



John Gardner

July 18, 2003

John A. Gardner, Jr. died at Memorial Hospital in Easton, MD on July 18, 2003. He was 82.

Born on July 19, 1920 in Chester, MD, he was the son of the late John A. Gardner, Sr. and Mary E. King Gardner. He attended Stevensville High School and graduated class of 1938. On March 25, 1943 he enlisted in the United States Army serving in Europe for the 8th Armored Division, being honorably discharged on January 24, 1946. In 1940 he married the former, Doris C. Palmer of Chester, MD. Mr. Gardner owned and operated a service station at Chester Corner until 1967. He then began working for the Department of Motor Vehicles as a License Examiner until 1982.

In addition to his wife, Doris, he is survived by one daughter, Patricia G. Barden and husband, James of Chester; four grandchildren, Kirk G. Barden and his wife, Tanya of Gaithersburg, Erica L. Hartlove and her husband, Brad of Stevensville, Catherine J. Barden of Owings Mills, and Andrew M. Barden and his wife, Melissa of Sykesville and one great-grandson, Bradley W. Hartlove, Jr.

A memorial service will be held at Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, P.A., Chester, MD on Wednesday, July 23, 2003 at 2:00 pm.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Kent Island Volunteer Fire Dept. Building Fund, P.O. Box 27, Stevensville, MD 21666 or V.F.W. Post #7464, VFW Avenue, Grasonville, MD 21638.

Tribute Wall



“ *John Gardner*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *John Gardner*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *John Gardner*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM