



John A. Spurgeon

March 1, 1936 - June 16, 2015

John A. Spurgeon, age 79, of DeMotte, IN passed away on, June 16, 2015, at the Rensselaer Care Center. John was born on March 1, 1936 in Rensselaer, IN, the son of John M. and Ida (Terpstra) Spurgeon.

John was a graduate of the DeMotte High School, class of 1954. On June 19, 1954, in DeMotte, IN, John married the love of his life, Joan K. (DeYoung) and she survives. John was a self employed cement finisher. He was a member of the DeMotte United Methodist Church and Cement Masons Union #406. John enjoyed golfing and traveling.

John leaves behind his wife of 60 years, Joan; children, Jeffrey (Rebecca) Spurgeon of DeMotte, IN, John (Diane) Spurgeon of Wheatfield, IN, Jason (Mary) Spurgeon of DeMotte, IN and Janine Spurgeon of Anderson, IN; 10 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; brothers, Charles (Jan) Spurgeon of Rensselaer, IN and Jerry Joe (Kay) Spurgeon of DeMotte, IN.

Preceded in death, 1 daughter, Julie Ann Osburn, 2 brothers and 2 sisters.

Friends may call on Thursday, June 18, 2015 from 2:00 - 8:00 PM at the Jackson Funeral Service in DeMotte. A Funeral Service will be held at the First Reformed Church in DeMotte, on Friday, June 19, 2015 at 10:30 AM with Pastor John Hill officiating. Interment will be held at the Holland Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the DeMotte United Methodist Church.

Cemetery Details

Holland Cemetery

Holland Cemetery
DeMotte, IN 46310

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 18. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Service of DeMotte
200 3rd Street, SW
P.O. Box 681
DeMotte, IN 46310
(219) 987-5300
info@jacksonfuneral.com
<https://www.jacksonfuneral.com>

Service

JUN 19. 10:30 AM (CT)

First Church
5387 W State Road 10
Wheatfield, IN 46392
(219) 987-5156
<http://www.first.church>

Tribute Wall



“ *Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of John A. Spurgeon*



Jackson Funeral Chapels - June 18, 2015 at 09:19 AM

MH

“ *So sorry, my deepest sympathy to your entire family. He was an amazingly fun and personable guy.*

Marilyne Hamstra - June 22, 2015 at 08:56 AM

JA

“ *Janene Anderson lit a candle in memory of John A. Spurgeon*



Janene Anderson - June 19, 2015 at 12:59 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of John A. Spurgeon.*



June 18, 2015 at 03:07 PM

JC

“ I know I've been gone a long time, but I grew up with Julie and with this family and know the pain of the loss of my father, I am so sorry for your loss, will say a prayer for your family. Lean on each other, hug each other and love each other.

Hugs to you all,
Jeannie Curtiss-Roach

Jeannie Curtiss-Roach - June 18, 2015 at 02:43 PM

RS

“ Joan and family.....to let you know I am thinking of you all.....Rozanne Sanders

Rozanne Sanders - June 18, 2015 at 02:07 PM



“ Irene Conley sent a virtual gift in memory of John A. Spurgeon



Irene Conley - June 18, 2015 at 11:19 AM



I always liked talking to John when he came into my place of employment. His son, Jason, is a high school classmate and I have gotten to know Jeff through the last 20 years. John will be missed.

Irene Conley - June 18, 2015 at 11:23 AM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of John A. Spurgeon.* ”



June 18, 2015 at 09:39 AM



“ *67 files added to the album Life Tributes* ”



Jackson Funeral Chapels - June 18, 2015 at 09:06 AM



“ *Donna Barker Crawford lit a candle in memory of John A. Spurgeon* ”



Donna Barker Crawford - June 18, 2015 at 08:55 AM



John always had a tale or two about my Dad.

Donna Barker Crawford - June 18, 2015 at 08:58 AM

JW

“ *Jerry & Linda Williams lit a candle in memory of John A. Spurgeon*



Jerry & Linda Williams - June 17, 2015 at 06:19 PM

TF

“ *Terry Woods, Clint Sheets, and families purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of John A. Spurgeon.*



Terry Woods, Clint Sheets, and families - June 17, 2015 at 04:41 PM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of John A. Spurgeon.*



June 17, 2015 at 04:12 PM

DD

“ *Sorry to hear of John's passing. Learned a lot about life playing basketball with him many years back. Lots of enjoyable times. Always was glad to talk with him either when he was down here or when I caught up with him in DeMotte. His laugh was a thing of joy to hear. Condolences to all of you. doug*

Mexico Mo.

Doug DeYoung - June 17, 2015 at 02:10 PM