



John C. Shelley

March 5, 1964 - February 16, 2026

John Clay Shelley, 61, of Colfax, Indiana passed away on Monday, February 16, 2026, at home surrounded by loved ones. He was born on March 5, 1964, to Samuel L. and Shirley M. Shelley.

On March 1, 1996, he married Anita (Lockard) Shelley in Frankfort; she survives.

He worked for the Town of Colfax for years before moving onto and eventually retiring from This Old Farm.

John enjoyed playing video games, fishing, and cooking for his large family.

Survivors include his wife, Anita Shelley of Colfax; children, Jodi (Dave) Stephens of Crawfordsville, Jenny (Kerry) Mullendore of Clarkshill, Mindy (Nick) Horlacher of Mulberry, Jonathan Shelley of Colfax, Tabby Flynn of Lafayette, Jennifer (Rodney) Tanner of Ohio, Aaron (Natasha) Reagan of Texas; 26 grandchildren; two great grandchildren; and siblings, Sandy Nelson of Florida, Jody Johnson of Florida, Kim (Everette Clark of Colfax, Scott (Sherry) Shelley of Veedersburg.

John was preceded in death by his parents; sister, Jacqueline "Cindy" Shelley; brother, Timothy Shelley; and his daughter, Jill Shelley.

Funeral Services are planned for 12:00 noon on Friday, February 20, 2026, at Myers Mortuary, 1502 North Lebanon Street, in Lebanon, Indiana. Visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. until the time of services. Interment will follow at the Plainview Cemetery in Colfax.

Cemetery Details

Plainview Cemetery

80 West
Colfax, IN 46035

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 20. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Myers Mortuary
1502 North Lebanon Street
Lebanon, IN 46052
(765) 482-0620
office@myersmortuary.com
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

PR

“ *Patti, Charlie, Chet&Jessie, Amber& Rena purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of John C. Shelley.*



Patti, Charlie, Chet&Jessie, Amber& Rena - February 20 at 11:43 AM

YT

“ *Your 2786 Team purchased the Ocean Breeze S pray for the family of John C. Shelley.*



Your 2786 Team - February 18 at 06:09 PM

YT

“ *Your 482 Market Team purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of John C. Shelley.*



Your 482 Market Team - February 18 at 10:57 AM

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“ *Brian, Angie, Rachel & Nathan Lockard purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of John C. Shelley.*



Brian, Angie, Rachel & Nathan Lockard - February 17 at 10:34 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of John C. Shelley.*



February 17 at 05:19 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of John C. Shelley.*

February 17 at 05:19 PM