



John B. "Jack" Dawson

September 23, 1928 - March 12, 2011

John B. "Jack" Dawson, 82, of Carrollton, Ohio passed away on Saturday evening, March 12, 2011 at the Carroll Healthcare Center after a brief illness. A son of the late William Carl Dawson and Irene Shaw Dawson, he was born at Mercy Hospital in Canton, Ohio on September 23, 1928. He was a mechanic and auto body shop worker by trade. He was a member of the Carrollton First United Methodist Church and attended Carrollton High School until his senior year when he enlisted and served in the U.S. Navy from June 13, 1946 until he was honorably discharged on April 14, 1948. Jack was an avid NASCAR fan. He was also a big fan of Harness Racing, the Carrollton Warriors and Ohio State. He is survived by his wife the former Ellen McCartney whom he married March 26, 1952; a son Michael (Sheryl) Dawson of Canton; a daughter Marcie (John) Fowler of Mount Vernon, Ohio; two grandsons Chad Michal of Strongsville, Ohio and Carey Dawson of Canton, Ohio; two granddaughters, Valerie (Zach) Burrell of Howard, Ohio and Amanda (Darin) Nicholls of Canton, Ohio; two great-grandsons Jacob and Isaac Burrell of Howard, Ohio; many nieces and nephews; and Donald Pete Slates his best friend whom he considered a giant of a man. Along with his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers William of Tennessee and W. Robert of Arizona. Funeral services will be Wednesday, March 16, 2011 at 11:00 a.m. in Sweeney-Dodds Funeral Home with Rev. Kimberly Arbaugh officiating. Burial will follow in Westview Cemetery in Carrollton. Visitation will be Tuesday evening from 6-9 p.m. in the funeral home.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. May the words in Isaiah 26:19 give you hope and comfort.*

Barb & Tom Layton - January 29, 2015 at 01:08 PM

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“ *Thinking of you and your family during this difficult time. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Tamara W - January 29, 2015 at 01:08 PM