



Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr

March 20, 1957 - September 15, 2024

Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr., (Epp), of Hainesport, NJ, passed away on Sunday, September 15, 2024. He was born on March 20, 1957, in Lexington, Kentucky, he lived most of his life in Hainesport. Johnny was preceded in death by his parents, Johnny Sr and Delores as well as his sisters Brenda and Jo Ann. He is survived by his sister and best friend Margie Serad, along with his sons Johnny III (Jaime) and Jason (Lauren), and his cherished grandchildren: Jordyn, Joslyn, Spencer, Averie, and Lennan. A skilled welder since his teenage years, Johnny joined the Operating Engineers Local 542 C branch in 1986 and remained a member until 2007, working for Wel-Fab, Inc as a welder/fabricator on various job sites across Pennsylvania including GROWS landfill. After purchasing a farm he relocated to West Virginia. Eventually, he made the decision to live a simple life. He returned to Hainesport on his bike leaving everything behind, he began working locally at Triple D Enterprises in Southampton where he was still employed. He took joy in teaching others the craft he mastered. He loved his friends, family, and riding. He died doing what he loved.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend his viewing on Tuesday, September 24th from 4-6pm at the Perinchief Chapels, 438 High St., Mount Holly. A Service will follow at 6pm at the Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Viewing

SEP **24.** 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Perinchief Chapels
438 High Street
Mt. Holly, NJ 08060
(609) 267-0399
info@perinchief.com
<http://www.perinchief.com>

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Jeremy Meyer (Cleary, Josem & Trigiani) planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.*

Jeremy Meyer (Cleary, Josem & Trigiani) - September 24, 2024 at 09:31 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.*



September 24, 2024 at 09:31 AM



“ *The Downey Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.*

The Downey Family - September 23, 2024 at 09:09 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.*



September 23, 2024 at 09:09 PM

WE

“ Will remember many hours playing frisbee on the corner of Maryland and Walnut Ave
From Walt Eadie

Walt Eadie - September 23, 2024 at 04:19 PM

MP

“ Marc Newcomb & Louie P. purchased the Divine Light for the family of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.



Marc Newcomb & Louie P. - September 23, 2024 at 04:16 PM

MP

“ Marc Newcomb & Louie P. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.

Marc Newcomb & Louie P. - September 23, 2024 at 04:16 PM

IO

“ IUOE Benefit Funds Office planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.

IUOE Benefit Funds Office - September 23, 2024 at 03:07 PM



“ Rose Remembrance was purchased for the family of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.



September 23, 2024 at 03:07 PM



“ Jim & The Office Staff of Local 542 planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.

Jim & The Office Staff of Local 542 - September 23, 2024 at 01:51 PM



“ Jim & The Office Staff of Local 542 purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.



Jim & The Office Staff of Local 542 - September 23, 2024 at 01:51 PM



“ Kathy L. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.

Kathy L. - September 23, 2024 at 11:17 AM

GJ

“ Gordon, Keith, Chuck, Brian and Joann planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.

Gordon, Keith, Chuck, Brian and Joann - September 20, 2024 at 05:43 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.



September 20, 2024 at 05:43 PM

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“ Philly Club 542 purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.



Philly Club 542 - September 20, 2024 at 07:08 AM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.



September 19, 2024 at 01:45 PM

WM

“ With love from C Branch and The Maguires planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.

With love from C Branch and The Maguires - September 19, 2024 at 01:45 PM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.



September 19, 2024 at 08:27 AM

JS

“ Jane Schneider-Johnson purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.



Jane Schneider-Johnson - September 18, 2024 at 10:55 PM

JS

“ Jane Schneider-Johnson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Johnny Franklin Epperson Jr.

Jane Schneider-Johnson - September 18, 2024 at 10:55 PM

PW

“ I met Johnny three years ago when I moved into the apartment building and we were side-by-side neighbors. He became my very good friend. He was the kindest, gentle and most caring person that I have ever met . in the winter when it snowed, I would go out to start the car and it was already cleaned off. I never took my trash out or my recycling as he always did that as the gentleman he was he really became a true friend and in return for how gracious he always was to me if I made lasagna or beef stew I always took him a container and he was always so happy to have a home-cooked meal and it brought me pleasure doing that. I sat with him the morning before he went on his ride on our porch I have so many great memories of him and he will forever be missed rest in peace by dear friend until I see you again. My prayers go out to his family and friends 🙏🕊️💖

Patrice Watt - September 18, 2024 at 08:02 PM

JE



john epperson - September 18, 2024 at 09:53 PM

DA

The hardest part of an unexpected death is not having the opportunity to say goodbye, "I wish I'd had a chance to say goodbye, but I'll never regret how I loved you. Like a flipped switch, you were suddenly gone, and I was left without your light.

dave - September 19, 2024 at 02:12 PM

DA

those special memories of you will always bring a smile , If only I could have you back for just a little while , then we could sit and talk just like we used to do. You always meant so much to me and always will,,the fact that you're no longer here willl always cause me pain but you're forever in my heart until" We Meet Again"

dave - September 19, 2024 at 02:35 PM

KH

*My son had the privilege to work with Johnny at TripleD
I only hope he knew the impact he had on the young men just starting
out in the welding field. Not a day went by with out a "John" story, our
son Michael had such respect for him, as a co worker, mentor and a
friend. There will deffintely be a void in his life with Johnny being gone
from it. They say only the good die young here's proof ! May he now be
the Guarian Angel wathching over the weld shop.
The Hull's*

K Hull - September 21, 2024 at 09:06 AM



*Thank you for sharing this story. I'm proud of my dad. He was the
hardest working man I've ever known. I'm grateful to know he made an
impact. I know he's looking after the shop and others*

John Epperson - November 22, 2024 at 11:57 PM