



John Walter Czarnota

October 12, 1930 - January 26, 2018

Pre deceased by his parents: John S. and Bernice Czarnota and his sister Evelyn Kaczmariski.

Beloved husband of Alice

Loving father of Jan Czarnota (Carl Berlin), Rev. Paul Czarnota, and Kris Czarnota.

Cherished grandfather of Katie Berlin (Julian Standiford) and Matthew Berlin.

Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

John was a veteran of the Korean War. He retired from Detroit News and Free Press in 1997 after 50 years of service. He loved his family and, after retirement he was integral in caring for his grandchildren arriving each morning to make breakfast and take them to school. They never came home to an empty house. He was good at drawing, he loved nature and especially his pets (Athena, Duke, and Holly). Some of his last thoughts were to ensure that the seed was filled and the birds in the backyard were fed. In lieu of flowers please consider masses for the repose of his soul or contributions to the Capuchin Soup Kitchen.

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

18201 Clinton River Rd
Clinton Township, MI

Tribute Wall



“ *John Walter Czarnota*

October 23, 2023 at 04:00 AM



“ *John Walter Czarnota*

January 06, 2023 at 05:24 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of John Walter Czarnota.*



January 28, 2018 at 12:01 PM

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“ *Our Sincere Sympathy. John's childhood family was very close to my family, Julius and Helen Danielski. We spent several summers at Upper Straits Lake sharing a trailer around 1943. The Dads would commute to work while the wives and kids frolicked at the lake. John was known as "Junior" and he and my late brother John were pals - they both attended Cass Tech and Wayne University. John's father was godfather to my brother James. John's Mom was my sponsor for Confirmation. I spent a lot of time with Evelyn who was like a younger sister. Our paths separated when John C. was drafted into the service. This was very painful to his parents. My brother had a deferment as he was in medical school. I was briefly acquainted with Alice, as we both worked at St. Francis Hospital. I worked in the pharmacy and later went to medical school. As my husband, I and our children (now adults) were away from Michigan for 40 years until our retirement to Ann Arbor, I often wondered what happened to our childhood friends. Sorry to learn that Evelyn has passed. I understand that she became a teacher. It is sad to learn of ones friends through an obituary, however, it is a comfort to know that John was a wonderful family man. kind and highly respected. with children and grandchildren he loved so much. and who loved him. We will keep Alice and his family in our prayers and may God grant him eternal rest.*

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Joyce Danielski Kales, M..D. - January 27, 2018 at 06:14 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John Walter Czarnota.*



January 27, 2018 at 01:49 PM



“ *Rose Tribute was purchased for the family of John Walter Czarnota.*



January 27, 2018 at 11:18 AM