



## John S. Daubenspeck

December 24, 1952 - February 3, 2021

John S. "Slap" Daubenspeck, age 68, peacefully passed away surrounded by family on February 3, 2021 at home. John was born on December 24, 1952 in Aguadilla, Puerto Rico on Ramey U.S. Airforce base to John and Mary Daubenspeck (both deceased).

He is survived by loving wife of 30 years, Lisa A. Daubenspeck (Burnett), his children, Danielle (Eric) Dutton, and John Lee (Desiree) Daubenspeck, his grandchildren, Johnathan and Owen Daubenspeck, his sister, Joyce Irwin, and his brother, Tom McLaughlin.

John was a well known local musician and recording artist, who played the bass. He performed with Bill Dawg and the Extraordinaires, Alan Greene Band, Coosa River Band, Phil Baron and the Bobcats, Jimmy Ley, Mr. Stress, Killer Blue, Deadly Earnest and many others throughout his 57 year music career. John proudly served in the US Air Force during the Vietnam War. He touched so many hearts. He was a loving husband, father, grandfather, son, brother, uncle and friend. John will be greatly missed.

Family asks that John be remembered in your thoughts and prayers.

Arrangements entrusted to Monreal Srnick Funerals & Cremations, 35400 Curtis Blvd., Eastlake



# Tribute Wall

MS

“ John was such a fine musician and a fun down to earth person. I remember all the great gigs listening to Phil Baron and the Bopkats at the Seafood Express in Sharon, Pa. John holding down the bass like the boss that he was. Great memories of a very fine man. My sincere condolences to his family and many friends. Rest in Heaven.

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**Max Schang** - February 09, 2021 at 11:40 AM

DB

“ I've only known him by his music, mainly playing at Cebars. I've met him a few times and spoke. Great guy, down to earth, funny and respectable. My condolences to the family!

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**Dennis Beutler** - February 09, 2021 at 06:53 AM

JF

“ Thank you John for leaving behind two of Earth's most precious people! We're happy to have known you, Joan and Joe Fernandez

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**Joan & Joe Fernandez** - February 06, 2021 at 03:32 PM

BL

“ He was more like a brother to me than a friend, the most straight shooting non BS person I've ever known. Peace be the journey, you will be missed.

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**Bob Lanphier** - February 06, 2021 at 12:00 PM

DE

“ I've always admired John's musical abilities. He was a great bass player, and I remember watching him play at several gigs and thought I wish I could do that! He taught me a couple things on the guitars that I still remember. I also recall one time when I had the opportunity to travel with his band to a local College, south of where I lived at the time. We all had a blast. One of my fondest memories of John, however, was playing football on a snow covered field one year with a bunch of other guys, mostly family. It was on Christmas Eve, his birthday, and I remember how difficult it was to bring him down! I truly loved him as my brother-in-law and I pray that he rests in peace. I love you John, and your family is in my prayers. Dani and Lee, I know how much you loved your father and my prayers are with you also. Lisa, you've always been a sweet and kind person to me, and I mourn your loss . May God truly bless all of you.

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**Daniel Ebling** - February 05, 2021 at 01:42 PM

BE

*I could not agree more, or have said it better myself Dan. I was just sharing with Kandie the other day about the football story you mentioned; he was fast on his feet for sure. What a blessing it was to have known Jon for so many years. Our most heartfelt thoughts and prayers goes out to John's family and friends. We love you John, rest In peace brother.*

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**Ben Ebling** - February 08, 2021 at 02:52 PM

DC

“ I enjoyed time spent with John while working at Morrison Products. I am grateful that he shared his life experiences about his love for his family, friends and music, all of which helped shape my views about what is truly important in life. I offer my sincere condolences to John's family and wish that they find peace during this difficult time.

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**Dave Carroll** - February 05, 2021 at 01:40 PM

BL

“ *Beth Lawn lit a candle in memory of John S. Daubenspeck*



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**Beth Lawn** - February 05, 2021 at 07:25 AM

DB

“ *Lisa, sorry about your loss. Slap was an amazing musician but an amazing person all around. He was always welcoming and great to be around. He will be missed by many. RIP Slap.*

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**Dennis Brickman** - February 04, 2021 at 05:15 PM