



John Edwin Barker

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John Edwin Barker, age 67 of Warren, Michigan passed away on October 8, 2024 at his home. He was born on November 15, 1956 in Detroit, Michigan to James and Frances Barker.

Beloved husband of Anita Joy Barker. John and Anita got married on March 27th, 1976. Dear father of Joy Ann (Kelly) and Vera Lynn (Thomas). Cherished grandfather of Chandler, Austin, Rebecca, Velvia, and Rachel. Great-grandfather of Fidelity and Stephen. He is survived by his siblings Ray (Karen), Chuck (Sherese), Sue (predeceased by her husband; Stan), Yvonne (Delbert), Joe (Diana), and Betty (Jay).

John is predeceased by his siblings Jim (survived by his wife; Anna), and Shiela Kay.

John was a preacher for the Imlay City Church of Christ for 11 years and owned his own landscaping business. He always left a huge, positive impact on all of the countless lives that he touched.

Visitation will be held on Monday, October 14th from 3:00 pm to 9:00 pm, with the Funeral Service taking place at 7:00 pm that same evening, at Hopcroft Funeral Home, 31145 John R. Road, (1 block N. of 13 Mile Road, west side of John R. Road), Madison Heights, Michigan. Entombment will take place at Christian Memorial Cemetery.

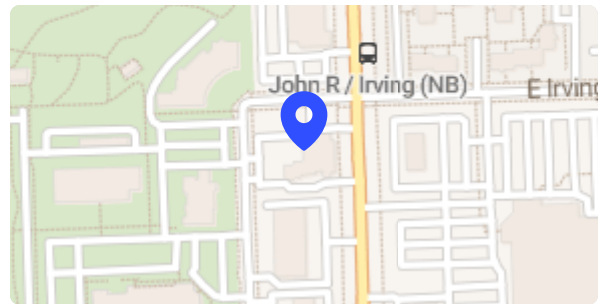


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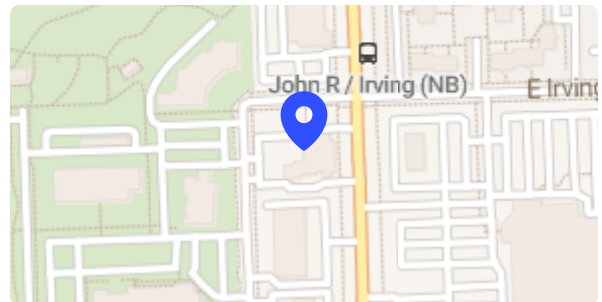
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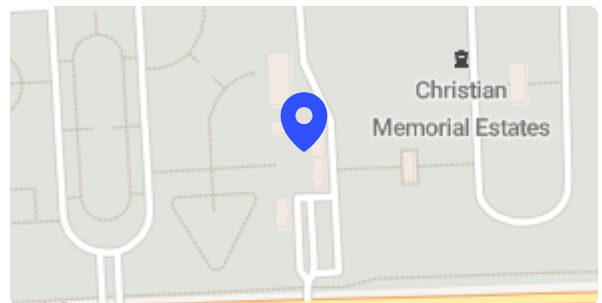
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Cemetery Details

- Christian Memorial Cemetery**
521 E. Hamlin, Rochester Hills MI 48307





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JB

Jeritta Bush posted:

John was always so nice to me and lee. He would see us out walking and stop and spend an hour talking to us. He had a huge heart and will be missed. My sympathy to the family

October 13 at 7:51 AM

CV

Cindy Vaughn posted:

John and Anita have been wonderful and thoughtful next door neighbors to my parents for as long as I can remember - has to be over 40 years. John was such a blessing to our family after my Dad passed - making sure my mom's snow was done and other things I'm sure I'm not even aware of. I'm sorry for your loss Anita and family. Thankfully he is now free from pain and is in Heaven along with all those who left before him. We pray for comfort and peace for you in the coming days/weeks/months. Anita-you are such a blessing to my Mom and are loved! Cindy Vaughn

October 11 at 7:18 AM

CC

Cadillac Products Automotive Company planted a Memorial Tree in honor of John.



October 11 at 5:17 AM

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Cadillac Products Automotive Company sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Barker family.



October 11 at 5:17 AM



Anonymous sent a Treasured Lilies Spray to the Barker family.



October 11 at 5:00 AM



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Debbie King posted:

I had the privilege of meeting my dear Buddy at Parkview Church of Christ. He always picked on me and I on him. He was a great shining light for me and all who knew him. I miss him so much. I am very blessed to have known him, and he left me with my friends, his precious wife Anita and his daughter Vera as well as Rebecca and Rachael my girls. I am a better person because of his great influence.

October 10 at 3:22 PM



Jackie Colpitts October 11 at 11:17 AM

ANITA,VERA,GIRLS YOUR HUBBY,DAD,PAPA WAS A WONDERFUL, GODLY,LOVING MAN. HE WOULD BRIGHT UP MY EVENING AT AHG,EVEN WHEN I WASN'T IN THE BEST OF MOODS. HIS TEASING,NOT SO FUNNY JOKES WOULD ALWAYS MAKE MY DAY. HE WAS MISSED BY ALL OF US (LEADERS,GIRLS),AND EVEN MORE NOW. I KNOW HE IS SMILING DOWN ON EACH OF YOU,WITH MUCH LOVE. I WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER HIS HUGS, SWEETNESS,KINDNESS,GOOFINESS, JUST BEING JOHN!! MAY GOD COMFORTYOU ALL, AT THIS TIME & FOR THE COMING DAYS,WEEKS,MONTHS.... JOHN,REST IN GOD'S LOVING ARMS UNTIL SOMEDAY WE MEET AGAIN. LOVE YOU,JOHN.....



Vera Speagle October 10 at 5:19 PM

Thank you sisterfriend!!! We love you so much!



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring John by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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