



John W. Namestnik

October 24, 1932 - December 6, 2012

John W. Namestnik, age 80, a lifelong Mentor resident, died Thursday, Dec. 6, 2012, at Hospice House in Cleveland. He was born Oct. 24, 1932, in Mentor.

Mr. Namestnik was an elevator installer at Otis Elevator for 43 years, retiring in 1994. Mr. Namestnik was a U.S. Armyveteran. He hung out with his buddies at Spudnuts on Center Street for the past 20 years. He enjoyed fishing, casinos and garage sales. He loved spending time with his family.

Survivors include his wife of 56 years, Nancy (Chapuis) Namestnik; children, Kim (Tom) Dusa of Cincinnati, Kathy (Kevin) Sichula of Ligonier, Pa., Karen (David) Sarnovsky of Latrobe, Pa., and David (Lisa) Namestnik of Pittsburgh, Pa.; grandchildren, Lacy (fiance, Kevin Jensen) and Adam Sarnovsky, John, Bill, and Mike Dusa, Dylan Sichula, Alexa and Lily Namestnik; sister, Helen Schafer of Norwalk; sister-in-law, Charlene (Earl) Bledsoe of Mentor; brother-in-law, Melvin (Joan) Chapuis of Harpersfield; and many nieces and nephews.

Preceding John in death are his parents, Emil and Mary Namestnik; brothers, Joe, George, Paul and Albert Namestnik; sisters, Rose Cobb and Hazel Waters; and in-laws, Melvin and Florence Chapuis.

A memorial service will be 1 p.m. Monday at Mentor Baptist Church, 7500 Johnnycake Ridge Road, Mentor. The family will receive friends from 1 to 5

p.m. Sunday at Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor. (Family requests casual attire please.) Inurnment will be Mentor Cemetery in Mentor.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Hospice of the Western Reserve, 17876 St. Clair Ave., Cleveland, OH 44110, or please support Toys for Tots by bringing a toy to the visitation or service to donate.

Online obituary at www.brunners.com.