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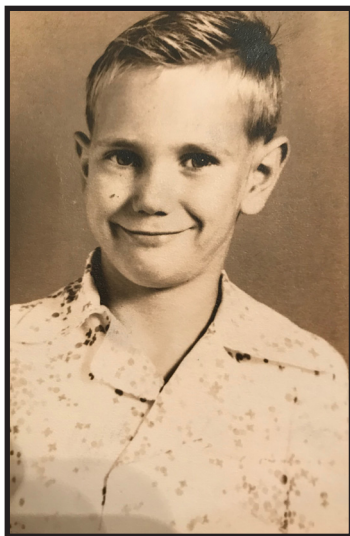


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Funeral Service

First Baptist Church of Greensboro

Greensboro, Georgia

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Rev. Mark Jones and

Rev. Ken Keely Officiating

The Naby Hymn

Eternal Father, Strong to save,
Whose arm hath bound the restless wave,
Who bid'st the mighty Ocean deep
Its own appointed limits keep;
O hear us when we cry to thee,
for those in peril on the sea.

O Christ! Whose voice the waters heard
And hushed their raging at Thy word,
Who walked'st on the foaming deep,
and calm amidst its rage didst sleep;
Oh hear us when we cry to Thee
For those in peril on the sea!

Most Holy spirit! Who didst brood
Upon the chaos dark and rude,
And bid its angry tumult cease,
And give, for wild confusion, peace;
Oh, hear us when we cry to Thee
For those in peril on the sea!

O Trinity of love and power!
Our brethren shield in danger's hour;
From rock and tempest, fire and foe,
Protect them wheresoe'er they go;
Thus evermore shall rise to Thee,
Glad hymns of praise from land and sea.

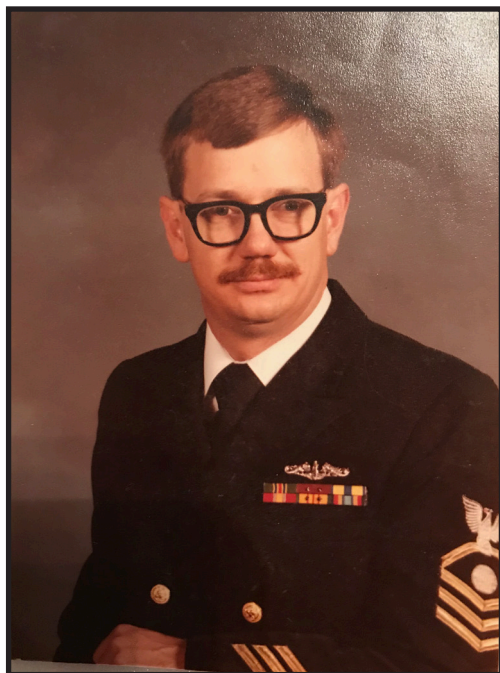
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Prelude	Susan Higdon
Processional	Susan Higdon
Opening Prayer	Rev. Ken Keely
Scripture	<i>John 14:1-3, 27</i>
<i>“Because He lives”</i>	Hymn # 407
	Congregational
Reflection	Rev. Ken Keely
<i>“How Great Thou Art”</i>	Sherry Patrick
Message	Rev. Mark Jones III
Closing Prayer	Rev. Mark Jones III
Recessional	Susan Higdon



The family thanks the many friends and relatives who have offered their love and support.



United States Navy Veteran

John Austin England

John Austin England, age 69, of Greensboro, GA, died Thursday, December 20, 2018 at his residence. John was born on January 13, 1949 in Broxton, GA, the son of the late Herschel Lee England, Sr. and Willie Mae Bohannon England. He graduated from Wayne County High School and joined the United States Navy where he proudly served his country for twenty years. In 1988 he received an honorable discharge as a Chief Petty Officer/E7. After his service in the Navy, he worked for James M. Pleasant Company as a technician. John married the former Mildred Bird on August 6, 1988. After Millie and John moved to Greensboro in 2005 they quickly endeared themselves to all who knew them and they dearly loved this community. John was an active member of Shiloh Baptist Church, serving as usher and trustee and was involved in Greensboro First Baptist Church where he taught Sunday school. John was also a member of the San Marino Lodge #34. He was a Gideon of the Greensboro-Madison Camp, a member of the ByKota Sunday School and Shiloh Adult Sunday School.

Survivors include his sweet wife, Millie of thirty years; daughter, Bonnie Jean Randall (Frank) of Rockport, TX; son, Lee England of Minnesota; godson, Dale Martin of Livermore, CA; sister, Willie England Burch (Billy) of Screven, GA; two grandchildren, Billie and Reece Randall; nieces, nephews, and many extended family members and a host of friends. He was preceded in death by his siblings, Lula Belle Yarborough, Roberta Joyce England, Herschel Lee England, Jr. and Ruby England Manning.

Funeral Services will be held Wednesday, December 26, 2018 at 1:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church, 203 S. Main Street, Greensboro, GA 30642 with Rev. Mark Jones and Rev. Ken Keely officiating. The family will receive friends from 12:00 p.m. until time for the service at the church. Serving as pallbearers will be Mike Norris, Mark Higdon, Doug Higdon, Andrew Marshall, Dale Wolfe, Frank Randall and Danny Wingate. Honorary pallbearers will be Sam Marshall, Harold Wilson, Robert Daniel, and members of Gideon and the Masonic Lodge. Interment will follow in the Shiloh Baptist Church Cemetery, 3400 Penfield Road, Greensboro, GA 30642. The family requests that any memorials be made to Shiloh Baptist Church, 3400 Penfield Road, Greensboro, GA 30642. McCommons Funeral Home, 109 W. Broad St., Greensboro, GA, (706) 453-2626, is in charge of arrangements. Visit us at www.mccommonsfuneralhome.com to sign the online guest register.



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