



## John Edward Brotherton

September 15, 1947 - March 4, 2021

John Edward Brotherton, born on September 15th, 1947 in Pittsburgh, PA, has passed away on March 4th, 2021, peacefully in his sleep under hospice care at St. Clair Hospital. He joins his wife, Miriam, in eternal rest. He is survived by his children: Casey, Timothy and Brandy; his grandchildren: Zane and Jules; and lovingly cared for by Suzy (John) Capocciana and Rusti (David) Recker and family. He attended high school at Bethel Park High, followed by University of Pittsburgh. Upon leaving, he became a stenographer in the White House. He went into the armed services for four years, stationed in Berlin, before being honorably discharged. He soon became a proud coal miner and remained in the coal industry until he retired. He will be better remembered outside of his jobs: his story telling; his interest in photography; his love of woodworking and power tools. In lieu of flowers, the family asks you to please consider a donation to one of these charities: St. Jude Children's Hospital, Pittsburgh Community Food Bank, Light of Life Rescue Mission, or the Gary Sinise Foundation. Arrangements by GRIFFITH FUNERAL HOME, INC., 5636 Brownsville Road, (at 6th St.) South Park Twp. (412) 655-4600.