



John L. Vining

August 31, 1943 - February 24, 2017

John L. Vining, 73, of Glen Ellyn, Illinois and formerly of rural Bourbon, Ind. passed at 6:40 am, Friday, Feb. 24, 2017 at Seasons Hospice and Palliative Care of Naperville, Illinois after a short illness.

He was born on Aug. 31, 1943 in Warsaw, Indiana to Willard “Bill” D. and Mary (Yocum) Vining.

He married on May 6, 1967 at the Talma Bible Church to Alice M. Stavedahl, she survives.

John retired from Regular Baptist Press of Schaumburg, Ill.

He was a graduate of Tippecanoe High School in 1961 and graduated from Manchester College in 1965. He then acquired his CPA from the University of Illinois. He served in the National Guard as a part of the Army and Air Force. He was a member of the Faith Baptist Church of Winfield, Ill.

Survivors and place of residence:

Wife – Alice Vining – Glen Ellyn, Ill.

Many Nieces and Nephews and Great Nieces and Great Nephews were dear to his heart.

Brother – Louis D. and wife Lois Vining – McCordsville, Ind.

Preceded in Death By:

Parents

Brother – Richard Lee Vining

Time and Date of Services: 11:00 am (EST), Saturday, March 4, 2017

Place of Services: King Memorial Home 101 North Tucker Street Mentone,
Indiana

Officiating will be: James Korthal

Place of Burial: Mentone Cemetery, Mentone, Indiana

Visitation Hours: 4 pm to 7 pm (EST), Friday, March 3, 2017 at King Memorial
Home, Mentone, Indiana

Memorial Contributions to: In lieu of flowers donations can be made to your
local hospice.

Cemetery Details

Mentone Cemetery

Morgan St Jefferson Street
Mentone, IN 46539

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 3. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

King Memorial Home
101 North Tucker Street
P.O. Box 56
Mentone, IN 46539
(574) 353-7975
info@hartzlerfuneralservices.com
<https://www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com>

Funeral Service

MAR 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

MM

“*Dear Alice, we were extremely saddened to hear of John's passing. We will so miss his gentle smile and kind-hearted interest in hearing what the boys were up to. We're thinking of you, and wishing you strength and comfort.*

Your neighbors, Mark, Tonya, Jack, Nicholas and Benjamin Machaj

Mark and Tonya Machaj - March 03, 2017 at 08:04 PM

DO

“ Our dear Alice and John,

We sit back and think how swiftly John left us to join the Lord in Heaven. His stamina to walk 63 holes of golf always surprised us. Every winter Don and John planning their groupon golf outings for the spring filled the calendar on our refrigerators.

As we watch your house ,we will miss John cleaning his clubs, tinkering with his motorcycle, or just having a great cup of coffee in the backyard. The memories of Don and John falling asleep in the dueling recliner chairs while watching golf or football brings such a smile to us. We will miss all of this including his kindness, smile, laughter, and conversations.

Over the years, John loved our dogs and took such good care of them. Their excitement when he came up the driveway was a joy to watch. His love of their cats came through in the care of all things in life also.

We enjoyed many movie outings, museum trips, and dinners together.

We wish you Alice these memories to be comforting. We hope our years of friendship as neighbors brings you comfort that we will continue to watch over you as John is doing right now.

Bless you

Don and Karen Olynyk and Brandi (dog)

Holly, and Mocha - our beloved pets that John also loved and cared for.

DON AND KAREN OLYNYK - March 02, 2017 at 10:27 PM

NP

“ Neil & Judy Polifka purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of John L. Vining.



Neil & Judy Polifka - March 02, 2017 at 08:38 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of John L. Vining.



March 01, 2017 at 11:35 AM

NM

“ I went to high school with John. He was such a kind, caring person. I was very happy to see him at our last alumni party. He was a very special person. Prayers to his family. Nancy Shively McPherron

Nancy Shively McPherron - March 01, 2017 at 08:32 AM

JV

“ Alice, you are in our prayers, may The Lord continue to be with you in the coming months. Also praying for your brothers & families and John's family members. The Lord will never forsake or leaves us. Pray He will wrap you in His precious arms. Love in Christ Jim & Patricia (Holloway) Vigar. Madera, CA.

Jim & Patricia Vigar - February 28, 2017 at 04:37 PM

SV

“ Stanley & Beverly Craft, Bud Vining, Sharon Vining purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of John L. Vining.



Stanley & Beverly Craft, Bud Vining, Sharon Vining -
February 28, 2017 at 12:00 PM

BM

“ John has been loved by our family for many years. All enjoyed riding in the Z, and Thanksgiving visits to Indiana. The children appreciated John's tenderness with Pepper, after discovering him up in the tree. Friday night bowling with John and Alice were very special times.

Although we haven't lived near for a number of years, "Vinings" were mentioned often, as friends who were remembered with special love.

Our love and prayers continue to be with you.

Earl, Barb, Amy, Joel, and Beth Meerdink

BARB MEERDINK - February 27, 2017 at 11:22 PM

TH

“ Alice, so very sorry for his passing. Never easy, but you can hug him in your heart forever. What a blessing you were to each other.

I so remember the night we met for supper, do not recall where and we visited for 3 hours.

Memory is a gift from GOD!!

Sending you my love, Teddy Van Hoosen.

I tried to locate Marilyn and Cindy but could not.

Teddy Van Hoosen - February 26, 2017 at 07:38 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of John L. Vining.



February 26, 2017 at 07:11 PM