



John "Jack" Stafford Vaughn

April 28, 1925 - May 2, 2014

John "Jack" Stafford Vaughn, 89, of Athens Township, PA formerly of Seven Lakes, NC passed away Friday, May 2, 2014 at the Robert Packer Hospital in Sayre, PA. "Jack" as he was known by his family and many friends was born in Sayre on April 28, 1925 the son of Truman and Anna Stafford Vaughn. He was a graduate of Sayre High School class of 1943 and later served in the U.S. Navy aboard the USS Lexington in the South Pacific during World War II. Jack was employed as a draftsman for the Ingersoll-Rand Tool & Hoist Division from 1946 to 1956. In 1957, he began working in the Management & Development Division and eventually served as manager of product engineering. Jack held eight patents to his credit. Following his retirement in July of 1982, Jack and his wife Lois Wood Vaughn moved to Seven Lakes, NC. Jack was a skilled woodworker and craftsman who operated his business, Wood by Vaughn, in Seven Lakes for many years. Jack was an avid golfer and had the extreme good fortune of achieving 2 separate holes-in-one. Jack enjoyed volunteering at the US Open at Pinehurst, NC. He loved spending time with family and friends, and boating and sailing on Keuka Lake, NY. Jack moved back to Bradford County in 2008 to be near his family. He was preceded in death by his wife, Lois, on May 23, 2005. Jack was a life member of the Sayre Elks Lodge and was a member of Skiff-Bower VFW Post in Sayre.

Surviving are his sister-in-law, Anna Wood of Athens Township, nieces, Cheryl

Wood-Walter and husband, Gregory of Athens Township, Sharon VanFleet and husband Thomas of Athens Township, Charlene Wood Smith of Sullivanville, NY as well as several great nieces, great nephews, cousins and dear friends in North Carolina. The family will receive friends Friday from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Alteri-Bowen Funeral Home 314 Desmond St. Sayre, PA. Sayre Elks Lodge will hold a Service of Remembrance Friday evening 6:30 p.m. at the funeral home.

A mass of Christian burial will be celebrated Saturday, May 10, 2014 at 9:30 a.m. at the Church of the Epiphany, South Elmer Ave., Sayre, PA.

Interment will follow in Tioga Point Cemetery, Athens, PA with the Valley color Guard according full military honors. The family suggests that contributions be directed to the Sayre Elks Lodge Antlers Youth Program, 117 S. Elmer Ave. Sayre, Pa 18840 or to the Sayre Historical Society, 103 N. Lehigh Ave. Sayre, PA 18840 in John "Jack" Stafford Vaughn's memory. Memories and condolences may be expressed by visiting www.bowenfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Tioga Point Cemetery

803 North Main Street
Athens, PA 18810

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 9. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Alteri-Bowen Funeral Home
314 Desmond Street
Sayre, PA 18840
(570) 888-2113
info@bowenfuneralhomes.com

Service

MAY 10. 9:30 AM (ET)

Church of the Epiphany
304 South Elmer Ave
Sayre, PA 18840

Tribute Wall



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“ I will always remember when Jack and Lois took me to the family reunion. He was my link to my paternal (Vaughn) family. He shared so much, not only genealogy but also family.

I remember when he joined us for Paul's retirement ceremony and dinner at the Air Force Museum here in Dayton, OH. We were so happy that he and Lois shared this experience with us.

His fiftieth wedding anniversary was memorable.

I have attempted to follow in his shoes by conducting research on our family. If anyone is interested, I can send a link to the expanded Vaughn family tree.

We shared his loss when we attended Lois's funeral and are sorry that we will not be able to attend his funeral. We are in Munich, Germany meeting maternal family members that we discovered several years ago with the assistance of a German genealogist. Please accept our sincere condolences.

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