

John Edwin Gapp

John was born July 12, 1926, in Elm Springs, SD to Otto and Anna (Leonard) Gapp. He joined the US Navy from 1951 to 1954, serving during the Korean conflict. On May 21, 1955, he married Dorothy Reinhold Grenz. In the mid 1960's John partnered with his brother Bob Gapp in Sturgis Meat Service. They worked together until Bob's retirement in the mid 1980's. John continued to run the business until his retirement in 2000.

John E. Gapp, 88, Piedmont, died Thursday, December 25, 2014 at Ft. Meade VA Medical Center.

John is survived by his wife, Dorothy Gapp; three sons, Duane Grenz, Bill Grenz, and Ronald Gapp; one daughter, Patty Pottorff; 12 Grandchildren; and 18 great-grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Otto and Anna Gapp; three children, Jimmy, Tommy and Patty Ann; three sisters, Lola, Jean and Esther; and one brother, Robert.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.kinkadefunerals.com.



*The family invites you for fellowship and lunch
at the church immediately following the funeral service.
We thank you for your presence and condolences.*

In Loving Memory Of



John Edwin Gapp

1926 ~ 2014



Psalm 121

New King James Version (NKJV)

**God the Help of Those Who Seek Him
A Song of Ascents.**

121 I will lift up my eyes to the hills-
From whence comes my help?
My help comes from the Lord,
Who made heaven and earth.
He will not allow your foot to be moved;
He who keeps you will not slumber.
Behold, He who keeps Israel
Shall neither slumber nor sleep.
The Lord is your keeper;
The Lord is your shade at your right hand.
The sun shall not strike you by day,
Nor the moon by night.
The Lord shall preserve you from all evil;
He shall preserve your soul.
The Lord shall preserve your going out and your coming in
From this time forth, and even forevermore.

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Born

July 12, 1926
Elm Springs, South Dakota

Died

December 25, 2014
Ft. Meade, South Dakota

Funeral Service

Tuesday, December 30, 2014 at 10:00 a.m.
Open Bible Christian Center
Rapid City, South Dakota

Clergy

Pastor Les Potts

Musicians

Robin Reinhold & Girls

Special Musical Selections

“The New 23 Psalm”

Pallbearers

Burt Grenz ~ Bart Grenz ~ John D. Gapp
James Gapp ~ Caleb Grenz ~ Thomas Pottorff

Honorary Pallbearers

Lyle Lang ~ Dr. Ruben Bareis ~ Dean Gapp ~ Shorty Goen
Gene Albright ~ Sean Richard ~ Tige Reinhold ~ Dick Bowen
Hank Thompson ~ Don Kopp ~ Vern Wilson

Military Honors

Rapid City Post 1273 Veteran’s Honor Guard

Interment

Mountain View Cemetery
Rapid City, South Dakota