



John William Coppock Sr.

June 12, 1944 - October 25, 2012

John W. Coppock, Sr., 68, of Houston, passed away peacefully surrounded by his family on Thursday, October 25, 2012. Mr. Coppock was born June 12, 1944 in Detroit, MI. John is preceded in death by his mother, Fay Louise Coppock, of Boise, Idaho. He is survived by his loving wife of 47 years, Cheryl Coppock of Houston; sons, John William Coppock, Jr. and wife Theresa of Port Aransas, Texas, and Robert George Coppock of Houston; granddaughters, Ashley Renee Periman of Houston and Kylie Loren Coppock of Port Aransas, and grandson, Ian Chandler Coppock of Port Aransas.

John grew up in Michigan and attended Western Michigan University. He met and consequently married the love of his life, Cheryl Distelrath in 1965. He went on to graduate in 1966. As a college student and young adult in the 1960's he played banjo and guitar and loved to sing folk songs. When his sons were young, the family enjoyed their vacations of traveling and camping throughout many regions of the United States. John was strengthened by a steadfast faith in God who guided his life. He loved animals and animals responded to him. His son, John Jr. stated, "I never knew a dog that didn't like my dad." John and Cheryl were married for 47 years and were best friends and soul mates. They did nearly everything together including traveling and spending time on their boat. John enjoyed social gatherings and meeting new people. As a self-employed business consultant he genuinely loved his profession and found satisfaction from being able to help people and

businesses with their problems. His family and friends will miss his quick wit and dry sense of humor.

The Coppock family will receive friends Thursday, November 1, 2012 from 6:00 PM until 8:00 PM at Dettling Funeral Home, 14094 Memorial Dr. @ Kirkwood. A Memorial Service will be held Friday, November 2, 2012 at 11:00 AM at Ascension Episcopal Church, 2525 Seagler Rd., Houston, TX 77042. A reception in the parish hall on the church grounds will follow the memorial service. Please consider contributions in John's memory to Ascension Episcopal Church, 2525 Seagler Road, Houston, TX 77042.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 1. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Dettling Funeral Home
14094 Memorial Drive
Houston, TX 77079
(281) 497-2121
david@dettlingfuneral.com

Memorial Service

NOV 2. 11:00 AM (CT)

Ascension Episcopal Church
2525 Seagler Road
Houston, TX 77042

Tribute Wall



“ *John William Coppock Sr.*

October 08, 2023 at 10:52 AM



“ *John William Coppock Sr.*

October 06, 2023 at 01:12 AM



“ *John William Coppock Sr.*

October 05, 2023 at 09:45 AM



“ *John William Coppock Sr.*

October 05, 2023 at 01:54 AM



“ *Cheryl and Family,*

So sorry for your loss. I had been out of town and had just gotten back so I wasn't able to make the service. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

Please let me know if you need anything.

Sarah de Haas

Sarah de Haas - November 06, 2012 at 09:16 AM

DJ

“ *Don Juarez lit a candle in memory of John William Coppock Sr.*



Don Juarez - November 01, 2012 at 01:32 PM

BA

“ *BARBARA ADAMS lit a candle in memory of John William Coppock Sr.*



BARBARA ADAMS - October 31, 2012 at 04:12 PM

LK

“ *Louis, Carol, Michelle & Kendal purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of John William Coppock Sr..*



Louis, Carol, Michelle & Kendal - October 31, 2012 at 11:24 AM

SA

“ *When I was a teenager growing up in Alief, Rob and I were best friends. I was so close to the Coppocks, that I'd just walk in their back door and tell John and Cheryl, "Hi Mom and Dad!" and then I'd walk back to Rob's room.*

John was always quick to give helpful advice to me, even though I was just the brat from down the street! :)

I am so sad that he's gone. My love and prayers to the entire Coppock clan.

Scott Allison - October 31, 2012 at 09:49 AM



“ *Heavenly Grace Spray was purchased for the family of John William Coppock Sr..*



October 30, 2012 at 03:01 PM

MO

“ *Cheryl,
Susan and I send our condolences and prayers for you and your family. John was much too young to be taken from us. We are here if you need us.*

I can see him cruising heaven is a new Corvette.

*Your neighbors,
Monte & Susan Dunten*

Monte - October 29, 2012 at 06:04 PM

KB

“ Ken Burgess lit a candle in memory of John William Coppock Sr.



Ken Burgess - October 29, 2012 at 11:01 AM

SB

“ cheryl

thoughts and prayers are with you and the family

Stan Baugh

stan baugh - October 29, 2012 at 08:14 AM

LD

“ Cheryl---I'm so sorry for your loss. I enjoyed working with John many years ago with Adrian Piperi's group. I will always remember how he loved you and the boat and the many stories he told me about your weekend trips on the boat. He had a great smile.

Linda Dougherty - October 28, 2012 at 10:52 AM

CC

*Cheryl, I am so sorry for you loss. I know he will be missed. It was Great that John had all of his family with him until the end, it does make the crossing over much easier. But he is in a wonderful place and will be waiting for you with open armes.
Love and prayers to all the family.
Louis and Carol Chandler*

Carol Chandler - October 31, 2012 at 11:10 AM