



Oris Dare Johnson

March 7, 1935 - January 13, 2012

Oris Dare "O.D." Johnson of Stevensville, MD, died on Friday, January 13, 2012, at Corsica Hills Nursing Home. He was 76.

Born on March 7, 1935, he was the son of the late, Bessie Hendrick Johnson. He grew up in West Virginia and later enlisted in the Air Force. Mr. Johnson was stationed in Germany, where he met and married Sigrid K. Wink of Germany. They moved as O.D.'s career with the Air Force demanded, serving in Virginia, France, Germany, Minot, ND, at Offutt Air Force Base in Omaha, NE, and one year in Vietnam. Mr. Johnson was in the Elite SAC Guard, where he would carry and present flags to survivors of lost Air Force veterans. He worked at SAC Headquarters in Nebraska, and retired after 20 years of service.

The Johnsons relocated to Roanoke, VA, where he worked as head of transportation at the VA hospital and driving a school bus for a private school for twelve years in Roanoke, VA. He resided in Virginia for 25 years before moving to Stevensville in August 2004. He enjoyed fishing, hunting, gardening, and fixing anything. His greatest joy was his family.

He is survived by his loving wife, Sigrid K. Wink Johnson; his daughter, Sonia Kay Mangum and her husband, Gary; his grandchildren, Chase and Kyle Mangum, and Brian and Darren Dunn; a sister, Estella Alford; five half-sisters,

Serilla Barnett, Ina Durham, Betty Stafford, Evelyn Vaught, and Virginia Rounke; three half-brothers, Rudolf, Douglas and Vernioia Hatcher; sister-in-law, Odessa Johnson and her son Billy; special friends, Odell and Jeanett Sloan; and many cousins. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Edie Boadwine, who died in 2011.

A funeral will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, January 17, 2012, at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home in Chester, MD, where friends and family may call at one hour prior 10 to 11 a.m.

Burial will follow the service at St. Peter's Catholic Cemetery in Queenstown.

Cemetery Details

St. Peter's Catholic Cemetery

5319 Ocean Gateway
Queenstown, MD 21658

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 17. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Chester Location / Kent Island
106 Shamrock Road
Chester, MD 21619
(410) 643-2226
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Service

JAN 17. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Oris Dare Johnson*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Oris Dare Johnson*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Oris Dare Johnson*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Camille Baca O'Donnell lit a candle in memory of Oris Dare Johnson*



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“ *Mrs. Johnson, Sonia and Gary, I offer my condolences truly and understand the heartfelt pain of losing a parent. Mrs. Johnson, I can tell you and Oris had a special bond-I know you find peace knowing that Oris is finally resting with Our Lord. Love, Camille Baca O'Donnell*

Camille Baca O'Donnell - January 16, 2012 at 01:16 PM