



John Smitley,

October 12, 1927 - December 22, 2012

John Milton Smitley, Jr., 85 of New Concord, died 6:55 AM Saturday, December 22, 2012 at Highland Oaks in McConnelsville. He was born Wednesday, October 12, 1927 in Zanesville, the son of John Milton Smitley, Sr. and Mildred (Johnson) Smitley. John was a resident of the REM-Ohio Group Home for over 19 years. He loved baskets and collecting them, he loved rabbits and the color red. He loved to travel, especially day trips with his favorite care giver: Sandy.

John is survived by two brothers: Jan Smitley and Mike Smitley both of California and many friends from the group home.

John was preceded in death by his parents.

A Memorial Service to celebrate John's life will be held 1:00 PM, with a gathering of friends beginning at 12:30 PM, Wednesday, January 2, 2012 at The Hillis & Hardwick Funeral Home, 935 Forest Avenue, Zanesville with Rev. Paul Ashbrook officiating. Burial will follow in California at a later date. To sign the online register book or to send a personal condolence note please visit www.HillisHardwickFH.com

Tribute Wall



“ *John Smitley,*

October 06, 2023 at 04:22 AM



“ *You will be missed.....*



Mike Cyplik - January 18, 2013 at 08:43 AM