



## Joseph H. Johnson

February 10, 1935 - December 4, 2021

Joseph H. Johnson, Jr. passed away Saturday, December 4th, 2021 in Leesburg, FL with family by his side.

He was born on February 10th, 1935 in Louisville, KY to the late Joseph H Johnson, Sr. and Catherine Keough Johnson.

His career began in May, 1953 at American Air Filter in Louisville, Kentucky where he met the love of his life, Ima and wed in May 1954. Through hard work and dedication, he was promoted to Warehouse Manager and opened a new facility in Harrisburg, PA in 1966 where he moved his family. In 1983, he was given additional responsibilities of the Atlanta, GA plant and promoted to Eastern Plants Manager. In 1986, with Joe's expertise, the company outgrew the facility and needed to expand their warehouse space to a new facility in Elizabethtown, where he remained until his retirement in 1997 with 43 years of service.

He is preceded in death by his wife Ima Johnson (Appleby), brothers George and John Johnson, sisters Rose Marie Johnson and Mary Ann Gahafer. He is survived by Kathleen Akins (Ron), Joseph III (Patricia), Teresa Thomas, Patricia Wilson (Chris), Michael (Andrea), Mandy and Christopher as well as 14 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren; sisters, Margaret Shouse, Catherine Canty (Bill), Jean Skaggs (Donnie), Rita Johnson, Laura Osborn and sister-in-law Peggy Burgin as well as many nieces and nephews.

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home of Leesburg, Florida.