



## John Felix Sefick

June 8, 1944 - January 9, 2017

John Felix Sefick, 72, of Wenatchee passed away on Monday, January 9, 2017.

Please express your thoughts and memories on the online guest book at [jonesjonesbetts.com](http://jonesjonesbetts.com).

Arrangements are by Jones & Jones - Betts Funeral Home.

# Tribute Wall

CP

“ Gladys, I'm gone from home for two weeks, but when I'm back I'll write. You're on my mind a lot. And Rachel - I can't even imagine what she is now!  
Lots of love, Cricket

Cricket Parmalee - January 18, 2017 at 10:00 PM

BV

“ I built sets for many high school and district musicals through the years and enjoyed working with John through most of them. His dry sense of humor and our shared love of John Prine music will be missed. My Condolences, Blaine Visser

Blaine Visser - January 15, 2017 at 11:55 PM

James  
Wallace

“ On behalf of all of the students at WHS, thank you for your tireless effort and commitment to making every show run smoothly.

James Wallace

James Wallace - January 15, 2017 at 04:28 PM

KD

“ John changed my life and made me want to be more than I was and gave me the opportunities to do it he always knew what to say and is missed by all who learned from him



Kody Dove - January 13, 2017 at 08:26 AM



“ Oh, Gladys, Darlin' . I was just recently, actually Christmas when I was with and Mom and Kay(sister) in Houston -- thinking of the time our troupe came through Idalou, Texas and stayed with my Grandparents; and, then when we had a potluck at my parents in Los Angeles. And my Mom and I standing open mouthed in the doorframe because John had drawn out my "Papa" to tell WW1 stories he'd never been able to share with his family (and our "girls" getting Mama to eat seconds of protein and veggies -- before desert!?!? Magic!!!)

*And, then, of course all the times on tour when John gave us (or maybe just me???) that suck it up look to make it through to our next rise and shine or performance  
And then, all the sights and experiences if John hadn't managed to work into our itinerary we would never have known.*

*(That march across the freezing stream in a snow flurry to get a little closer to that Anasazi cliff dwelling. And, wherever we were parked some sunset when hawks began spiraling up above us for their evening hunt. For two that I can think of right now.)*

*Well, yeah, one did want (sometimes desperately) if "camping" in close proximity, hope to be sound asleep before the snoring kicked in: but, that was a small price to pay for how the inclusion of John into my life was such an enrichment, experientially and personally.*

*And, yes yes yes, you, too Gladys. I still think of you when I think to "just chill, You, too, are part of my growth experience. Thank you. (Except that I do hope that I managed to compensate for that awful haircut the time I overestimated my accomplishments with my Grandad's shears???)*

*Whatever. Beyond my memories and -- whatever the confusion of those might resolve to be -- Gladys AND Rachel, I am so sorry for the loss you are experiencing. While, we, your and John's old friends are hurting', we know it's kinds in another/past dimension at*

*this point; and, while it's unlikely we can be any use where your tears must fall, now, do reach out anyway.*

*Hugs. Hugs. Hugs.*

*M.*

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**Michael Dawdy** - January 13, 2017 at 03:58 AM

LH

“*I've been recalling all the time I spent with John: working, living, and traveling together. Playing Acquire & Mah-Jong. And I miss him and regret I lost contact with him. He was so low-key and even tempered. I can't recall him ever getting angry. If someone did something really stupid he'd just shake his head and say something like "You buy them books, send them to school, and they chew the covers off." And he was an amazing listener. He could get total strangers to tell him the most astounding things about themselves. John was a singular person. And Gladys and Rachel have all my sympathy for losing him - we've all lost him.*

*Larry Hoffman*

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**Larry Hoffman** - January 12, 2017 at 02:37 PM

BH

“*John was loved by all. He was a major and wonderful part of my life for many years, and although we had lost touch, he was never far from my heart. You are loved, my friend. Safe journey.*

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**Bill Hunt** - January 11, 2017 at 03:51 PM

BO

“ I loved John. I hadn't seen him for years until I heard of his passing. We spent years together working in theater, touring the country and Europe. He and Gladys lived first upstairs of me and then next door to me. We knew his parents and traveled to Springfield to see them on our tours. I am sad for us all. My love and condolences to Gladys and Rachel. Barry Opper

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**Barry Opper** - January 11, 2017 at 12:51 PM

NW

Hey Gladys, thinking of you and John and the times we all had together.

Love  
Norbert

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**norbert weisser** - January 12, 2017 at 09:35 AM

CL

He was amazing and I miss him. My thoughts are with you, Gladys and Rachel.

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**Candy Laughlin** - January 13, 2017 at 11:18 PM

MP

I thought of John like some people describe a great martini--dry, sharp, packing a lingering, powerful punch. He had a great wit, deep insight and a unique style. I learned from him, enjoyed him and never met another quite like him. My condolences, Gladys.

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**Michael Phillips** - February 24, 2017 at 09:39 AM