order of Moose #631; a life member of the Cambridge D.A.V., AM-VETS of Ohio #821; and V.F.W. #2901. He was a member of the Guernsey County Sportsman for Conservation and Big John's Sportsman Club. John was an avid euchre player who played in several tournaments. He loved hunting and target shooting and watching the Big Bang Theory. He enjoyed watching and feeding birds especially the finch. He was an inventor with one patent and a brilliant fabricator. John was a jokester and liked to travel and have a good time. John is survived by his wife, Shirley Marmie-McCance, whom he married on May 18, 2016; his children, Quentin (Mary Lou Thompson) McCance, Julie (McCance) Dean and Lindsey (McCance) Castor; grandchildren, John Paul

McCance, J. Johnathan Dean, Naomi Dean and Norah Castor; two sisters, Darlene (Elmer) Lentz and Linda (Tim) McGrady; a step daughter LeVanelle (Marmie) Thompson-Cramblett (Dennis Cramblett); step-grandchildren, Hunter and Sydney Thompson and Linkin Hamilton; his mother-in-law Naomi Marmie; his father-in-law David (Norma) Marmie Sr.; sister-in-law Debra (J.D.) Burke; brother-in-laws, David Marmie Jr., John (Monica) Marmie and Anthony (Melissa) Marmie; many in-laws, nieces, nephews, cousins, friends and retired co-workers, club members and euchre players.

John is preceded in death by his parents, his siblings, an infant brother Gilbert McCance, Richard "Dick" McCance, Ruth (McCance) Habib, Robert "Bob" McCance and Edison "Junior" McCance.

Private services and Military Graveside Rites will be held at the family's wishes. Burial will take place in Greenwood Cemetery in Byesville. Memorial donations may be made to Shirley J. McCance / P.O. Box 113 /Byesville, Ohio 43723. John's online tribute wall may be viewed and signed at www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Cemetery Byesville

West Spruce Street
Byesville, OH 43723

Tribute Wall

JS

“ I just heard of John's passing. My condolences to his family. I have known John for many years and enjoyed talking with him, mostly at Big John's Sportsman's Club. He was a good person and a colorful character. He will be missed.

Jim Bates Sr - August 12, 2017 at 06:42 PM

JH

“ Julie and Quentin. So sorry for your loss of your Dad. Tell your Mom I'm sorry for her loss.

Judy (Watson) Hardin - August 03, 2017 at 06:40 AM

MJ

“ Julie, I want to express my sympathies at the loss of your father. I know I will not get to see you in person since I am not organist at Christ Church any longer, but wanted you to know I am sorry for your loss. Love, Mary Jackson

Mary Jackson - July 28, 2017 at 01:24 PM

JL

“ Quentin, sorry for the loss of your father. My thoughts are with you and your family as you recover thru this time. Jarrod Love

Jarrod Love - July 27, 2017 at 04:22 AM

PM

“ So very sorry for your loss I enjoyed playing with euchre with John enjoy his personality and his great laugh he will be truly missed by many just a great all-around guy

Peggy Moose - July 27, 2017 at 12:31 AM

SH

“ My condolences to the family. Since Brenda's passing I have not spent much time in that area. But have many memories of times with John, Shirley, Quentin, and Julie. RIP John.

Steve Higgs

Steve Higgs - July 26, 2017 at 08:39 PM

KB

“ Prayers for peace and comfort at this sad time. Thinking of you with a heavy heart. So sorry Lindsey, Julie, and Quentin.
Aunt Kathy

Kathy Broom - July 26, 2017 at 06:32 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of John Dutton McCance.



July 25, 2017 at 05:58 PM

DE

“ John is the grandfather of my nephew John Paul I always enjoyed seeing him and the rest of the McCance's at events he was always super friendly and had kind things to say. My heart goes out to his family and friends.

Dana Duff Elliott - July 25, 2017 at 11:15 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 Dutton McCance, give you peace, comfort and strength...

Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten..

*My thoughts
and prayers to the family of*

US Army Veteran, John Dutton McCance, is “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 - July 25, 2017 at 08:08 AM