



## John William Coleman Jr.

January 31, 1936 - January 8, 2015

John William Coleman, Jr., of Chestertown, MD, passed on January 8, 2015, at University of Maryland Shore Medical Center at Chestertown. He was 78.

Born on January 31, 1936 in Rock Hall, MD, he was the son of the late John William Coleman Sr. and E. Clara Eierman Coleman. He graduated from Rock Hall High School, Class of 1954. Mr. Coleman served in the Maryland National Guard. He married Dorothy Cole, in September of 1954. Mr. Coleman worked as a self-employed building contractor, and retired in 1992.

Mr. Coleman was a member of Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church, The Gideon's International, Chestertown Lions Club, and the Eastern Shore Builders Association. He was a family man, spending time with his kids and grandkids and enjoying weekly Sunday dinners.

In addition to his wife of 60 years, he is survived by three daughters, Debbie Bennett and Cathy Naundorf of Chestertown, and Diana Redden of Camden, DE; one brother, Harold Coleman; and a sister, Marilyn Ashley both of Chestertown. He was predeceased by two sons, Laurence "Eddie" Coleman and John W. Coleman, III. and a brother, Calvin Coleman.

Services will be held on Sunday, January 11, 2015, at 2:00 p.m. at Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church where relatives and friends may call one

hour prior (1-2pm). Interment will be in Wesley Chapel Cemetery following the service.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 626, Rock Hall, MD 21661.

# Cemetery Details

## Wesley Chapel Cemetery

6179 Rock Hall Road  
Rock Hall, MD

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 11. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church  
6065 Rock Hall Road  
Rock Hall, MD

## Service

JAN 11. 2:00 PM (ET)

Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church  
6065 Rock Hall Road  
Rock Hall, MD

# Tribute Wall



“ *John William Coleman Jr.*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *John William Coleman Jr.*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *John William Coleman Jr.*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



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Cathy Naundorf - January 20, 2015 at 02:13 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Our precious family*



Cathy Naundorf - January 19, 2015 at 02:51 PM

JT

“ *Judy Thompson lit a candle in memory of John William Coleman Jr.*



Judy Thompson - January 19, 2015 at 11:15 AM

JT

*My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family*

Judy Thompson - January 19, 2015 at 11:16 AM

CN

“ *2 files added to the album Our precious family*



Cathy Naundorf - January 19, 2015 at 10:10 AM

DR

“ *I love you Daddy.*



Diana Redden - January 16, 2015 at 05:55 PM

AC

“ I feel honored to be married into the Coleman family. Dad and Mom showed us so much love and support when Eddie became ill. Don't know what I would have done without them. Love both of you so much. RIP Dad.



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**Anne Coleman** - January 13, 2015 at 12:09 AM

 Lisa Pinkham

“ Lisa Pinkham sent a virtual gift in memory of John William Coleman Jr.



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**Lisa Pinkham** - January 13, 2015 at 12:04 AM

 Lisa Pinkham

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Always enjoyed the time I was able to spend with you. Only wish my boys could have spent more time with you. You were and always be a great man, and a roll model for many. I thank you for that. Now rest in peace, until we all meet again.

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**Lisa Pinkham** - January 13, 2015 at 12:09 AM

KC

“ Kim Conley lit a candle in memory of John William Coleman Jr.



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**Kim Conley** - January 12, 2015 at 08:57 AM

HA

“ *Hank lit a candle in memory of John William Coleman Jr.*



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**Hank** - January 11, 2015 at 08:24 AM

PB

“ *Di, prayers for you and your family so sorry for your loss*



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**Peewee and Brenda** - January 10, 2015 at 10:48 PM

JS

“ *John Seward lit a candle in memory of John William Coleman Jr.*



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**John Seward** - January 10, 2015 at 01:58 PM

JY

“ *Mr. Coleman was a solid man. I had the pleasure of working with him on many occasions. He taught me a lot about the business and about life. I don't know if I ever met a man more committed to family than he was.*  
*I loved that man and I'm glad I was able to tell him that once.*

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**Jay Yerkes** - January 10, 2015 at 01:16 PM

LK

“ *I was so blessed to have him as my uncle.  
Rest in peace Uncle Johnny !! All my Love to  
the family.*



**Laura Karwacki** - January 10, 2015 at 11:26 AM

Marie  
Usry

“ *Marie Usry lit a candle in memory of John  
William Coleman Jr.*



**Marie Usry** - January 10, 2015 at 10:38 AM

Marie  
Usry

*Rest in peace Uncle Johnny.*

**Marie Usry** - January 10, 2015 at 10:39 AM

LT

“ *Leslie Thompson lit a candle in memory of  
John William Coleman Jr.*



**Leslie Thompson** - January 10, 2015 at 10:22 AM

LT

*Aunt Dot and family,  
My heart and prayers are with you today and always. I have so many great memories of Uncle Johnny that it is hard to pick just one. I remember at almost all the family gathers Dad, Uncle Wayne and Uncle Johnny would be pitching horseshoes and laughing. I hope that they are all now in heaven laughing and pitching horseshoes again.  
Love and miss you all.*

Leslie Thompson - January 10, 2015 at 10:39 AM

SC

“ Susie & Guy Comegys lit a candle in memory of John William Coleman Jr.



Susie & Guy Comegys - January 09, 2015 at 08:40 PM

NC

“ Nettie Clough lit a candle in memory of John William Coleman Jr.



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TJ

“ Tom And Nancy Lee Jewell lit a candle in memory of John William Coleman Jr.



Tom and Nancy Lee Jewell - January 09, 2015 at 03:35 PM

DH

“ *Denny And Judy Hickman lit a candle in memory of John William Coleman Jr.*



**Denny and Judy Hickman** - January 09, 2015 at 02:13 PM

DO

“ *Dennis And Doris Olsen lit a candle in memory of John William Coleman Jr.*



**Dennis and Doris Olsen** - January 09, 2015 at 01:10 PM

CL

“ *Our sincerest sympathies to the Coleman family on the loss of a very dear loved one. May your souls find peace in knowing that Mr. Coleman was well loved and cared for by his ever present and loving family.*  
*Faculty and Staff, Goldstein Hall, Washington College*



**Cindy Licata** - January 09, 2015 at 12:17 PM

GK

“ *To the entire Coleman family, I am so sorry for your loss. Praying for inner peace at a time of great sadness for each of you.*  
*Gretchen and Jim Kohl*



**Gretchen Kohl** - January 09, 2015 at 11:00 AM