



John "Jay" Butz

September 21, 1956 - November 8, 2017

John "Jay" Lawrence Butz, 61, of Syracuse, beloved son, husband, father, friend, and coach passed unexpectedly at home.

Jay was preceded in death by his father, John, mother, Gloria Shmokaluk Butz-Hotze, and step-father, Howard Hotze.

Jay is survived by his loving wife, Susan; son, John and his wife Shannon; daughter, Merrissa and her fiancé Jonathan; brother, David; step-brother, Howard; step-sister, Christine; and a host of extended family and friends.

Calling hours are Wednesday, November 15th, from 4-7 PM at B.L. Bush & Sons Funeral Home, 10 W. Genesee St., Camillus. Reflections and memories will be shared at the close of calling hours.

Services will be Thursday, 10 AM at St. John the Baptist Ukrainian Church, 207 Tompkins St., Syracuse.

In lieu of flowers, consider donations to the Youth Soccer Program at the Y.M.C.A of Greater Syracuse, https://secure.ymca.org/securepayment/branch/donate.php?branch_id=1001

or

The Dewitt Animal Hospital, 5620 Thompson Rd, Syracuse, NY 13214 in honor of his favorite grand-dog Nenny. <http://www.dewittanimalhospital.org/>

Online condolences at www.BLBUSH.com

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **15**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

B.L. Bush & Sons Funeral Home
10 W. Genesee Street
Camillus, NY 13031
(315) 672-3400
info@bushfuneralhome.com
<https://www.bushfuneralhome.com/>

Service

NOV **16**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. John the Baptist Ukrainian Church
207 Tompkins Street
Syracuse, NY 13204
(315) 478-5109
sjbuccsyracuse@gmail.com
<https://www.stjohnbaptistucc.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ *B.L. Bush & Sons Funeral Home / Monuments created a Tribute Video in memory of John "Jay" Butz*



B.L. Bush & Sons Funeral Home / Monuments - November 15, 2017 at 01:21 PM



“ *Our deepest condolences to Sue and all of Jay's family. So very sorry for your loss.*

Pam and Gary Proctor

Pam Proctor - November 15, 2017 at 02:16 PM



“ *94 files added to the album Life Tributes*



B.L. Bush & Sons Funeral Home / Monuments - November 15, 2017 at 12:36 PM

JH

“ Love you guys! Jay was an awesome, loving man and will be missed! xo

Julie Hartland - November 14, 2017 at 02:17 PM

CM

“ Sue- I am so sorry to hear about Jay. I will always remember how welcoming he was at my sisters parties. He will truly be missed. I will be praying for you and your family.

Cheryl Monnell - November 14, 2017 at 11:22 AM

AV

“ Sue, John and Merrissa, i am so sorry to hear about Jay. I'm in shock. So many great memories of Wadsworth Rd. He was a wonderful neighbor. You are all in my prayers. Andrea Vasquez-German

Andrea Vasquez-German. - November 14, 2017 at 10:50 AM

LH

Sue, John and Merrissa, my thoughts and prayers are with you all. So surprise to hear of Jay's passing. He was a kind and caring person. I will always have fond memories of the fun times our families spent together.

Lois Hall - November 16, 2017 at 12:10 AM

TW

Sue and family, we are so sorry to hear of Jay's passing. We have fond memories of him in South Bend and at ND. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

John and Tess Wibbens

Tess Wibbens - November 28, 2017 at 11:41 AM

JF

“ *My deepest condolences, God bless to all*

Gerard Finn

J. Gerard Finn - November 14, 2017 at 09:37 AM