

John Adam Boehm Jr.

November 4, 1940 - September 19, 2024

John “Jack” Boehm, passed away September 19, 2024 at home surrounded by family.

John was born on November 4, 1940 to John Boehm, Sr. and Dagny Kragness in Wausau, WI and a lifelong resident of Alexandria, VA, Sperryville, VA and New Auburn, WI. His work was respected far and wide; he was known as “The Best Marble Setter on The East Coast.”

He is survived by his daughters Shawn Puryear (spouse Herbert), Dawn Edwards (partner David) and his granddaughter Lexy Puryear. He also leaves behind his loving sisters Phyllis Sapyta (Alex) and Victoria Boehm, nieces Pam Sapyta, Sheron Howard (David) and nephews John Sapyta and Doug Lyons (Carleigh). He is predeceased by his wife Grace Boehm and parents John and Dagny Boehm.

John was a devoted father and loving husband who loved NASCAR and the Green Bay Packers. He enjoyed scuba diving, hunting, fishing, fixing cars and owning a Christmas tree farm. He will be deeply missed by family, friends, and all who knew him.

A memorial service will be held at Jefferson Funeral Chapel, 5755 Castlewellan Dr., Alexandria, VA on Sunday, September 29, 2024 at 11AM, with a reception at the Franconia Moose Lodge to follow. In lieu of flowers,

please consider contributions in John's memory to the Parkinson's Foundation
at [www.parkinson.org]

Previous Events

Memorial Service

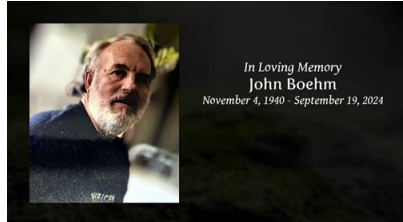
SEP **29**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Jefferson Funeral Chapel
5755 Castlewellan Dr
Alexandria, VA 22315-5516
(703) 971-7400

Tribute Wall



“ Jefferson Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of John Adam Boehm Jr.



Jefferson Funeral Chapel - September 26, 2024 at 11:07 AM

CL

Though I only met Jack and Grace in their later years, after viewing the tribute I was able to connect so many stories with his friends and family. We miss you both. Clay

Clay - September 29, 2024 at 12:37 PM



“ Jefferson Funeral Chapel created a Webcast in memory of John Adam Boehm Jr.



Jefferson Funeral Chapel - September 25, 2024 at 02:08 PM

SM

“ I’d like to take a moment to remember Jack and his wonderful wife, Grace. I always enjoyed chatting with them during my time at Daltille. This is truly a sad situation, especially since I heard Jack was looking forward to getting a dog. I don’t have all the details, and if I’m off base, I apologize. But if I’m anywhere close to being correct, it’s just totally heartbreaking.

I had many good conversations with both Jack and Grace. Jack was a true pro in the tile installation business. I’ve worked with & for some old-school installers, like the guys at McClary Tile and another guy I really liked and respected and possibly feared a little bit ha-ha, due to my young age, Donnie Davidson. Because the fact was, these guys were truly “Men’s Men” if you will. They didn’t care for any BS. But it was still truly enjoyable to work with them. Jack was of the same school, in the way he spoke and carried himself as well as his abilities, That’s probably why we connected so easily. These guys were true craftsmen, and anyone who had the pleasure of working with Jack knew he was an excellent installer. I’m absolutely believe that they’re quite a few guys out there doing it today who wouldn’t be as good as they are if it wasn’t for Jack’s teachings.

Unbelievably, I’m starting to feel like one of the old guys myself, and I’m sure some of you reading this may feel that way too. My generation is nothing like Jack and person’s like Donnie and the tradesmen of the past who I was able to work for, they were an entirely different breed and at a much higher level of skill, then someone like me for sure. I wish I could have seen Jack more often, especially since I’m still in the business and miss many of the guys I used to work with and for. I currently work at a distribution center in Alexandria, VA and it would have been really nice to see him come to the counter one last time.

I’m truly sorry to hear about Jack’s passing, and I hope his family and friends find a positive way of coping during this tough time. Thank you.

PS I truly hope this entry doesn't come across as a rambling, inappropriate or Incoherent comment, but it just sorta wrote itself. I couldn't be more sincere. Thx

— Steve M.

Steve Melera - October 09, 2024 at 09:33 PM

BI

“ 5 files added to the album Remembering Jack



Bigelows - September 28, 2024 at 10:22 AM

RS

“ Ron Simpson & daughters Jodie & Shelley purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of John Adam Boehm Jr..



Ron Simpson & daughters Jodie & Shelley - September 27, 2024 at 05:11 PM

RS

“ Ron Simpson & daughters Jodie & Shelley planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Adam Boehm Jr..

Ron Simpson & daughters Jodie & Shelley - September 27, 2024 at 05:11 PM

JS

“ *Shawn and Dawn - thinking of you. Uncle Jack was a hard worker and loved you both. I remember all the good times on Tilbury Road. Love you
Jodie*

Jodie A Shifflett - September 27, 2024 at 05:04 PM

RS

“ *Shawn-Dawn-He did it his way! We had some great times together, and the memories will not be forgotten. The jack I knew would want you both to keep your chins up and keep the memories with you forever. He will be watching over you. Ron Simpson*

Ronald simpson - September 26, 2024 at 01:57 PM

SS

“ *Thinking of you all during this difficult time and sending love, hugs and prayers. 🙏💙*

Sandy Sutton - September 25, 2024 at 08:30 AM

NS

“ *I remember the days when Jack and Shirley shared some fun times with my parents (Carolyn and Herbert) many years ago....always included lots of laughs and dancing. May he Rest in Peace.*

Nancy Shepherd - September 24, 2024 at 06:10 PM

DL

“ *Uncle Jack was a wonderful father, stepfather and uncle. He deeply loved his departed wife, my Aunt Grace. I will miss his wit, charm, and inappropriate humor.*

Doug Lyons - September 23, 2024 at 07:49 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of John Adam Boehm Jr..*



September 23, 2024 at 09:37 AM



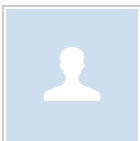
“ *Kim Cordia planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Adam Boehm Jr..*

Kim Cordia - September 23, 2024 at 09:37 AM



“ *I remember Paul, me, Janee, Shanna and Ryan went to your Dads Christmas Tree Farm one year to cut down our Christmas tree. We had such a great time with your Dad pulling us around on the tracker.
Rest In Peace Jack 🙏*

janice Scott - September 22, 2024 at 03:10 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Adam Boehm Jr..*



September 22, 2024 at 12:33 PM

BT

“ *Bob, Blair, Scott, Grace & Timmy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Adam Boehm Jr..*

Bob, Blair, Scott, Grace & Timmy - September 22, 2024 at 12:33 PM