

Dear Pa,

Well, where do I start? I guess by saying "I love you!" I am proud you are my grandfather and am grateful that you are in my life. Sometimes we take life for granted, so I just want you to know that you are loved. Those six months I lived with you and Ma were the best six months of my life. I loved doing all the crosswords puzzles together even though you were better than me. I only wish we could have spent more time together since I lived with you and Ma. I am grateful for all the trips you have taken me on. Remember all the beach trips, staying in all the Holiday Inns, the trips to Blowing Rock, Ghost Town, Grandfather Mountain etc. And finally who can forget the trips to London & Australia. All memorable and enjoyable but they wouldn't have been that way without you being there. I guess everyone knew this was coming, but even so it doesn't make it easy to deal with. I wish Patti and I could have had a great grandchild for you but it just hasn't happened yet. We have been trying for several months now, but maybe the Lord will bless us with a little "John". I love you Pa and I am proud to be your grandson and I am

so grateful to the Lord for blessing me
with your presence in my life! Don't
worry about the well-being of Ma because
you are leaving her in great hands. We
will all take care of her. Pa, we love you
and we will all be celebrating your life.
Thank you for being a part of my life!

I Love You!

Love,
Jon