

John D. Reed

John David Reed, age 64, of Coldwater, died at 3 a.m. on Friday, May 7, 2010 at his home in Coldwater.



John is survived by his parents, Daniel A. Reed and Barbara J. (Dillon) Reed of Upper Sandusky, his wife, Jan (Koehler) Reed in Coldwater, whom he married on Sept. 3, 1967.

He is also survived by his three children: Jacquelyn (Brent) Knackstedt of Beavercreek, David A. Reed of Findlay and Heather (Ryan) Fisher of Conway, Ariz. John will also be missed by his four grandchildren: Noah and Zachary Knackstedt and Austin and Ava Fisher, and his brother Tom (Evan) Reed of Columbia, S.C.

He was a member of the Ohio High School Football Coaches Association and was inducted into the Ohio High School Coaches Hall of Fame in 2006. John was a former, beloved coach and teacher at Montpelier High School; Parkway High School in Rockford, Marion-Harding High School, Upper Sandusky High School, Lebanon High School and currently Coldwater High School. He was also a founding member and pastor at Covenant Community Church in Coldwater.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m., on Saturday, May 15, 2010 at Coldwater High School Palace in Coldwater. Burial will follow in St. Elizabeth Cemetery in Coldwater. Friends may call at the Hogenkamp Funeral Home in Coldwater on Thursday, May 13, 2010 from 4 to 8 p.m., and on Friday, May 14, 2010 from 2 to 8 p.m. A John Reed Memorial Fund has been set up for the purpose of supporting Christ centered academic and athletic excellence.