

*Celebration of Life Service*  
Hackett-Livingston Funeral Home  
Shenandoah, Iowa  
Thursday, June 12, 2014  
2:00 p.m.

*Words of Comfort*  
Pastor Marcia Barnett

*Special Music*  
"Good Hearted Woman"  
George McGargill

*Musical Selections*  
"Heaven Or Hell"  
"This Is My Father's World"  
"When I Get To Where I am Going"

*Memory Register*  
Charlotte Gibson

*Honorary Casket Bearers*  
John Rogers  
Howard Johnson  
Chuck Irvin  
Oren Irvin

*Casket Bearers*  
Ryan Norby  
James Irvin  
Wesley Stogdill, Sr.  
Wesley Stogdill, Jr.  
Chuck Binau  
Marion Gulick

*Interment*  
Rose Hill Cemetery  
Shenandoah, Iowa

### *John Richard Miller*

John Richard Miller, son of John Ross and Ruth E. (Hoskins) Miller, was born on January 31, 1932 in Clarinda, Iowa. He went home to be with his Lord on Tuesday, June 10, 2014 peacefully passing away at his home in Shenandoah, Iowa at the age of 82.

Growing up, John was an only child, living with his parents and grandfather, Lewis Ellsworth Miller on a farm near Yorktown, Iowa. His mother was hospitalized when John was around seven years old. She remained hospitalized until her death when John was 13 years old. He later moved to Shenandoah with his father and grandfather. John lost both his father and grandfather by the time he turned 18.

In 1950, John was united in marriage to Dorothy Lucille Cooper. In June of 1970, Dorothy passed away suddenly. In 1982, John met Sheila Jean Irvin and they were married at the River Walk in San Antonio, Texas in 1986.

John was employed at the Spot Café in Shenandoah until he started his career with the Shenandoah US Post Office in 1955. He worked for a short while in the Hamburg Post Office and later became Post Master at Logan, Iowa.

During his early years John loved to fish and hunt. Golfing became his all time favorite sport. One of his fondest golfing experiences was being taken to the Masters by his youngest son, Steve, in Atlanta, Georgia. He loved music and dancing. He never missed a chance to dance with Sheila to the song "Good Hearted Woman". Sheila and John were able to travel to many different states, including Hawaii. One of their favorite places to spend the winter was in Apache Junction, Arizona.

Survivors include his wife, Sheila; six children, Danny Miller of Sidney, IA, Janet Hook of Shenandoah, IA, Michael Miller and wife Amy of Cookeville, TN, Steven Miller and wife Michelle of Atlanta, GA, Wendy Seddon and husband Mike of Creston, IA and Kizzie Wilson and husband Adam of Glenwood, IA; thirteen grandchildren, Danny's three daughters, Alyssa, Amity, and Rhema, Janet's four children, Debra, Nikki, Natalie and Brandon, Michael's three children, Eric John and Emma and Kizzie's three children, Samantha, Madyson and William. Also surviving are 14 great grandchildren; and one great-great grandchild; a brother-in-law; three sister-in-laws; numerous nieces, nephews and many friends.

John also leaves his "little doggie", Henry Hoover Miller, in the care of his wife, Sheila, and daughter, Janet.

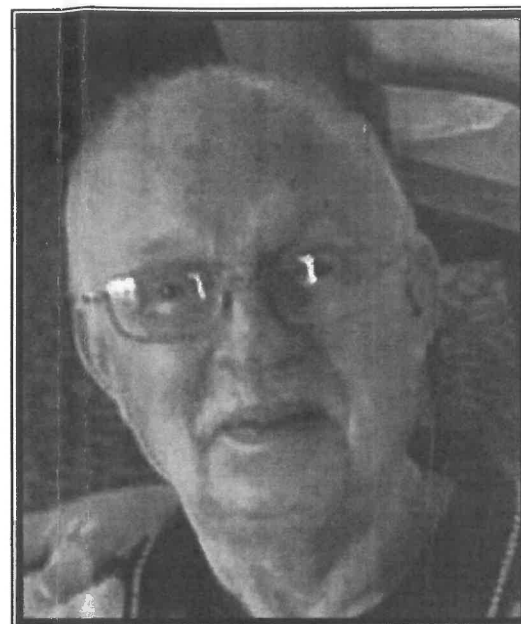
John's smile, laugh, his sense of humor and hilarious stories are just some of the memories he gave to his family and friends.

*Celebrating The Life*  
*Of*  
**John R. Miller**

Memorials are being directed to People for Paws in  
Shenandoah in John's name.

*Everyone is invited to join the family for a time of  
refreshments and fellowship at the  
Shenandoah Eagles Club.*

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*The Miller family wishes to thank everyone for the  
care and concern shown them at this time.*



*Born*  
**January 31, 1932**  
**Clarinda, Iowa**

*Entered Rest*  
**June 10, 2014**  
**Shenandoah, Iowa**

*Services Entrusted to*  
*Hackett-Livingston Funeral Home*  
*Shenandoah, Iowa*  
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