



# John L. Gilmour

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**F**LORIST NOTE: PLEASE DELIVER ALL ARRANGEMENTS BY 3 PM FRIDAY, JANUARY 31, 2020 TO OUR LEWES LOCATION.

John L. Gilmour, World War II Veteran

John L. Gilmour, age 92 of Lewes, Delaware, passed away Sunday January 26, 2020 at Delaware Hospice Center in Milford, DE. He was born in Atlantic City, NJ on October 13, 1927, son of the late Robert, a Scottish immigrant, and Elizabeth Gilmour.

John proudly served his country in the US Army Medical Corp during World War II. He worked as a bricklayer out of Local #1 in Wilmington, DE for 20 years, then continued his career for 30 years as an Estate Manager at the Lamont duPont Copeland Estate in Mount Cuba, Delaware. John was loved by friends and family for his delightful personality and his wonderful sense of humor. He always had a quick quip, which he freely shared. John enjoyed fishing, hunting, and golfing during his 30 year retirement. Above all, John cherished time spent with those he held most dear. He was a loving and devoted husband, father, grandfather, brother, and friend who will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

In addition to his parents, John was preceded in death by his wife Jean S. Gilmour. He is survived by his wife of 34 years, Sarah Gilmour; his daughters: Janet L. Gilmour and Mary Sipala (Mike); his adoring grandchildren: Marissa Sipala and Nick Sipala; his brothers: Jim Gilmour and Robert Gilmour (Jan); and his several nieces and nephews.

A funeral service will be held on Saturday February 1, 2020 at 11:00 AM, at Parsell Funeral Homes and Crematorium, Atkins-Lodge Chapel, 16961 Kings Highway, Lewes, DE, where friends may visit beginning at 9:30 AM. Interment will take place on Monday February 3, 2020 at 11:00 AM, at Gracelawn Memorial Park, 2220 North DuPont Highway, New Castle, Delaware.



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In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations to Pathways to Success, 31 The Circle, Suites A & B, Georgetown, DE 19947, or [www.pathways-2-success.org](http://www.pathways-2-success.org), Delaware Hospice, 100 Patriots Way, Milford, DE 19963, or [www.delawarehospice.org](http://www.delawarehospice.org), or the Delaware Humane Association, 18675 Coastal Highway, Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971, or [www.delawarehumane.org](http://www.delawarehumane.org).

Please sign the online guestbook located on the tribute page.



# Events

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## Viewing

**Saturday**, February 1, 2020

9:30 AM - 11:00 AM ET

**Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium-Atkins-Lodge Chapel**

16961 Kings Highway, Lewes DE 19958



## Funeral Service

**Saturday**, February 1, 2020

11:00 AM ET

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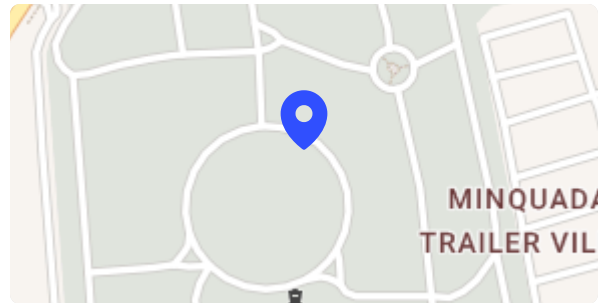
## Graveside Service

**Monday**, February 3, 2020

11:00 AM ET

**Gracelawn Memorial Park Cemetery**

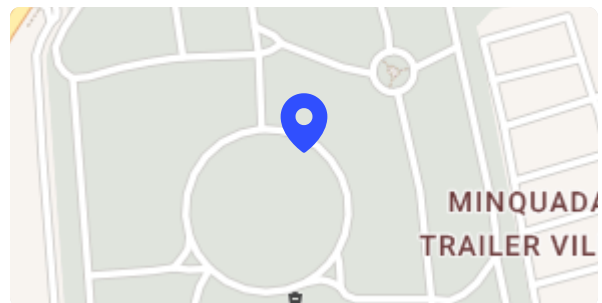
2220 North Dupont Highway, New Castle DE



## Cemetery Details

**Gracelawn Memorial Park Cemetery**

2220 North Dupont Highway, New Castle DE





# Tribute Wall

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**Stephanie Breaux** posted:

I remember John and I sharing memories of the history of unions and our support for them. When I visited John and Sarah they always made me feel welcome. We enjoyed jazz and just good company. He was always young at heart! May his soul rest in peace in the Love of GOD.

February 10 at 9:10 AM



**Amy Matarese** posted:

Dear Marissa, I'm so sorry for the loss of your beloved PopPop. You and your family are in my thoughts and heart. Love you, kiddo.~Amy

January 29 at 11:05 AM



**Lillian D Harrison** lit a candle in honor of John L..

It takes such support to give ones self for other and because Sarah was so totally committed, I know she had the love and strong support of a wonderful husband. Peace and blessings to you and your family as God welcomes another child!



January 29 at 5:54 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Strength & Solace Spray to the Gilmour family.



January 28 at 2:40 PM



**Love, Marissa And Nick** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Gilmour family.



January 28 at 11:51 AM



**Mary Sipala** sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Gilmour family.



January 28 at 11:35 AM



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**Anonymous** sent an Ocean Breeze Spray to the Gilmour family.



January 28 at 9:31 AM



**Kelly Sheridan** posted:

The Sussex County Committee of the Fund for Women sends its sincerest condolences to Sarah and the Gilmour family on their loss. ~ Kelly Sheridan, Chair

January 28 at 5:26 AM



# Memories only last if you share them

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



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