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**J**ohn Carlton Workman, Sr. age 77 of Georgetown, DE died Friday December 2, 2011 in Inova Fairfax Hospital, Fairfax, VA. Mr. Workman was born April 16, 1934 son of the late Wilson J. and Miriam P. Dickerson Workman of Georgetown, DE. After graduating from Georgetown High School in 1952 Carlton served with the US Army, 519th Signal Corp, as a cryptographer and was stationed at both Camp Gordon and Ft. Meade. He received the National Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. Later he served with the Delaware National Guard as a Staff Sergeant. After his tour with the Army he began a career with the E.I. DuPont Company for almost 39 years.

He was a member of the Asbury United Methodist Church; American Legion Post # 19, and Union Lodge #3 I.O.O.F. Travel, horticulture, genealogy and local stock car racing were some of his favorite pastimes. For many years he raised Southdown Sheep near Hardscrabble. Mr. Workman was a very outgoing individual who enjoyed his family and many friends.

Surviving are his wife of over 58 years Ellen S. Workman; his daughter Katrina Ellen Berger and her husband Ed of Haymarket, VA; his son John C. Workman of Monticello, FL and dear friend Odis Kendrick of Baghdad, Iraq. Other survivors include Iren W. Hitchens of Milford, Wayne and Diane Ellingsworth, Richard and Loreta Workman and Wilson and Cheryl Workman all of Georgetown, DE; numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and inlaws.

All services and burial will be private.

In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to the Asbury United Methodist Church, C/O Richard Workman, 25478 Asbury Road, Seaford, DE 19973 or to the Hebron Church, C/O Nellie Adams, 21902 Vaughn Road, Georgetown, DE 19947.

Arrangements by Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium, Georgetown, DE



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## Tribute Wall

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PK

**Phyllis Dickerson Kelly** posted:

Was playing with facebook because I had not heard from Carlton for awhile. When I saw his obituary, I was startled, to say the least. What a big loss and a surprising one. Will be writing to Ellen soon. Love, your cousin Phyllis

January 4 at 8:00 PM

KS

**Karen Sipple Swain** posted:

Ellen, Katrina and Jack: Mom and I are so sorry about Carlton. He was a wonderful man and dear friend. We are thinking of you and hope to see you soon. Love, Izetta and Karen

December 6 at 8:00 PM

RW

**Raymond Whaley** posted:

Sorry for your loss. I'm thinking of you.

December 6 at 8:00 PM

JD

**Jim & Lois Dunn** posted:

Ellen: Lois and I are truly saddened by the news of John's passing. You can rest assured that the two of you will always remain the dearest of friends in our minds and in our hearts. You have our deepest sympathy. Jim & Lois

December 5 at 8:00 PM

DP

**Danielle Pyle** posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family during this difficult time. Love, Koly's Stephen's and Pyle families

December 4 at 8:00 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

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



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