



## John Lang

June 5, 1937 - April 2, 2013

### Obituary of John Lang

John Martin Lang, 75, formerly of Front Royal, Virginia, died at his home in The Villages, Florida on April 2, 2013. He is survived by his wife, Nancy (Horton) Lang; by one daughter, Sara Catherine Elizabeth Lang of Evergreen, Colorado; by one son, John Paul Lang of Florence, Kentucky, and by two grandsons, Ian and Isaac. He is also survived by six siblings: Peggy, Carol, Francis, Raymond, Marie and Paul. He was pre-deceased by one son, Daniel Martin Lang. John was born in Jamesville, New York on June 5, 1937 and graduated from Jamesville-Dewitt High School. He served honorably in the United States Army, and graduated from Syracuse University with a Bachelor of Science. John worked for many years as a mechanical design engineer for Xerox Corp. in Rochester, New York, and in El Segundo, California, holding a number of U.S. Patents for innovative Xerox copier design.

John came to Front Royal in 1989 and, for the next nine years, worked tirelessly to renovate and restore Killahevlín (circa 1905) to award-winning Virginia Historic Preservation and National Register of Historic Places standards, opening it as a bed and breakfast at 1401 North Royal Avenue in 1993. Later, John partnered to purchase and remodel the old Golden Coral restaurant in town which he co-owned/operated as The 14th Street Bistro.

John was a member of The Rotary Clubs of Front Royal and of Linden, and active in many local charitable causes which included helping to build a Children's Park on Commerce Avenue.

John had four happy years living and playing golf in The Villages.

Memorial donations may be made to The Villagers For Hospice, 601 Casa Bella, The Villages, Florida 32162-9985.

#### Memorial Donations

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“ *John Lang*

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October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our deepest condolences to you and your family.*

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**Dick and Francine Brooks** - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Sara and John, Please accept my deepest sympathy on the passing of your father. Uncle Burl*

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**Burl A Graham,Jr** - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM