



John A. Dunn

November 25, 1935 - February 3, 2020

John Andrew Dunn was born in College Corner, Indiana November 25, 1934, to Rev. Floyd and Eulalia Dunn. He went to be with the Lord on February 3, 2020 at the age of 85.

He graduated from Frankfort Pilgrim College in 1956 with a B.A. in Religion, and was awarded an honorary Doctorate of Divinity in 1990 by Oklahoma Wesleyan University. He was an ordained minister in The Wesleyan Church. He served as Chief Executive Officer of Wesleyan Investment Foundation for 25 years and as a member of the Board of Directors for an additional 20 years after his retirement.

John married Wilma Mae Carpenter on July 30, 1954, and they remained married for 65 years until Wilma's death in April of 2019. Their home was blessed with six children.

John walked in the light God gave him and fulfilled his duty and desire to worship his Savior, love his family, minister to many, and befriend a multitude for the sake of the Kingdom. One of John's favorite Bible verses was Matthew 25:23: "Well done, good and faithful servant; thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

John was preceded in death by his wife, Wilma Mae (Carpenter) Dunn, his parents, a son, Glenn Dunn, and a daughter-in-law, Mindy Dunn. He is survived by five children: Charissa Dunn of Bartlesville, OK, Daniel and DiAnn Dunn of Chesterton, IN, Kristeen Walker of McCordsville, IN, Craig and Tammy Dunn of Fishers, IN, and James and Wendy Dunn of Bartlesville, OK. He is also survived by Glenn's widow, Rhonda Dunn of Derby, KS, 13 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be held on Sunday, February 9, 2020, from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at Park Chapel Christian Church, 1176 E. McKenzie Rd, Greenfield, IN 46140. A funeral service will be held on Monday, February 10, 2020, at 1:00 p.m. at the church. Burial will follow at Park Cemetery in Greenfield.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the John and Wilma Dunn Church Planting Scholarship Fund at Oklahoma Wesleyan University, 2201 Silver Lake Road, Bartlesville, OK 74006. Friends may share a memory or condolence at <http://www.erleweinmortuary.com>.

Arrangements are being handled by Erlewein Mortuary & Crematory in Greenfield.

Cemetery

Park Cemetery

621 South State Street
Greenfield, IN, 46140

Events

FEB **Visitation** 02:00PM - 06:00PM

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Park Chapel Christian Church
1176 E. McKenzie Rd., Greenfield, IN, US, 46140

FEB **Funeral Service** 01:00PM

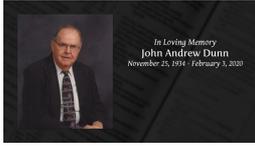
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Comments



“ An external video has been added.



Erlewein Mortuary & Crematory - February 07, 2020 at 01:07 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with the Dunn family. John was a “good and faithful servant”. John and Wilma were blessings and their legacy will forever live on.
Linda Vodney

Linda Vodney - February 10, 2020 at 08:39 AM



“ As newlyweds, we joined John and Wilma in Phoenix in the summer of 1970. What a privilege to be introduced to ministry, to the loving Arizona District and to their lively family! John and Wilma both were wonderful examples of high energy and enthusiastic optimism. They hold a dear place in our hearts and in our memories. Thank you, John (and Wilma), for so generously giving to the Lord. Paul and Sue Emery

Susan Emery - February 07, 2020 at 11:19 AM



“ John was my pastor when I was a kid in Arizona. His boy's club at the church was a God-send to a kid whose father traveled away from home a lot. I will never forget our horseback rides and mountain climbing excursions. What a blessing he and Wilma both were. David Emery

David Emery - March 02, 2020 at 06:55 PM



“ John and Wilma were early church planters along with my parents in Arizona, and we share many wonderful memories. He gave great leadership as district superintendent before his call to serve at church headquarters. As I pastored in Albuquerque, I often called John for advice. Praise God for his life!
Jim& Diane Turner

Jim Turner - February 05, 2020 at 07:03 PM



“ John was a great encourager into my life and ministry. Because of our pathways in Arizona there was always a kindred spirit. Blessings to the entire family! All our love--
Pastor Mike and Robin Higley

Pastor Mike Higley - February 05, 2020 at 12:27 PM



“ Milton and Linda Lightbourne
We extend sincerest condolences and sympathies, to the Dunn Family. We got to know Dr. Dunn, while serving in England. He did a series of services, at the Wesleyan Holiness Church Convention, in Birmingham, England. His sermons on that occasion, were most challenging and inspiring. Got to spend time with him, following the meetings. Always a very warm and gracious servant of the Lord. When we served in the ICD., from 1989-1994, our paths crossed again and he was an encourager, as we served in ministry. He's now forever with the God, whom he knew intimately, served faithfully and proclaimed passionately. We honor and celebrate his life and legacy. He's now resting in peace and will, in that DAY, rise in power and glory. God bless!!

Milton Lightbourne - February 06, 2020 at 07:49 AM