



John E. Sterner

February 11, 1943 - November 16, 2024

John E. Sterner, 81, of Franklin, passed away unexpectedly of natural causes on Saturday, November 16, 2024 at his home.

He was born on February 11, 1943 in Franklin; son of the late John W. and Ellen Reed Sterner.

John is survived by his children, Stacy Sterner, John Sterner, Eric Sterner, Elizabeth Sterner and Nicolas Sterner and numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren.

He is also survived by his sisters, Lois Uhl, Jane Sandieson, Christine Nash, and Susan Harrison; along with numerous nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, John was preceded in death by his sister, Barbara Sterner.

The Robert V. Burns Funeral Home in Clarion is handling the arrangements.

John's wishes were to keep everything simple. A celebration of life will be held at a later date for his family.

Tribute Wall



“ John was like an older brother to me. I have great memories of the Sterner kids and us Fratus kids growing up. Ive talked to my surviving brothers, we will all miss him. Condolences go out to all our family.

Edmund Fratus - November 22, 2024 at 11:00 AM



“ Sorry for your loss I worked with John at the Franklin hospital for years he was a very nice man he will be missed

Dan Martin - November 20, 2024 at 11:51 AM



“ Stacy, so sorry for the loss of your father. We attended that same elementary school year ago. Again, condolences to your family.



Lorrene Wagner - November 19, 2024 at 02:45 PM