

Workman, John A.

John A. Workman, 63, beloved husband of 40 years of Darlene J. (Laidlaw) Workman and loving father of his three daughters, Corie Patterson, Nicole Hagedorn and Heidemarie Gregoriev, went to be with his Lord on Monday, September 13, 2004, after struggling with multiple myeloma. He is survived by his mother, Iva; his sister, Bonnie; his wife and three daughters; and three grandchildren. John loved the Lord and put Him first in his life. He was a devoted family man, a dedicated optometrist, and a very active member of his church. Other activities he enjoyed with his family were flying, sailing and traveling. John and Darlene lived in Plano, Texas, but both grew up in Bad Axe. A memorial service in celebration of his life will be conducted at 3 p.m. on Sunday, September 19, 2004, in the Prestonwood Baptist Church Chapel. Visitation will be from 6 to 9 p.m. on Saturday at the Sparkman/Dickey Funeral Home, Dallas, Texas (972) 407-6070. Donations in his honor can be made to the John Workman Scholarship Fund, Prestonwood Christian Academy, 6801 W. Park, Plano, Texas 75093.