



John W. Clark

September 11, 1921 - May 26, 2016

John W. Clark (1921-2016)

CEDAR FALLS – John W. Clark, 94, of Cedar Falls died Thursday, May 26, 2016 at NewAldaya Lifescapes in Cedar Falls.

He was born September 11, 1921 in Finchford, Iowa, son of William and Grace (Howe) Clark. He married Betty I. Hill on October 17, 1939 in Waverly, Iowa. She died July 31, 2000.

He served in the U.S. Navy during WWII. He worked construction before joining the Cedar Falls Fire Department, retiring as assistant fire chief in December of 1976. In retirement, he sold Real Estate. He was a volunteer with E.P.I. for 24 years, Cedar Valley Hospice for 10 years, and a member of Prairie Lakes Church in Cedar Falls.

Survived by: three nieces, Sandra (Eldon) Brasch, Debbie Wockenfufs, and Becky Schroeder; and one nephew, David Putnam.

Preceded in death by: an infant daughter, Nancy; a son, Frank Allen Clark; two sisters, May Arnold and Doris Putnam; and a brother, Frank Clark.

Services: 2:00 p.m. Thursday in the chapel at NewAldaya Lifescapes with

burial in Washington Chapel Cemetery, both in Cedar Falls. Visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. Wednesday at Richardson Funeral Service, Cedar Falls, and for one hour prior to the service Thursday at the chapel.

Memorials may be directed to Cedar Valley Hospice.

Cemetery Details

Washington Chapel Cemetery

7035 W Bennington Rd
Cedar Falls, IA

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 1. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Richardson Funeral Service
615 Main Street
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 266-3525
richardsonfuneralservice@gmail.com
<http://richardson.funeralplan2.com>

Funeral Service

JUN 2. 2:00 PM (CT)

NewAldaya Lifescapes Chapel
7511 University Avenue
Cedar Falls, IA
(319) 268-0401

Tribute Wall

DH

“ I did not know John that many years, but my memories of him are many and fond. Ruth fell in love with my cat Buddha when we visited at the Hospice Home for P.E.T. P.A.L.S.. John fell in love with Buddha before he ever met him. I made numerous visits to see John and Ruth with Buddha and they also stopped over at my home to see him. He was a special cat and John and Ruth both recognized that. I called them "Buddha's Fan Club." I lost Buddha last September and gained two new kittens who have since joined P.E.T P.A.L.S. and visited John with them last month. He gave them both the thumbs up :-) <3.

Diane Hensley

Diane Hensley - June 06, 2016 at 12:01 PM

KW

“ I remember John very well. He was Asst.Chief when I started in 1972. I remember in the mornings John would come out of his office, coffee cup in hand, headed to the kitchen for a refill. He would make one complete pass of the station house, and could tell you who was goofing off and who was getting their work done. Tough but a very fair man. You will be missed.

Kenneth Wittmayer - June 02, 2016 at 06:38 AM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of John W. Clark.



June 01, 2016 at 11:27 AM

NH

“ John was such a kind and loving person. He was a member of our senior group at PLC, and was loved by everyone. He was always very positive, even when I visited him recently. He was a true gentleman...one of a kind. He is in a wonderful place now, and I offer prayers of peace and comfort for the family. ~nancie Handorf

Nancy Handorf - June 01, 2016 at 11:06 AM

MK

“ John was a very kind soul, he always seemed to have a smile on his face and a kind word. John and Betty were very good friends with my grandparents and many nights were spent playing cards, laughing and sharing memories.

Matt Kunkle

Matt Kunkle - May 31, 2016 at 08:16 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of John W. Clark.



May 30, 2016 at 09:27 PM