



## JOHN A. D. SNELL

November 4, 1945 - August 3, 2020

John A.D. Snell, 74, of Lakeland, passed away Monday August 3rd at Crouse Hospital. He was born in Watertown, NY to the late Robert and Alma (Worden) Snell in 1945. He grew up in Adams Center and Syracuse, was a US Army Veteran and was a steelworker at Crucible Steel for 27 years before retiring in 1993. In his younger years, he enjoyed tinkering with and riding Triumph and BSA motorcycles. He was an accomplished guitarist and enjoyed rock and country music and was a member of the Jerry Williams Jr. and the Country Stars Band in the early 70's. He was also an avid collector of militaria. He was predeceased by his daughter, Lorraine Scoville, sister, Barbara Cubberley and brother, Robert Snell.

John is survived by his wife of 54 years, the former Ann French, 2 children, John (Deb) Snell, of Baldwinsville and Kate (Chuck) Garbutt, of Onondaga Hill, son-in-law, Jeff Scoville, he was Papa to 5 grandchildren, Charles (Jen), Kylie, Jeffrey (Brooke), Corrine and Madeline, great-granddaughter, Maelie, brother, Harry Snell, sister, Jane Snell, sisters-in-law, Mary Kate Imbolli and Joan Richards, brother-in-law, John (Nancy) French and many nieces and nephews.

Family and friends may call from 4 pm to 6 pm Friday at BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, 2601 Milton Ave. Private burial will be in Sacred Heart Cemetery, Lakeland.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made in his memory to a charity of choice.

Please share online memories and tributes at [www.bagozzitwins.com](http://www.bagozzitwins.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Sacred Heart Cemetery-Lakeland

Corner of Lawrence and Beach Roads  
Lakeland, NY

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

AUG 7. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Bagozzi Twins Funeral Home, Inc.  
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Solvay, NY 13209  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *JOHN A. D. SNELL* ”

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January 21, 2023 at 02:11 PM

DC

“ I just learned of John's passing 2/14/21. He was one of my best friends although I haven't seen him in years. Often I've thought of visiting John & Ann in recent years but unfortunately did not. He was a fun loving, easy man to spend time with. My family has a lot of good memories of times spent with John and his family. We all miss him.

*My oldest son Rich describes what John meant to him and our family when he sent me the following after learning of John's passing -*

*"I'm glad you sent John's obit to me he was definitely one talented and witty guy. I wish I could have seen him with his band in the 70s. The vacation we took in New York with his family is one of my best vacation memories. He was able to talk to anyone on any level. I thought that was a good picture of him too. We had a great visit with him in the 80s on Devonshire. Todd and I hung out at the picnic table with John after everyone turned in for the night."*

*"I certainly do remember John. He introduced me to kielbasa. I remember him laughing every night when he would fix dinner when we went on vacation in New York at Cranberry Lake or whatever it was and he would be like you want kielbasa again. I'd be like yeah he would say good cuz I got like 30 pounds of it he would just laugh that was some damn good kielbasa though. I'm sorry for your loss Dad"*

*With deepest sympathy for Ann and the family's loss.*

*Dick Cunningham*

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**Dick Cunningham** - February 16, 2021 at 10:55 AM

JB

“ Ann, my thoughts and prayers go out to you and all the family. He was a great and caring man.



Janet Bushey - August 07, 2020 at 01:38 PM

KG

“ Ann I am so sorry for your loss. Sending you a hug during these difficult times and keeping you and your family in my prayers.

Kathy Gabor - August 07, 2020 at 11:31 AM

BN

“ Bezhenar Family, next door neighbors. purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of JOHN A. D. SNELL.



Bezhenar Family, next door neighbors. - August 07, 2020 at 11:31 AM

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“ Deepest sympathy to his family and friends.. John was such an interesting man, wonderful guy. He spend many hours at our Antique store in Elbridge discussing everything from music to guns with us, tho years ago, he sure left his mark on us. R.I.P

Cindy - August 06, 2020 at 10:59 AM



“ *The Family of John and Wilma Mulligan purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of JOHN A. D. SNELL.*



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**The Family of John and Wilma Mulligan** - August 06, 2020 at 06:20 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of JOHN A. D. SNELL.*



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August 05, 2020 at 04:38 PM