



John A. "Jack" Blank

November 10, 1946 - February 23, 2020

On Sunday, February 23, 2020, John A. "Jack" Blank, age 73, of South Park. Beloved husband of Diann (Chapman) Blank; father of Tracie J. (Thomas) Woodman and Scott V. (Carla) Blank; grandfather of Joshua Woodman and Hayley Woodman; son of the late John V. Blank and Helen T. Blank-Walters; also survived by nieces and nephews. Jack was a U.S. Army veteran, an avid sportsman, a devoted and active member of the Bucktails, 42nd PA Vol. Infantry, Co. B Reenactor, and an honorary lifetime member of the 9th PA Pittsburg Rifles. Friends received Thursday 2-4 & 6-8 p.m. at the GRIFFITH FUNERAL HOME, INC., 5636 Brownsville Road, (at 6th St.) South Park Twp. (412) 655-4600, where a service will be held on Saturday at 2:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in Jack's name to the American Battlefield Trust, P.O. Box 79535, Baltimore, MD 21279-0535, or to South Hills Pet Rescue, 15 Old 88, South Park, PA 15129. Condolences may be offered for the family at www.GriffithFH.com

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 27. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Griffith Funeral Home, Inc.
5636 Brownsville Road
Pittsburgh, PA 15236
(412) 655-4600
<https://www.griffithfh.com>

Visitation

FEB 27. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Service

FEB 29. 2:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

MP

“ Dear Family, Our Sympathies...
While being with "Murph" in the blacksmith shop this week, We fondly had John remembered in our minds & hearts. Will never forget that peculiar "strong coffee" at '97 Beneztte. Rest, John, Rest...Old Friend. Murph & Bloss'

Michael Parana - February 29, 2020 at 02:56 PM

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“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Michael Parana - February 29, 2020 at 02:27 PM

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The height of a Bucktail Reunion, is the "Service of Honors" to the original men that had come before us. Respectful to the deeds of their sacrifice and duty to country.

Michael Parana - February 29, 2020 at 02:37 PM

CS

“ My musket fouled at my very first event in Philippi. Without pause, John loaned me his weapon so that I could continue the re-enactment. I will never forget his kindness, a gentle great man has passed from us.

Chris Scutt - February 28, 2020 at 07:18 PM

LH

“ So many fond memories of Jack best husband and father such a strong man. I will miss him may you rest in.peace back til we meet again



Lia Humphrey - February 25, 2020 at 01:43 AM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of John A. "Jack" Blank.



February 24, 2020 at 09:13 PM

JD

“ Was a good friend on and off the battlefield Hanford

jim r drexler - February 24, 2020 at 06:29 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of John A. "Jack" Blank.



February 24, 2020 at 04:05 PM