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John Warren Hess (1925-1989) Eleanor Marks Hess (1926-2011)

John W. Hess was born on May 16, 1925, and died April 8, 1989, at age 63. He is buried at the Indiantown Gap National Cemetery in Lebanon County Pennsylvania. His parents were Walter D. Hess (1898-1980) and Stella Miriam (Youse) Hess (1901-1972). John Hess was married to Eleanor F. (Marks) Hess (1926-2011).¹

Eleanor F. (Marks) Hess was born on February 21, 1926 in Lebanon County Pennsylvania and died on June 1, 2011 at age 85, in Lancaster County Pennsylvania. She was buried at the Indiantown Gap National Cemetery with her husband. Eleanor was a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and was a registered nurse. She and her husband were the owners of Simon Candy Company in Elizabethtown.²



¹ "John W. Hess," Find a Grave, accessed July 1, 2024. <https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/67620984/john-w-hess>

² Ibid.