



Mr. John William Tenhundfeld

May 27, 1930 - November 7, 2017

John William Tenhundfeld Sr., formally of Sharonville, Ohio, age 87, entered into eternal rest November 7, 2017, with his wife Kathleen by his side at Arbor Terrace in Alpharetta Georgia.

John was born May 27, 1930 in Bellevue, Kentucky. He attended Newport Catholic High School, and in return for coaching their freshman football team after graduation, his first semester tuition was paid for by Monsignor J.V. Hegenauer to attend Villa Madonna College (now Thomas More College). He worked as an auto mechanic to help complete his undergraduate studies and he earned a bachelor's degree in Math & Physics. He also worked towards a Master's degree in Nuclear Engineering at the University of Cincinnati, completing everything except his thesis. John spent almost 40 years with General Electric Co. in Evendale, Ohio where he managed projects that took him all over the world before retiring in 1993. In retirement, he loved driving his little red Miata, doing yardwork, riding on his beloved tractor, playing golf, and working crossword puzzles. He and Kathleen were also able to spend winters together in New Smyrna Beach Florida.

He is survived by his wife Kathleen (nee Fox) of 51 years, sons John Jr., David (Candace), Paul (Lisa) and Alex, and granddaughters Claire, Cate and Caraline. He is preceded in death by parents Harry J. and Florence (Neekamp); his brothers Rev. Harry Tenhundfeld, Ralph Tenhundfeld, Rev. Paul Tenhundfeld; his sisters Dorothy Boemker, Rosemary Chalk, Jean Wimberg and Joan Milburn. Additionally, he will be missed by his many

nieces, nephews and godchildren.

A small gathering will be held at Arbor Terrace in Alpharetta Georgia on Saturday November 25, 2017 from 1:30 till 3:00 pm followed by a private family event. In lieu of flowers, or those wishing to donate, please contact the Alzheimer's Association, www.alz.org.

Cemetery Details

Northside Chapel Crematory

12050 Crabapple Rd
Roswell, GA 30075

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. John William Tenhundfeld*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *I enjoyed getting to know this sweet man at Arbor Terrace. I'm sorry to hear of his passing and send special condolences to Kathi, David, and Cara. You have all been in my prayers.*

*Sincerely,
Lynna Lee*

Lynna Lee - November 19, 2017 at 08:16 AM



“ *We extend our deepest sympathy to the Tenhundfeld family. John was a kind, generous person with a wonderful sense of humor. We so enjoyed our little Gourmet Club dinners; Julia Child was proud of our endeavors. Our visits with Kathy and John in Florida were special.*

*Much love,
Charlie and Deanna Ashing*

Deanna Ashing - November 16, 2017 at 11:42 AM



“ *Kathy, you have our most sincere sympathy. John was a terrific man, a great engineer and a good friend. We are sorry we lost contact with him in the later years.*

Ray and Marie Stentz

Ray Stentz - November 11, 2017 at 01:30 PM

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Ray and Marie.

Thanks for taking time to post here. I know that you shared some wonderful memories, and he spoke about you fondly and often. I will pass this on to my Mother.

David Tenhundfeld

David Tenhundfeld - November 14, 2017 at 06:03 PM

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“ *My memories of Uncle Jack, as a child in Newport at Grandpa Tenhundfeld's, Uncle Jack would pile us kids in his convertible and buy us all ice cream or we would make it. Also, later in life we went salt water fishing with Uncle Jack, Father Paul during a visit to New Orleans really enjoyed the limited time we spent together*

I'am sure he will be missed.

Best wishes to all.

Steve Tenhundfeld

Steven Henry Tenhundfeld - November 11, 2017 at 11:38 AM

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Steve:

I appreciate the memory of my Dad. Seems the convertibles and ice cream were a favorite memory of him! Hopefully we can catch up next year in MS. I will make sure my Mom sees this. Thanks for posting, and best wishes from Atlanta

David Tenhundfeld - November 14, 2017 at 06:07 PM

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David Tenhundfeld - November 10, 2017 at 07:22 AM

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David Tenhundfeld - November 10, 2017 at 07:20 AM

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David Tenhundfeld - November 10, 2017 at 07:19 AM