



Joseph A. McGee

September 16, 1934 - July 10, 2017

Joseph A. McGee, age 82 of Highland, IL, died Monday, July 10, 2017, at his residence in Highland, IL.

He was born September 16, 1934, in St. Louis, MO, the son of John and Genelle (nee Walker) McGee.

On February 11, 1961, he married Gail Marie Mersinger at St. Paul Church in Highland, IL. She survives in Highland.

He was former member of the Masonic Order and a former member of Ducks Unlimited.

Joe was born in St. Louis, MO and graduated from Breese High School in 1952. He attended SIU-Carbondale and served with the US Air Force Reserves. From 1955 to 1990 he worked at McDonnell-Douglas in St. Louis as a Budget Analyst. Joe enjoyed playing golf and was a Ranger at Governors's Run in Carlyle. He was a Cardinal Baseball Fan. He wintered in Florida for six years and had traveled to Hawaii, Ireland, Canada, the East and West Coasts of the United States, He was a sports enthusiast, and coached Little League for his son and watch his High School games. He especially enjoyed college basketball and March Madness. He did crossword puzzles, jigsaw puzzles, and Sudoku puzzles. He followed his daughters

career in Theatrical Costume and Design at theaters across the country. He loved visiting his son and grandchildren in Atlanta and Dallas.

Survivors include :

Wife - Gail M. McGee, nee Mersinger, Highland, IL

Daughter - Robin L. McGee, Highland, IL

Son - Brian L. (Melanie) McGee, Dallas, TX

Grandchild - Kayla E. (Nathan) Norowski, Atlanta, GA

Grandchild - Tyler M. McGee, Dallas, TX

Grandchild - Emily K. McGee, Dallas, TX

He was preceded in death by :

Father - John A. McGee Died 3/08/1989

Mother - Genelle McGee, nee Walker - Died 1/18/2001

Brother - Ennis R. McGee - Died 10/25/1980

Sister - Shirley VanDorn - Died 10/12/1999

Arrangements are being handled by Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL.

Visitation will be held from 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM on Friday, July 14, 2017, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL and from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM on Saturday, July 15, 2017, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL.

Funeral service will be at 2:00 PM on Saturday, July 15, 2017, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL., with Rev. Christopher W. Hill officiating.

Interment will be at Saint Joseph Catholic Cemetery in Highland, IL.

Memorial contributions may be made to American Lung Association for COPD Research.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 14. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home - Highland
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Tribute Wall



“ *Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home & Dauderman Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Joseph A. McGee*



Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home - July 13, 2017 at 10:54 AM

KF

“ *Keith Miller & Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Joseph A. McGee.*



Keith Miller & Family - July 14, 2017 at 10:26 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Joseph A. McGee.*



July 13, 2017 at 07:53 PM

SD

“ Gale, Robin and Brian,

I was so sorry to hear of Joe's passing. I remember so well my babysitting days for Robin and Brian while I was in junior high and high school. You were always a family I enjoyed being with and taking care of. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Joe is with our Lord and Savior now and at peace.

Love, Susie Hecht DeWitt

Sue DeWitt - July 13, 2017 at 02:18 PM

AT

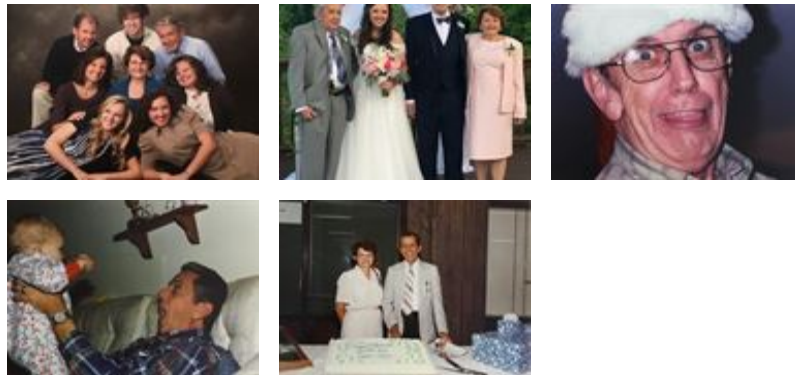
“ AT&T - Tax purchased the Reflections of Glory Wreath for the family of Joseph A. McGee.



AT&T - Tax - July 13, 2017 at 12:48 PM



“ 51 files added to the album Life Tributes



Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home - July 13, 2017 at 10:52 AM

IN

“ *Ingrid Berner Neme purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Joseph A. McGee.*



Ingrid Berner Neme - July 12, 2017 at 12:57 PM

JH

“ *Jeanne Heuberger lit a candle in memory of Joseph A. McGee*



Jeanne Heuberger - July 12, 2017 at 05:37 AM

JH

My deepest sympathy for your loss. I enjoyed seeing Joe at therapy and talking with him. He was always working hard at his exercises and is an inspiration to me. Hugs...

Jeanne Heuberger - July 12, 2017 at 05:40 AM

RG

“ So sorry to read about Joe's passing...we go back to McDonnell Aircraft Company working together as clerks in 1957 for Blueprint Control (we had great times) Later, Joe transferred to Inspection Administration while I transferred to Budgets and Manpower.

Our job duties overlapped...and we still enjoyed a lot of opportunities for face time and lots of laughs and grins.

One thing we can all wait for is once again coming together in God's promised mansion that He is preparing for us...I will remember the Joe McGee family in my prayers...God Bless!

Richard Gosnell - July 11, 2017 at 11:35 PM

RT

“ *Reina, Elmer, Natalie & Danny Torres purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Joseph A. McGee.*



Reina, Elmer, Natalie & Danny Torres - July 11, 2017 at 11:21 PM

RT

“ *I was an exchange student and Mr. McGee was my host father in 1977. He was a very kind, caring dad. He cooked wonderful breakfasts on the weekends for us. I will forever be grateful for caring for me and his wonderful family. My thoughts and prayers are with you, my beloved family. Reina (Rivas) Torres*

Reina Torres - July 11, 2017 at 10:15 PM

DR

“ Dale & Rita Rinderer lit a candle in memory of Joseph A. McGee



Dale & Rita Rinderer - July 11, 2017 at 09:13 PM