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John J. Frisina (Johnny) went to be with Our Lord on March 20, 2015. John lived well at his home and chose to go to Mercy New Life Hospice Center nearby only four days earlier. John was born to Giovanni and Rosa and raised in Meadville Pa., ninth in order and last surviving of eleven children with five brothers and five sisters.

John proudly served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He was stationed with the anti-aircraft guns on Brown Sea Island in England, landed on the Normandy beaches the second day of D-Day, fought in the Battle of the Bulge and went on to liberate Europe, including the concentration camps, and helped to keep our country free. John was a true patriot and loved America! John and his wife Martha Jane (M.J. Larson) came to the Lorain area to work with a local construction company, made their home and raised their children James and Kathleen in Amherst. After a few years, John operated his own construction business and mastered his craft as an Operating Engineer.

John is survived by M.J., daughter Kathleen Nord (Richard), his loving Tomcat Tommy and countless wonderful nieces and nephews and their families. He was preceded in death by son James and grandson Ethan Cavalier.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Saturday, March 28, 2015 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Amherst, 200 St. Joseph Dr. at 11:00 am. Gathering will begin at 10:30 am. Private family inurnment will take place at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial contributions to St. Joseph Church, 200 St. Joseph Dr., Amherst, Ohio 44001, Mercy New Life Hospice, 3500 Kolbe Rd., Lorain, Ohio 44053 or a favorite animal rescue organization.

Online condolences may be left for the family at www.dovinreberjones.com




Events


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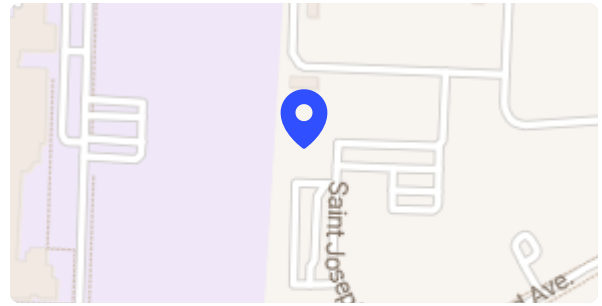
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Gathering

 **Saturday**, March 28, 2015

 10:30 AM ET

 **St. Joseph Catholic Church**
200 St. Joseph Drive, Amherst OH 44001





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CS

Claudia Surovjak posted:

Martha, We were so sorry to hear of Johns passing. I was in Fla taking care of dad when we received the news. We spent the rest of the day just reminiscing about the good old days with the two of you out on Gifford Rd. You and John were great neighbors and even though I was just a teenager i always had a soft spot for John and that part of my life. Our Deepest Sympathies, Claudia Surovjak & Bill Starbuck

April 3 at 6:32 PM

DE

Debbie Elgart lit a candle in honor of John.

Kathleen , I'd just like you to know you and your family are in my prayers . Also to thank you for allowing me to help take care of your dad at the Hospice Center. He was so lucky to have such a beautiful family around him . You are all truly blessed. Debbie



March 24 at 4:51 PM

KS

Karla Shiley posted:

Dear Kathy, My sincere sympathy. You are in my prayers. I loved hearing your Dad tell stories. I will miss his infamous "dog gone it". He would stop by every once in a while, and always sit in his car and honk the horn to see if someone came out. He would talk and have coffee. Know that you and your family are held up in prayer at this time. Sincerely, Karla Shiley

March 24 at 2:44 PM

RE

Rose Frisina Encinas posted:

Dearest Kathleen, our heart breaks to learn of the passing of your Dad and our super Uncle John. Please know how much we care and will cherish all the memories. Love and prayers. Rose Dianne and Herb Encinas

March 24 at 10:38 AM

DY

Diane Yuhasz lit a candle in honor of John.

So sorry to hear of your loss. God be with you and give you strength and comfort.

March 24 at 4:52 AM





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Deacon Don Jankowski posted:

I will very much miss this fascinating and humble man. I will also, most certainly, miss our visits and conversations! Johnny, may God welcome you into his eternal and loving care. Deacon Don JankowskiSt. Joseph Church

March 23 at 9:38 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring John by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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