



## John D. Hodges

April 2, 1949 - July 28, 2013

John D. Hodges, 64, of Bloomington died Sunday morning July 28, 2013 at I.U. Health-Bloomington following a lengthy illness. He was born in Bedford, IN on April 2, 1949 the son of Harold and Audie (Hall) Hodges and was a 1967 graduate of Bedford High School. He served in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam

War and attended Purdue University and Indiana University.

John retired as Senior Vice President of Director of Contracts for Raydar Contract Co. operating out of the Crane Naval Weapons Supply Depot. He previously worked at Indiana University and with Big Red Liquors in information technology.

John held a great interest in his home, second only to his family. He loved to do landscaping and work in his yard. He was able to plant flowering bushes where he could see them even during his illness. He was a member of the Amvets Post #2000, the Burton Woolery Post #18 of the American Legion and the Lauren B. Strain Post #604 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, all in Bloomington.

He is survived by his wife, Regina (Bragg) Thompson Hodges of Bloomington, one daughters and Son-in-Law, Crystal D. and Tony Dell of Martinsville, three grandchildren; Malena Dell, Emily Thompson and Derek Thompson, his parents of Ocala, Fl., two sisters and brother-in-Law, Gloria and Pete Phillips of Indianapolis and Patricia "Pat" Hodges of MacIntosh, FL, two brothers and Sisters-in-Law, Ron and Marsha Hodges of Jupiter, FL and Larry and Misty Hodges of Oregon. He is also survived by his beloved canine family, Pepper and Milo.

He was preceded in death by one son, Brian Thompson on Sept. 2, 2012.

Funeral services will be held at Allen Funeral Home in Bloomington on Wednesday, July 31, 2013 at 5:00 p.m. with Pastor Robert Yount officiating. Friends may call at the funeral home from 2:00-5:00 p.m. on Wednesday.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Amvets Post #2000, American Legion Post #18 or VFW Post #604 in care of Allen Funeral Home, 4155 S. Old St. Rd 37, Bloomington, IN 47401.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at [www.allenfuneralhome.org](http://www.allenfuneralhome.org).

# Tribute Wall

LR

“ Regina, you will remember me from John's class reunion last year. I had the pleasure of spending some time with you and John on that Friday evening. I'm so sorry to hear of John's passing. I really enjoyed catching up with him, and having the opportunity to get to know you. I'm glad you found each other, and had time to form many lasting memories. I will keep you in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Linda Roberts** - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM

VH

“ John was my classmate in the class of 1967 at Bedford High School. Was so sorry to hear of his passing - I did not know he was ill - but so thankful that he came to our last class reunion. Please accept my deepest condolences to you and your family! I remember him as a great guy with a great sense of humor. He will be missed!

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**Vicky (Chaney) Hill** - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM

GL

“ So sorry for your loss God will give you comfort and lead you thru it. You are in our prayers, Glenda Brantley Friends of David and Rosemary at Seminole Springs

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**glenda brantley** - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM

DS

“ John and my late husband, Prof. Donald E. Robinson were very close colleagues during John's tenure at IU, and continued to be good friends after that. I had the pleasure of spending some time with John when he came to Kerrville to visit us after Don's retirement. I am so sorry to hear of his passing. He was a good man, and a treasured friend. He will be missed. My prayers are with his family and many friends.

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**Donna Snow Robinson** - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM

AB

“ Deepest condolences to Regina and John's family and friends. John was always such a pleasure to talk to and listen to his funny stories. He always offered help to anyone that needed it. He will be missed.

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**Angie and Jon Bowman Bowman** - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM

SZ

“ My prayers are with you Regina. I love you.

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**Scott Zimmerman** - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM

PJ

“ Dear Hodges and Fields families,

*Our sincere sympathy and love is being sent your way, with our prayers for God's abiding comfort for your family. May you feel His presence as you grieve the loss of John.*

*Love in Christ,  
Pastor James A. Glass and family*

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**Pastor James Glass** - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM

WF

“ I remember Uncle Johnny was almost always smiling. We were so sad to hear of his passing. Thinking of Regina and Grandma and Grandad, his siblings and the many other people lucky enough to have known him...our love, the Dunmyers.

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**Wynna (Hodges) and family Dunmyer** - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM

RA

“ Please accept My sincere condolences. John was a great soldier as well as a great man he will be terribly missed by all who knows him.

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**Raouf Bishay** - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM

DC

“ We did not know him, but all that was said about him from Dave & Rosemary Fields he had to be a real good man. As god said my son is on the right of me and your loved one is in the light.  
Love Dennis and Charlene Jumper

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**Dennis & Charlene Jumper** - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM

SA

“ May God bless and comfort this sweet family.

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**Sally Strickland** - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM

BE

“ Regina,

*I am so sorry for your loss. My heart goes out to you, John's family and yours. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Love,*

*Bev*

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**Beverly Reed-Esakson** - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM

Jl

“ *Words cannot express my sorrow for you Regina. I pray that God comforts you and your family as He has already comforted John. With love.*

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**Jill Robinson** - October 26, 2015 at 04:09 PM