



## John M. Thacker

July 23, 1934 - June 1, 2023

John Melvin Thacker, 88, of Enon passed away Thursday, June 1, 2023 at Soin Hospital in Beavercreek. He was born Monday, July 23, 1934 in Fredericksburg, Virginia to the late Cedon Thomas and Jennie Lee Mills Thacker. John served in the U.S. Air Force for twenty years and retired with the rank of Master Sergeant. After years of additional service, he retired from W.P.A.F.B as a Civil Servant. John was exceptionally proud of his military career as is his family.

He also worked for 5 years in Reno, Nevada as a private consultant before returning to Enon. John is survived by his three daughters: Cindy (James) Spitler of Fredericksburg, Virginia, Janet (Kenny) Hopper of Springfield, OH and Marsha (Sam) of Speedwell, Tennessee; three sons: John (Rebecca) Thacker of Ladera Ranch, California, David (Jackie) Thacker of Thomasville, Georgia, and Jimmy (Debby) Thacker of West Virginia; fourteen grandchildren: Amy, Jay, Janna, Allen, Caren, Crystal, Tiffany, Nathan, Ian, Bailey, Ryan, Colin, Matt and Jason; twelve great grandchildren; one great-great grandchild; as well as numerous nieces, nephews, neighbors and friends. John was preceded in death by his parents, his loving and devoted wife, L. Doris Thacker, who recently passed away in February, 2023, ten siblings; Ruth Thacker Musselman, Willard Thacker, Muriel Thacker Mills, Herman Thacker, Raymond Douglas Thacker, Eugene Sidney Thacker, Ruby Lee Thacker Duffey, Clyde Nelson Thacker, Mary Evelyn Thacker Monroe, and Vernon Wilson Thacker. A funeral service will be held 11:00 am Tuesday,

June 6, 2023 in Adkins Funeral Home. Burial with military honors will follow the service in Enon Cemetery. A visitation will be held 10:00 to 11:00 in the funeral home prior to the service. [www.adkinsfunerals.com](http://www.adkinsfunerals.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Enon Cemetery

6013 Dayton Springfield Rd  
Springfield, OH 45502  
(937) 864-2881

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Adkins Funeral Home  
7055 Dayton Road  
Enon, OH 45323  
(937) 864-2288

## Funeral Service

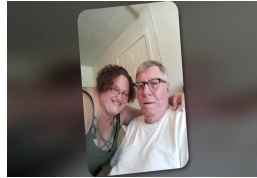
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# Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



Adkins Funeral Home - June 06, 2023 at 11:29 AM

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*What a beautiful tribute to Uncle John. Prayers of comfort and love to all.*

Bridget Fuller - June 06, 2023 at 04:16 PM

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“ *Sending prayers and condolences to the family and friends of Johnny. May he RIP.*

Pat Guy - June 06, 2023 at 09:05 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of John M. Thacker.

June 05, 2023 at 06:54 PM



“ *Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of John M. Thacker.*



June 05, 2023 at 12:15 PM



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“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of John M. Thacker.



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June 04, 2023 at 07:21 AM