



## John Urani

July 18, 1920 - January 13, 2016

John Urani, age 95, of Bowling Green passed away January 13, 2016 at the Moore Pike Nursing Home in Bowling Green.

Graveside services will be held 2:00 p.m. , January 14, 2016 at the Antioch Cemetery in Bowling Green.

John was born July 18, 1920 in Trecate, Italy the son of Benardo and Rosa Traveligni Urani. He married Martha White October 25, 1941 in St. Louis and she preceded him in death on November 24, 2012. Survivors include two daughters Joan Douglas of Troy, Paula Urani of Weldon Springs; nephews Thomas and John Urani; and niece Marcia Stiers. He was preceded in death by his parents, wife, two brothers Clem and Silvio Urani and granddaughter Honey Douglas.

John migrated to the USA with his parents at an early age where they settled in South St. Louis where he grew up. He started working at age 15 for his brothers grocery store, got married, then served in the Army where he received a medical discharge. John worked as a sales representative with several food distributors, working a Wonder Bread route for many years. After retirement he moved to Bowling Green and lived here for 27 years. He enjoyed traveling, going to Texas in the winter, taking cruises, growing roses, gardening and woodworking.

Memorials may be made to the donor's choice.

# Cemetery Details

## Antioch Cemetery

Bowling Green, MO

# Previous Events

## Graveside Services

JAN 14. 2:00 PM (CT)

Antioch Cemetery  
Bowling Green, MO

# Tribute Wall

SG

“ I wanted to share the beauty of a new friendship. John befriended my school kids and myself on a trip to MPNH earlier this fall. They visited for most of the hour about fun baseball stories and life. The kids adored him so. We went back just before Christmas with blankets and the kids seeked him out wanting to say hi to our new friend. You are missed John, but we are so lucky to have met you and were able to learn from your kindness.

Sheri Grote - February 05, 2016 at 08:04 PM

MO

“ I got to know John when visiting my dad at MPNH. He was such an interesting, quick witted man. I was so impressed by how much he loved his wife and was just waiting to be with her. thoughts and prayers for the family. Sincerely Mary Oberman

Mary Oberman - January 24, 2016 at 11:10 AM

EH

“ Joan and Paula: I am so sorry for your loss. Had I known of Johnny's passing, I would certainly joined you for the service. Blessings to you. Love, Emily Gillum Holman

EMILY HOLMAN - January 23, 2016 at 12:04 PM

PB

“ Our family always enjoyed visiting with Mr. Urani at the nursing home. He was never the same after his wife died. We loved listening to his stories. Joe, Paulette, Andrea Bruch



Paulette Bruch - January 23, 2016 at 10:04 AM