



John Alda Robbins

December 6, 1925 - June 28, 2014

John Alda Robbins of Clayton, DE, died at his home Saturday, June 28, 2014. He was 88.

Mr. Robbins was born on December 6, 1925, in Millington, MD, the son of the late John E. Robbins and Alda "Hurd" Robbins. He attended Millington High School and then enlisted in the United States Merchant Marines where he served his country in World War II.

After an honorable discharge, he returned home and went to work for Coca Cola as a truck driver. While working for Coca Cola, Mr. Robbins enjoyed playing on their softball team. He married his wife of 58 years, Doris "Cannon" Robbins on December 23, 1955. After leaving Coca Cola, he then went to work for Anchor Motor Freight as a driver and retired from there in 1986. Mr. Robbins was a member of the Smyrna Wesleyan Church. After his retirement, he worked for Willis Ford where he drove parts for them. Mr. Robbins enjoyed remodeling old houses and spending time with his family.

He is survived by his wife, Doris "Cannon" Robbins of Clayton, DE; one son, John "Jack" Robbins, Jr., of Smyrna, DE; two daughters, Laurie Swiski (Joseph) of Dover, DE and Robin David of Smyrna, DE; one grandchild, Jeremy English (Laura) of Magnolia, DE; one great-grandchild, Jeremy Cole English of Magnolia, DE; and three nieces, Virginia Ellingsworth of Millington,

MD, Beverly Dadds of Centreville, MD, and Joyce Bloodsworth of Centreville, MD.

Services will be held on Monday, July 7, 2014, at 1 p.m. at Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, 370 Cypress St., Millington, MD. A visitation will be held from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the funeral home.

Interment will follow services at Millington Asbury Cemetery in Millington, MD.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be sent to the Smyrna Wesleyan Church, 433 Commerce St., Smyrna, DE 19977 or to Paws for Life, P.O.Box 407, Chesapeake City, MD 21915.

Cemetery Details

Millington Asbury Cemetery

Millington, MD

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 7. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Fellows Family Funeral Home
370 West Cypress Street
Millington, MD 21651
(410) 928-5311
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Service

JUL 7. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *John Alda Robbins*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *John Alda Robbins*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *John Alda Robbins*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM

LS

“ *Daddy,*

The man that has loved us our entire lives. Our first love.

The horrible disease that robbed us of the last years with you will never take away all the wonderful memories that we hold dear during this most difficult of times.

We celebrated every holiday as a family. The homemade ice cream, the weeks at the beach, family dinners every Sunday growing up. Things that make a family strong.

We were truly blessed by having such a strong father figure in our lives. Most people search their entire lives for love and acceptance. Because of you, Robin and I never had that struggle. We always knew you loved us.

You taught us what unconditional love is and today and always will be “Daddy’s Little Girls”.

I know you will watch over us from Heaven, Laurie

Laurie Swiski - July 14, 2014 at 01:09 PM

DR

“ *Dee Rivard lit a candle in memory of John
Alda Robbins*



Dee Rivard - July 07, 2014 at 07:30 AM

PC

“ So sorry for your loss. Mr Robbins was a kind person and a good Christian man. I remember many times when Mr Robbins and family gathered after church on Sunday evenings with the Carrow family as well as others within the church. We had many cookouts together through out the summers. Wonderful memories and good times. Mr Robbins had a kind word for everyone and will certainly be missed by everyone.

Prayers and thoughts are with Mrs. Robbins, Jack, Laurie and Robin

Pam Carrow-Seeley

Pam Carrow-Seeley - July 02, 2014 at 10:04 PM

MC

“ Margaret Leonard Cannon lit a candle in memory of John Alda Robbins



margaret leonard cannon - July 02, 2014 at 09:33 AM

RC

“ I am so very sorry for your loss. Words cannot express the sadness. Mr. Robbins was a kind and gentle person with a zest for living. He always had time for a chat a good word and a big smile. He will be missed by all that knew him.

Mrs. Robbins, Jackie, Laurie and Robin; our prayers and thoughts are with you.

Randy and Sheri Carrow

Randy Carrow - July 01, 2014 at 03:26 PM

MB

“ Doris, Laurie, Robin and Jeremy, I'm very sorry for your loss. I have wonderful memories of all the holidays spend at your house around the table. May he rest in peace and you find comfort in each other at this difficult time. Mike and Dan Bryan

Mike and Dan Bryan - July 01, 2014 at 09:56 AM

TF

“ What a great Christian man , his daughter Robin and my daughter were best friends for many years. It is wonderful to know parents share the same values when children stay at each other homes. My heart goes out to the family , at times like this we need to remember all the good times before he became ill.His smile was contagious and his testimony was how he lived his life. We will meet again on that beautiful shore until then enjoy your rest you have earned it.

The Mesick family - July 01, 2014 at 05:14 AM

SL

“ I am so sorry for your loss. The death of a loved one is the most difficult thing we deal with. I wanted to take this time to express my condolences to you for your loss. May you find comfort from Jehovah God's word the Bible. (Psalms 83:18) The Bible promises: "the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out." (John 5:28,29) Jesus Christ promised that millions now dead will live again on this earth and have the prospect of remaining on it forever peaceful paradisaic conditions. The Bible also promises: "And the last enemy, death, is to be brought to nothing." (1Corinthians 15:26) Death will be removed from all the earth. Tears of sorrow will vanish. (Revelation 21:4) No one will die from natural causes or weep. These are promises that will soon be a reality. The Bible plainly states: "It is impossible for God to lie." (Hebrews 6:18) May you find comfort from these promises. And May Jehovah God of all comfort be with you. (2Corinthians 1:3,4)

For more encouragement please visit www.Jw.org.

sherries lee - June 29, 2014 at 05:28 PM