



Joel Wayne Sutphin Sr.

July 24, 1934 - May 28, 2014

Joel Wayne Sutphin, Sr., 79, of Altavista passed away with his family by his side Wednesday, May 28, 2014 at his residence. He was the husband of the late Shirley Jefferson Sutphin.

He was born July 24, 1934 in Pulaski County, VA, a son of the late John Sherman Sutphin, Sr. and Juanita Robertson Sutphin. He was a member of First Southern Baptist Church, a retired employee of Abbott Laboratories and former employee of Burlington Industries, Klopman Mills Division. Wayne was an avid outdoorsman and enjoyed playing golf.

He is survived by a son, Joel W. Sutphin, Jr. of Altavista; two daughters, Tamara Simpkins and her husband Newton of Draper and Lisa K. Sutphin of Charlottesville; two grandsons, Travis Simpkins and his wife, Alea of Colorado Springs, CO, and Blake Sutphin and his wife, Reagan of Hurt; four great granddaughters, Jillian, Jayden and Ava Sutphin and Lilyanna Simpkins and his former spouse, Virginia Nester Sutphin.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, John Sherman Sutphin, Jr. and Allen Sutphin and two sisters, June Sutphin Sharp and Wanda Sutphin Phillips.

A graveside service will be conducted at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, May 31, 2014

at Altavista Memorial Park Mausoleum, Altavista by the Rev. Bobby Brumfield and Rev. Jim Critchley.

The family will receive friends anytime at the residence of Blake and Reagan Sutphin, 179 Highwayview Road, Hurt, VA. 24563.

Cemetery Details

Altavista Memorial Park Mausoleum

642 Wards Road
Altavista, VA 24517

Previous Events

Graveside Service

MAY 31. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Altavista, VA 24517

Tribute Wall

ED

“ Blake and family, I am so sorry to hear about your granddad. I had no idea that Shirley was your grandmother. I use to work with her at Klopman in Southern Sales Division. I remember her well, so prim and proper. :-) I never met any of the other family as I recall. I had no idea she had passed until several years back. It really is a small world. Thoughts and prayers for you and your family during this difficult time.

~Elaine Dalton

Elaine Dalton - June 04, 2014 at 03:49 PM

DA

“ Dear Joey, Tamara, Lisa, Virginia and family,
I just heard about Swampwater. I am so very sorry. There are so many wonderful memories between our families when we were growing up. You are all very dear to my heart. I wish I could have seen you. Take care.

Diane Hall Arthur

Diane Hall Arthur - June 03, 2014 at 08:45 AM

DE

“ Joey, so sorry to hear about the passing of your dad. I'll always remember he had a nickname for everybody....he was a great guy.
Dennis DeLappe

dennisdelappe - June 02, 2014 at 06:43 AM

MC

“ Joel, my deepest sympathy in the passing of your Dad. I enjoyed knowing you and working with you at BGF. God bless you and your family. Mac Calhoun

Mac Calhoun - May 31, 2014 at 08:40 PM

DB

“ Remembering the Jokes and Pizza Day.

David N Brooks



David N Brooks - May 30, 2014 at 09:15 AM

AB

“ Remembering the Fun and Jokes.

Ann P Brooks



ann p brooks - May 30, 2014 at 09:11 AM

RC

“ Ray And Kay Caldwell lit a candle in memory of Joel Wayne Sutphin Sr.



Ray and Kay caldwell - May 30, 2014 at 08:22 AM

WS

“ Wayne & Clara Smith lit a candle in memory of Joel Wayne Sutphin Sr.



Wayne & Clara Smith - May 29, 2014 at 10:38 PM



“ Robert Finch lit a candle in memory of Joel Wayne Sutphin Sr.



Robert Finch - May 29, 2014 at 07:56 PM



“ Marlo Henderson lit a candle in memory of Joel Wayne Sutphin Sr.



Marlo Henderson - May 29, 2014 at 07:40 PM

AW

“ Joe, Tamera, Lisa, Blake, and Travis, I have too many memories of your dad and the good times we all had.

Darlene and I send our condolences to you all.

Andy West



Andy West - May 29, 2014 at 07:37 PM

EE

“ Eugene & Mary Edmonds lit a candle in
memory of Joel Wayne Sutphin Sr.



Eugene & Mary Edmonds - May 29, 2014 at 02:07 PM

DB

“ Lisa,
Thinking of you at this difficult time. You're in my prayers.
Diane

Diane Bunyea - May 29, 2014 at 01:04 PM