



## Mr. John William Anderson Jr.

September 13, 1927 - March 30, 2018

John William Anderson, Jr., 90, of Lakeland, Florida, born in New Beaver, Pennsylvania on September 13, 1927, entered into eternal rest on March 30, 2018. He loved trains, bird watching, yodeling, and watching movies. He was preceded in death by his wife of 55 years, Betty Anderson; and son, Keith Anderson. He is survived by his children, Kathy Brundell (David) of Ft. Myers, Lisa Coker (Arthur) of Lakeland, Donna Stewart (James) of Plant City, and Brian Anderson (Patricia) of Lakeland; grandchildren, Vicky, Stephanie, Shawn, Elizabeth, Carissa, Justin, and Katie; and great-grandchildren, Colin, Delaney, McKenzie, AnnaBella, Andrew, Mason, and Syanna. A Celebration of Life will be held Monday, April 2 at 2:00 P.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 S County Road 39, Plant City, where the family will receive friends beginning at 1:00 P.M. Interment in Hopewell Memorial Gardens, Plant City. Expressions of condolence at [www.HopewellFuneral.com](http://www.HopewellFuneral.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Hopewell Memorial Gardens

6005 County Road 39 South  
Plant City, FL 33567  
(813) 737-3128  
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# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 2. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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## Celebration of Life

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# Tribute Wall

GW

“ Donna, I am so sorry for your loss. - Greg Wachtel

Greg Wachtel - April 06, 2018 at 11:12 AM

JS

“ Donna, may the memories you shared with your father bring you comfort now and in the future. When I think of your dad, I picture his sweet smile. He was a gentle giant. I am blessed to have enjoyed times with him at family gatherings over the years. I wish I could be there to hug you and help in some way to lessen the pain. My love to you, Jim, and Jim. Please extend my condolences to all your family. I love you, Jan Stewart

Jan Stewart - April 02, 2018 at 11:28 AM

JS

Also love and hugs to Justin in the loss of his grandfather.

Jan Stewart - April 02, 2018 at 11:30 AM

CR

“ Donna. Cherish the many special memories of your father over the years. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Blessings to you and your family. Charlene & Richard

Charlene & Richard - April 02, 2018 at 11:23 AM

LB

“ Lisa Blue lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Anderson Jr.



Lisa Blue - April 02, 2018 at 07:58 AM

ET

“ *Eliva Roberta Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Anderson Jr.*



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**Eliva Roberta Taylor** - April 01, 2018 at 06:54 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Mr. John William Anderson Jr..*



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April 01, 2018 at 06:48 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mr. John William Anderson Jr..*



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April 01, 2018 at 02:40 AM



“ Perhaps it was around 1962, or maybe 1963, when I was 9 or 10, my family moved to the house across the street from the John Anderson family. I was friends with the Anderson children: Little baby Donna, Brian, Lisa...but in particular, Kathy. To me, Mr. Anderson was a quiet, polite gentleman who obviously loved his family. I was a kid, and did not interact so much with the parents, but when I did, he was always pleasant. I always thought he was so handsome!

A few years later, we moved away, but Kathy and I remained friends and kept in sporadic touch (back in the days before Facebook). As young adults, we again had opportunities to visit, and I again found Mr. Anderson to be just as kind and gentle as I had remembered him.

I know his family will miss him terribly, and he will be missed by many. My heart goes out to his family.

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**Jan Jackson** - March 31, 2018 at 11:17 AM



“ Justina Falcone lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Anderson Jr.




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**Justina Falcone** - March 30, 2018 at 08:27 PM



Dear Kathy, I am thinking of you and praying for you and your family at this time. I was so glad to see that you have a special peace about your father passing into his eternal home. May you and your family find comfort in his memories.

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**Justina Falcone** - March 30, 2018 at 08:29 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mr. John William Anderson Jr..*



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March 30, 2018 at 04:44 PM



“ *FiTeq Team purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mr. John William Anderson Jr..*



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**FiTeq Team** - March 30, 2018 at 04:29 PM