



John Martin Lee

September 1, 1940 - May 30, 2023

John Martin Lee, 82, of Evansville, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, May 30, 2023 with his daughters by his side.

John, also fondly known as John M., was born September 1, 1940 in Waverly, Kentucky to the late Theodore and Lazarilla Lee. He was a talented woodworker and enjoyed the many projects he created for friends and family over the years. There was nobody more eager to lend a helping hand; John was known as a jack of all trades by those that knew him and loved him. He retired from Holland Motor Express in 2005.

Surviving John are his daughters, Amber (Kevin) Schiff and Andrea (Ted Baskett) Lee; grandchildren, Tyler and Brady Schiff; nephew, Adam Burress, brother-in-law, Gary Toy and his sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Theresa and David Burress.

In addition to his parents, John was preceded in death by his wife of 44 years, Sharon (Toy) Lee in 2015; and by his mother-in-law and father-in-law, Elzie and Marietta Toy.

John's greatest joy was his family. He was an amazing father to his girls and treasured every second of being "Paw" to Tyler and Brady. There was no task that John could not complete. He found great joy in serving others. After

Sharon passed in 2015, John began making comfort crosses and touched many hearts. However, in John's true fashion, he never wanted any recognition for his generosity. He leaves behind a gap that cannot be filled but we rejoice in knowing that he is in peace and once again with the love of his life, Sharon.

There will be a Mass of Christian Burial held at 10:00 AM on Friday, June 2, 2023 at St. Agnes Catholic Church, Rev. Lowell Will officiating. Burial will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Friends may visit with the family from 3:00 until 7:00 PM on Thursday at Pierre Funeral Home, 2601 W. Franklin Street and from 9:30 AM until service time on Friday at St. Agnes Church, 1600 Glendale Ave.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association.

Condolences may be made online at www.pierrefuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Memorial Park Cemetery

2200 Mesker Park Drive
Evansville, IN

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 1. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Pierre Funeral Home
2601 West Franklin Street
Evansville, IN 47712
(812) 423-6471
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<https://www.pierrefuneralhome.com>

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St. Agnes Catholic Church
1600 Glendale Ave
Evansville, IN

Mass of Christian Burial

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Tribute Wall



“ Pierre Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of John Martin Lee



Pierre Funeral Home - June 01, 2023 at 12:06 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of John Martin Lee.



June 01, 2023 at 09:15 AM



“ Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Martin Lee.



June 01, 2023 at 01:37 AM



“ 232 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Pierre Funeral Home - May 31, 2023 at 03:47 PM



“ So sorry for your loss! Keeping all your family in my thoughts and prayers!

Sue Schmelz - May 31, 2023 at 11:21 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden* was purchased for the family of John Martin Lee.



May 30, 2023 at 06:40 PM

KJ

“ I remember being at Lisa’s with Elise, we were doing laundry when horror of horrors the water hose busted, water was everywhere, I tried turning the water off, but the handle wouldn’t move, I couldn’t get ahold of CJ, so I did the next best thing, I ran across the street to get John Lee, without hesitation he was there, turned it off, brought me over his wet vac, didn’t hardly even laugh, but that’s just the way John was, if you needed help, he was there, if you wanted to just stop & talk he enjoyed that as well, I missed him when he moved, but I did get to run into him at Dennys, enjoyed that time with him, I don’t have to tell you girls what a great man your dad was, you already know, but so many of us are going to miss his quite unhurried mannerisms, like your mom, he is loved by many & will be missed ❤️ John Lee, I’m so happy you & Sharon are together again & are with the Father 🙏. I hope Heaven has a smoking section my friend 😎

kay johnson - May 30, 2023 at 06:37 PM