



## John Henry Sanders Jr.

February 13, 1940 - December 23, 2025

John Henry Sanders Jr., age 85, of Centre, formerly of Tobyhannah, Pennsylvania, passed away peacefully at his home on Tuesday, December 23, 2025.

John was born to the late John Henry Sanders Sr. and Mary Sanders. He lived a life grounded in family, perseverance, and love. He will be remembered for his strength, wisdom, and the deep care he showed to those around him.

He is survived by his loving children: son, John Henry Sanders III (Notre); daughters, Arlene Robinson (Torusunto) and Melissa Hale (Ronny). He also leaves behind his brothers, Jimmy Sanders (Frances), Robert Sanders (Janice), Roy Sanders (Julia), and Gregory Sanders; sisters, Michelle Dennis (Neal) and Evelina Prioleau (Billy); eight grandchildren; and twenty-nine great-grandchildren, all of whom cherished him deeply.

John was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Sarah Lee Montgomery Sanders; his son, Vincent Stewart Sanders; brothers, Samuel Sanders and Roosevelt Sanders; and sisters, Ernestine Gathers and Eva Mae Prioleau.

Services will be held in Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania, under the care of Pula Funeral Home to send flowers <https://www.pulafuneralhome.com/>.

The family wishes to extend a heartfelt thank you to Compassus Hospice, Uncle Jimmy and Aunt Frances, and Cousin Sharon for their endless supportive talks and compassion throughout this difficult period.

John Henry Sanders Jr.'s legacy of love and family will live on in the hearts of all who knew him.

# Tribute Wall

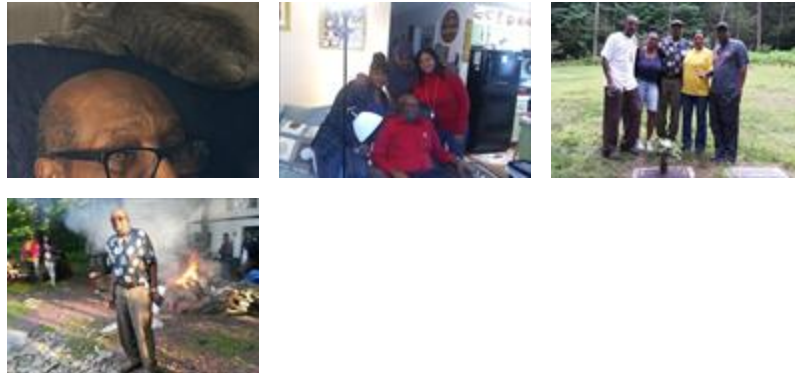
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“ Uncle John was very special to me. I will always respect him and Aunt Sarah and remember the summers I use to stay with them. They always gave me a great welcome in their home. Arlene, Tutty, Peewee, and Vincent treated me like an aunt. Prayers and condolences to the Sanders family.

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“ My grandfather was one of the best men i have ever met. His love for the lord and his family was always made known. I will never forget the words of wisdom you have given me over the years. Tell grammaw i love her, and yall keep watching over us. Love you always

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