



## John W. Schafer

December 18, 1952 - April 6, 2012

John W. Schafer, 59, of Cabot, PA, passed away Friday, April 6, 2012 at his home.

He was born December 18, 1952 in Pittsburgh, the son of Ada Elizabeth (Jones) Schafer of Braddock and the late Frederick E. Schafer.

John was a veteran of the U.S. Army. He was a lifetime member of the NRA. He enjoyed woodworking, hunting, sailing and skiing. He was a bridge inspector for Construction Consultant Services Inc.

Surviving along with his mother are his wife, Betsy J. Hayden whom he married June 1, 1990; 3 sisters, Jean Burkhalter of Opelika, AL, Betsie Murphy of Sackets Harbor, NY and Ann Wilson of American Corner, MD; 3 brothers, Martin Schafer of Los Banos, CA, Jim Schafer of Forest Hills, PA and Fred Schafer of Redding, CA.

A memorial service celebrating the life of John W. Schafer will be held on Thursday April 12, 2012 at Young Funeral Home, Ltd., 127 W. Jefferson St., Butler. Friends will be received from 5 pm until the time of the memorial service at 6pm.

Contributions may be made to the Ronald McDonald House.

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“ Our condolences go to Betsy and John's family. John was a wonderful neighbor and friend. Anytime anyone needed help John was always there for all of us. We know John is now in a better place and he is now at peace.##imported-begin##Don and Deb##imported-end##

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“ We may not have seen much of each other but he was family... If you needed help and John was around all you had to do was ask and he was on top of it... he was very knowledgeable about many things.. he was good with building things.. I have a couple of his bird houses that I enjoy very much... He will be missed and not forgotten.. Rest in Peace John Schafer##imported-begin##Nancy and Kenneth Gorby##imported-end##

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