



John Edward Rambus

May 2, 2020

John Rambus was born February 15, 1936 in Ruleville (Sunflower County), Mississippi to James and Mary Bell Rambus who preceded him in death. He passed away on Saturday, May 2nd, 2020 at SKLD Nursing Home.

John Graduated from Libbey High School and attended the University of Toledo with interest in Business.

John accepted Jesus Christ as his personal Savior at an early age and was a member of Mt. Pilgrim Baptist Church for over 60 years where he held many positions such as Deacon Board, Sunday School Teacher and Superintendent of Sunday School and was a member of the Men's Chorus.

John was united in marriage with Annie D. (Jackson) Rambus who preceded him in death after 38 years of marriage.

John had many accomplishments in life and held several positions at Horton's Elevator, Service Combustion, O-I Building, Dale's Funeral Home, but the one that he held dearest in life was entrepreneur of the Royal Knight's Men's Shoppe which opened in 1968, with Otis Jones, Robert Sawyer, Ralph McFarland, Wilmot Barnes, Jr, David Parker, Kenneth Marney and Theodore Banks.

John enjoyed watching basketball, it didn't matter whether it was college or

professional, along with reading the Bible and listening to “Good Gospel Music”. John never met a stranger.

John leaves to cherish his memory, daughter, Corlando Haskins (Companion Tyrone Miller, whom John loved as a son) of Muncie, IN, a son John Jackson, Sr. of OH, three grandchildren, Joseph Haskins, III, Joshua Haskins of Muncie, IN and John Franklin Jackson, Jr. of Toledo, OH, two great granddaughters, Jha’Nyah and Jordyn Strong. One Sister Daisy (James) Murphy of Toledo, OH. A Host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Special Friend: Homer Jackson and God Son, Theodore “Teddy” Banks, Jr. In addition to his parents and the love of his life, Annie Rambus, he was preceded in death by sisters Lucy Townsend, and Jamesola Lockett.

Cemetery Details

Historic Woodlawn Cemetery

1502 West Central Avenue
Toledo, OH

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 8. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Mt. Pilgrim Baptist Church
1401 Hoag St
Toledo, OH 43607
(419) 246-7060

Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ My prayers going out to the Rambus family so very sad to hear about your father he was my heart any time I need him about church matter or helping me with my parents he was there guiding and praying for my family . His big smile and big heart will truly be miss RIH Mr John You are truly one of God’s faithful servants.

Sharon Armstrong Murdock - May 14, 2020 at 06:46 PM

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“ God Bless You Uncle John. I’m saddened I’m not able to travel home for your homegoing Thank you for always checking in with my siblings and I and for showing us so much love throughout the years. Please give Grandma and dad a hug for us. 🙏🏻🙏🏻

Q Nachion Rambus-Nevius - May 08, 2020 at 03:37 PM



Deborah
Pierce

“ Sending Love and Heartfelt Prayers to the Rambus Family for your loss Deacon Rambus was a good person always being a Helpful Servant
Remember God takes his Best Sometimes...Lov Deborah
Pierce/former church member

Deborah Pierce - May 08, 2020 at 01:06 PM

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“ John has been part of my life since I was 15 years old. John was one of my late husband's business partners and a good friend to our family, especially our boys.

We had a lot of outings with him and Dot. He was so proud of the store...Royal Knights, later changed to Black Knights Men's Shop. In 1968, that was quite an achievement! It was really something to be proud of. Enter God's garden, John. Rest in peace. You will be missed. My family loves you very much. God Bless You.



Cleo Sawyer Holyfield and Family

Cleo Sawyer Holyfield - May 07, 2020 at 09:48 PM

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“ To the family of Deacon Rambus: May God Bless and Comfort. Brother Rambus and I served on the Deacon Board,, Sunday School and the Mount Pilgrim Male Chorus. John always stated what was on his mind with brief statements like Yes or No. John served his church family well. Your brother in Christ Herb Peters

Herb Peters - May 06, 2020 at 07:33 PM

GJ

“ May your heart find comfort knowing that your love one is at home with the Lord

Love Gwendolyn E. March Jones & Family

Gwendolyn E. March Jones - May 06, 2020 at 05:49 PM