

John Charles 'Jack' Stapleton

Passed away peacefully at home with his wife, dog and cat by his side on Thursday, November 14th, 2013 at the age of 86.

Jack, beloved husband of Wanita. Dear uncle of Ken Stapleton of St. Catharines. Fondly remembered by Dawn, Alice, Elizabeth, Wendy, Susan, the Stefan Family, Dave, Eve and his many friends.

Predeceased by his mother Evelyn Dent, brothers Jim and Harry.

Jack spent five years petitioning the Canadian government to formally recognize the efforts of merchant seamen during the Second World War.

For his efforts, Jack was awarded the queen's Golden Jubilee Medal and the Minister of Veterans Affairs Commendation.

Jack was a Life Member of the Veteran's Club of Barrie.

Celebration of Jack's life will take place 1400hrs at Elmvale Legion Sunday December 1st 2013.

A special thank you to Dr. Bryan Marshall and all the St. Elizabeth care givers.

Donations may be made to the Canadian Cancer Society.

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