



John Collin Hiortdahl

March 17, 1933 - July 30, 2017

John Collin Hiortdahl of Chestertown, MD, died Sunday, July 30, 2017, at Erwin Health Care Center in Erwin, TN. He was 84.

Born March 17, 1933, in Riverdale, MD, he was the son of the late Axel Hiortdahl and Sarah Campbell Hiortdahl. John Hiortdahl, known as “Jack,” graduated a year early from high school and joined the USAF, where he spent time in Northern Africa before returning home and pursuing a degree in Business. He was a manager at Erco Aircraft, where he met his late wife, Stella Irene Hiortdahl. He became a mechanic of laundry equipment, working his way up to Vice President of HOF Service Company, which served the greater Washington, DC, region.

In the meantime, Jack bought and improved farms in Davidsonville and Lothian, MD, before settling on the Eastern Shore on a farm outside of Chestertown. He loved the ‘shore, including fishing and crabbing, raising Hereford cattle, and everything to do with the farm itself; until the last years of his life, he was continually busy with improving its structures and features. He loved hosting large family gatherings at holidays and taking people “round the farm.”

He is survived by a daughter, Dr. Sandy Hiortdahl of Elizabethton, TN, formerly a graduate of Washington College and a Sophie Kerr Prize winner

(1985).

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 5. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Chestertown Location
130 Speer Road
Chestertown, MD 21620
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Service

AUG 5. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of John Collin Hiortdahl*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - August 04, 2017 at 11:21 AM



“ *John Collin Hiortdahl*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *John Collin Hiortdahl*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM

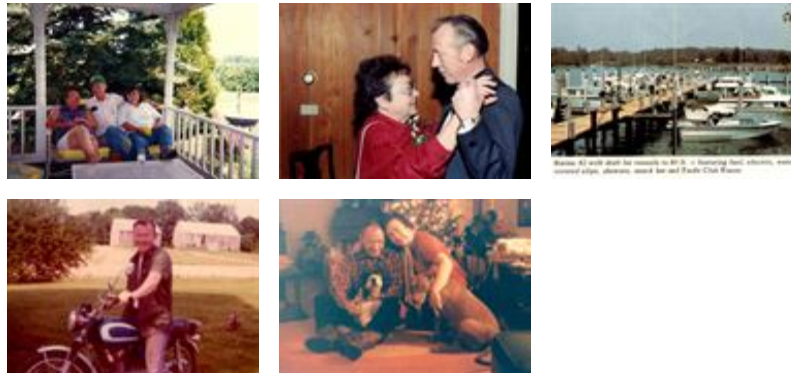


“ *John Collin Hiortdahl*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ 26 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - August 04, 2017 at 11:09 AM



“ *Mary Lou, Kathy, Susan, John & Terri, Tom & Linda purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of John Collin Hiortdahl.*



Mary Lou, Kathy, Susan, John & Terri, Tom & Linda - August 04, 2017 at 11:00 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of John Collin Hiortdahl.*



August 03, 2017 at 09:53 AM

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“ *Dearest Sandy, It's been a long time since we've seen each other, but we send our sincerest sympathies to you and your family.*
Goldstein Hall, Washington College



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