



Elwood Martin Johnson

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Elwood Martin Johnson, 88, of Georgetown, died at his home on Tuesday, February 12, 2019, after a long illness. Elwood was the sixth of eight children born to Ralph and Lula (Short) Johnson. In 1951, he married Marie Flood. Elwood worked for many years farming with his father and brother. As his family grew, he went to work for Diamond State Telephone Company. When he retired 36 years later, the company was known as Verizon. For most of his life, Elwood grew a huge "truck patch" every summer, full of vegetables for his family. He also enjoyed going to auctions, refinishing furniture, and spending time with his family. He was an exceptionally devoted husband, father, and grandfather. Nothing in this world meant more to him than his family.

Elwood was preceded in death by his parents, siblings, Milton, Pauline, Helen, Ivah, Granville, and Betty Ann, his infant son, Elwood Jr., and a son-in-law, Scott Sturgis. His beloved Marie died in 2012.

Left to cherish his memory are his children, Marie and Walter Meding, Linda Sturgis, Ivalene and Rob Still, Quintin and Maria Johnson, and Lisias and Eli Coelho, his grandchildren, Dawn and Rob West, Kelly Meding, John Still, Chloe and Mark Morgan, Faith Still, Lucas and Kenya Johnson, Vivian Coelho and Daniel Coelho. Elwood also had six precious great grandchildren, Jade Lowe, William and Declan Carey, Eisen and Eckherd Morgan and Tiani Johnson. His only surviving siblings are brother Harold and his wife Jeanie Johnson and brother-in-law, Tom Flood. He also leaves behind many much lived nieces, nephews and their families.



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The family wishes to thank the fine folks at vitas Hospice and Elwood's many faithful eldercare providers, especially Andrew Burdan, Angel Perry and Lorena Tennefoss.

Memorial services will be held on Tuesday, February 19, at Watson Funeral Home in Millsboro. Visitation will be from 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM, service to start at 1:00 PM. Interment will be at St. Johns Methodist Church Cemetery, Georgetown.

If anyone wishes to make a charitable contribution in Elwood's Memory, the family suggests Huntington 's Disease Society of America or Vitas Hospice.

Electronic condolences may be made via www.watsonfh.com



Tribute Wall

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AP

April lit a candle in honor of Elwood.

My deepest condolences for your loss. I hope you are able to find comfort in the scriptures at Acts 24: 15 and John 5: 28,29 which gives us a resurrection hope. At Revelation 21: 3-5 God brings out that in the future there will be no more pain and suffering. And we can look forward to what is written in Psalm 37: 9-11 and 29 about the meek will possess the earth. To find more information please visit jw.org 🌸



March 4 at 8:00 PM

TA

Tacia lit a candle in honor of Elwood.

His smile epitomizes all of my memories of Uncle Elwood. Happy, loving and welcoming. It broke my heart to discover he passed when I found out online today. Linda, Buddy, Ivalene, Marie & all the family, I'm so sorry for your loss. Elwood Johnson was such an amazing man and embodies the very best of our family.



February 17 at 8:00 PM

ES

Expression Of Sympathy lit a candle in honor of Elwood.

A Spathiphyllum was sent on February 18, 2019 Our deepest sympathies to all. He will be sorely missed. Melissa & Jason Nance



February 17 at 8:00 PM

TA

Tacia lit a candle in honor of Elwood.



February 17 at 8:00 PM

TF

Terry, Bonnie Hastings & Family. lit a candle in honor of Elwood.

Elwood Martin Johnson, Diamond State retiree You will be dearly missed Uncle Elwood as you are now with Aunt Marie and all the other relatives and friends that left before you & are now in the arms of the 'Lord'! You will never be forgotten since you are always in our hearts! We'll see each other again one day! With never ending 'Love', Terry, Bonnie Hastings & Family.



February 14 at 8:00 PM



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ES

Expression Of Sympathy lit a candle in honor of Elwood.

A TRADITION AND SPLENDOR was sent on February 15, 2019 With love and sympathy from the Unruh family

February 14 at 8:00 PM



CU

Cathy Unruh lit a candle in honor of Elwood.

We Unruhs have many fond memories of Elwood, Marie, and the entire Johnson family - from the time we spent together when we were kids through the many years of close friendship between our parents. Elwood was a wonderful, kind, funny, Christian man and I am sure that he is at peace. May you all be also! Love, Cathy Unruh

February 14 at 8:00 PM



ES

Expression Of Sympathy lit a candle in honor of Elwood.

An A GARDEN PATH was sent on February 15, 2019 We love you Poppop and Dad! We will miss you! Thank you for being an amazing example of what a husband, father, and grandfather should be. Love, Walt, Marie, Dawn, Rob, Jade, Kelly

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Elwood by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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