



John H. Landes

April 5, 1932 - May 23, 2017

Landes – John H. Landes, 85, of Snellville, Georgia, died May 23, 2017. He was born on April 5, 1932, in Indianapolis as the son of the late C. Arthur and Dorothy E. Landes. John graduated from Shortridge High School in Indianapolis and attended a two-year program at Central Business College before enlisting in the US Navy, where he was stationed in Sasebo, Japan. He worked for many companies in the years following his discharge, including running the family business for a time, the Landes Costume Co., opened by his grandfather, Harry K. Landes, in 1910. It wasn't until he became employed at Shadeland Dodge in 1971 that he found his niche in the automobile industry, where he worked, directly or indirectly, for more than 30 years. John's career led him to leave Indiana and to reside in multiple states including California, Kentucky, Florida, and finally, Georgia, where he eventually settled. He worked in many Atlanta metro-area companies including Capital Cadillac and Royal Oldsmobile. Most recently, he was retired from Kodata/Reynolds & Reynolds.

An avid fisherman, John enjoyed spending his spare time on lakes and oceans, first with his children, and later with his grandchildren, attempting to reel in "the big one." He was a longtime Indianapolis 500 and NASCAR fan, attending numerous qualifications and races. John was a vested member of the Scottish Rite Valley of Indianapolis where he attained the 32nd degree and was a member of many other organizations throughout his life, including Rotary clubs and the American Legion. John was always working on a project

and his family could often find him in his workshop, putting together items like remote-controlled model boats or cars, or finding a solution for some household problem.

John is preceded by his son, Jim, in 1991, and is survived by his daughter and son-in-law, Ann and David Burghaus of Snellville, Georgia; brother and sister-in-law Bill and Fran Landes of Bradenton, Florida; granddaughter Elizabeth of Snellville; grandson Benjamin of Atlanta; and granddaughter and grandson-in-law Jessica and Matthew Anderson of Philadelphia. The family will receive friends from 2 to 4 p.m. on June 4, 2017, at Tim Stewart Funeral Home, 2246 Wisteria Drive, Snellville, GA, 30078 (770-979-5010); funeral services will be held at 4 p.m. Condolences can be made online at www.stewartfh.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 4. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Tim Stewart Funeral Home Monroe
209 South Hammond Drive
Monroe, GA 30655
(770) 267-2594
info@stewartfh.com
<https://www.stewartfh.com>

Funeral Service

JUN 4. 4:00 PM (ET)

Chapel of Tim Stewart Funeral Home Snellville
2246 Wisteria Drive
Snellville, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *John H. Landes*

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“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family at the loss of your loved one. I knew John through my husband, Jerry Treadwell, who worked and retired from Royal Oldsmobile. (Jerry passed away May, 2014.) I think the last time they saw each other was at one of the Royal Oldsmobile Breakfasts. He was always such a kind man and Jerry thought a lot of him.*

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