



John Raymond Knick

August 3, 1934 - May 18, 2023

John Raymond Knick, 88, of Lansing MI. passed away peacefully on Thursday, May 18th, 2023 with his son and his wife (Carmen) by his side. John was born August 3, 1934 to the late John R. and Marion Knick. On June 5th, 1955, he married Mary Ellen Jenks. John is survived by his son Ray (Carmen) of Chelsea, MI. Also, five grandchildren Jason, Kelsy, Rachel, Rachel Stenzel (Ben) and Austin Sietz and one great-grandson, Desmond. John proudly served in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict. He came home to work for his father-in-law at C & J Driveaway starting as a yardman and working his way up to the safety/personnel manager of the company. After his retirement (1st one), he helped Mary with her business ventures. He and his business partner decided to go back into their own transportation business then retired again (2nd one). He went to work for the Michigan House of Representative at the Capitol for 5 years as a facilities manager then retired again (3rd one). After 3 retirements, he finally got to enjoy fishing and working in his yard and garden. Mary and John also did a bit of traveling, which they both loved. The last 10 years he lived in beautiful Coronado, California with his special friend and partner, the late Shirley Parry. There will be no services as was his request. His final resting place will be next to Mary in the Chapel Hill Cemetery in Lansing at a future date. Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association (www.alz.org) If you would like to sign John's guest book and/or share a memory, please visit www.rbfhsaline.com

Tribute Wall



“ *John Raymond Knick*

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