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JOHN LLOYD HERPY, JR.



John (Jack) Lloyd Herpy, Jr., 84, of Jacksonville, passed away November 13, 2022 at home, with his loving wife and family by his side. Jack was born January 11, 1938 in Utica, NY, to the late John Herpy and Marion (Bord) Herpy. He graduated from New Hartford Senior High School in New Hartford, NY in June

1955. He later continued his education at Massey Business College in Jacksonville.

Jack proudly and honorably served his country in the US Marine Corp from August 1955 until September 1959. He then continued to serve in the USMC Reserves until February 18, 1963. Following a long career in the tire industry, he retired from Uniroyal Goodrich Tire Company. Jack was a long-time member of Covenant Presbyterian Church where he served as an elder and youth leader for several years. Currently he was a member of St. Andrews Presbyterian Church. He was a member of the Yellow Rockers Square Dance Club for many years. Jack also enjoyed traveling with his wife and playing poker with his friends. Jack thoroughly enjoyed spending time with his family, especially his grandson Todd and granddaughters Madison and McKinleigh, who were the joys of his life.

Jack is survived by his wife of 37 years, Phyllis Woodcock Herpy; children Keith Herpy and Kathy Kaye; stepchildren Peggy (Mike) Jones and Rex (Beth) Hardy; grandchildren Todd Herpy, Ryan Hardy, Aaron Hardy, Madison and McKinleigh Jones; siblings Donald Herpy and Alice (Ernie) Lindemann; brothers-in-law Jack (Peggy) Woodcock and Bill (Marian) Woodcock; sister-in-law Catherine "Kiki" Jones; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; and brother Brad Herpy.

Pallbearers will be Todd Herpy, Mike Jones, Rex Hardy, Robert Snodgrass, J. C. Snodgrass and James Irby.

The family will receive friends Friday, December 2 at noon prior to the memorial service at 1 p.m. at St. Andrews Presbyterian Church with Rev. Ann Graham-Johnson, Rev. Larry Graham-Johnson and Rev. Jess McCrosky officiating. Interment, with military honors, will follow at Riverside Memorial Park Cemetery, Jacksonville.

The family wishes to thank Amedisys Hospice of Greeneville, TN for the excellent care Jack received, with special thanks to caregivers Debbie, Tammy and Courtney. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the charity of your choice in Jack's honor.

Expressions of sympathy may be shared at www. hgriversidefuneralhome.com.

Funeral arrangements by Hardage-Giddens Funeral Home, Jacksonville.