



JB Fullen

January 7, 1943 - November 16, 2024

JB Fullen, a loving husband, devoted father and grandfather, passed away at the age of 81 at Atrium Health Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center on November 16, 2024, after bravely facing a period of declining health.

JB was born on January 7, 1943, in McDowell County, West Virginia, to parents Herbert and Thelma Artrip Fullen.

He had a fulfilling career as a machinist in the coal mining industry with the Pocahontas Fuel Company and was an active member of the UMWA following his dedicated service in the US Navy.

His love for NASCAR, country music, and Pontiac cars showcased his vibrant spirit and passion for life. He could often be found listening to his favorite country music artist and family friend T. Graham Brown.

A true family man, JB cherished moments spent with his grandchildren, whom he adored and who affectionately referred to him as PawPaw.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his beloved son Timothy J. Fullen; sister Laverne Saddler; brothers Herbert Jr., Robert, Bill, and Jerry Fullen; beloved granddaughter Destiny Fullen; great grandson Dezmon Wyatt.

He leaves behind his loving wife of 60 years, Betty Farmer Fullen; children Elizabeth D. Fullen, JB Fullen Jr. (Sandy), and Jamie B. Fullen; brother, Benny Fullen; grandchildren Trea, Amber, Caroline (Jack), Tori, Matthew, Robbie, Allie, Joey, and Dahlia; great-grandchildren Aiden, Cameron, Colton, Jet, Shasta, Mallory, and Finn; numerous nieces and nephews.

A private family service will be held to honor JB's memory. Jack Spearman, husband of granddaughter, Caroline, will officiate.

In the spirit of JB's generosity and heart, the family requests that those willing to make a gesture of remembrance consider donating to the American Heart Association, 5445 77 Center Drive, Suite 60, Charlotte, NC 28217 or the National Kidney Foundation, 7413 Six Forks Rd. #255, Raleigh, NC 27615.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home & Crematory, Mooresville, extends its compassionate services to the Fullen family during this difficult time. Messages of sympathy and condolences can be shared with the family at www.cavin-cook.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Vince and Paula Leone purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of JB Fullen.*



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“ *To JB Jr. and family, Our deepest condolences on the loss of your dad. May our Lord Jesus welcome him home with open arms. And may He wrap his loving arms around all of you during this time and give you comfort. With warmest regards, Vince and Paula Leone*

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