



Joseph L. Hisch

October 8, 1927 - October 30, 2024

Joseph L. Hisch, 97, of St. Wendel, Indiana, passed away Wednesday, October 30, 2024 at the West River Health Campus.

Joe was born on October 8, 1927 in Evansville to the late Andrew and Anna (Schapker) Hisch. He married his late wife, Allene (Elpers) Hisch in 1953. Joe worked in the machine shop at Whirlpool Corporation for over 40 years prior to retiring. He was an avid gardener and loved to “tinker” in his workshop. He once commented that he was happiest when he was making something. Joe was also known as being a sharp clabber player.

Joe was a life-long member of St. Wendel Catholic Church and a member of the Whirlpool Pioneer Club and the St. Wendel Athletic Club. Joe joined the Knights of St. John Commandery 282 in 1947 and was the longest running member at 77 years. He was awarded the Noble Degree and the Knight of the Year Award in 2015.

Surviving Joe are four daughters, Donna (Darryl) Schmitt, Janet (Wayne) Korff, Rose (Fred) Fuhs and Jo Ann (Dennis) Monarch; a son, Joseph H. Hisch; twelve grandchildren, Kristina (Jeremy) Hoesli, Joseph N. (Jessica) Hisch, Phillip (Jillian) Fuhs, Andrew (Kristin Briney) Schmitt, Allison (Brandon) Long, Jerry Hisch, Brian (Jessica) Monarch, Paul (Lindsey) Fuhs, Michelle (Keith) Parker, Adam (Becca Putans) Schmitt, Amanda Monarch and Jennifer

(Curtis) Monarch McGuire and fourteen great grandchildren with one more arriving soon.

In addition to his parents, Joe was preceded in death by his wife of 62 years, Allene (Elpers) Hisch in 2016; by sisters, Olivia Hisch and Viola Fischer and by brothers, Raymond, Anthony and Walter Hisch.

There will be a Mass of Christian Burial held at 10:00 AM on Wednesday, November 6, 2024 at St. Wendel Catholic Church, Rev. Ed Schnur officiating. Burial will follow in the St. Wendel Church Cemetery.

Friends may visit with the family from 3:00 until 7:00 PM on Tuesday at Pierre Funeral Home, 2601 W. Franklin Street, where the Knights of St. John will conduct a memorial service at 4:00 PM. Friends may also visit from 9:30 AM until service time on Wednesday at St. Wendel Catholic Church, 10542 W. Boonville New Harmony Road.

The family would like to extend their sincere gratitude to West River Assisted Living and Heart to Heart Hospice for the compassionate care given to Joe.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Wendel Catholic Church, 10542 W. Boonville New Harmony Road, Evansville, IN 47720 or to Heart to Heart Hospice of Jasper, 415 E. 6th Street, Jasper, IN 47546.

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

Cemetery Details

St. Wendel Church Cemetery

10542 W. Boonville-New Harmony Road
Evansville, IN

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 5. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Memorial Service

NOV 5. 4:00 PM (CT)

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Visitation

NOV 6. 9:30 AM (CT)

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Mass of Christian Burial

NOV 6. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Pierre Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Joseph L. Hisch*



Pierre Funeral Home - November 11, 2024 at 06:19 PM



“ *Pierre Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Joseph L. Hisch*



Pierre Funeral Home - November 03, 2024 at 08:58 PM

RE

Ryan and I would like to send our condolences. We just heard of Joe's passing. He was a wonderful man. Special hugs and Prayers to Jo, Joe and Janet.

Ryan & Linda Echert - November 05, 2024 at 07:29 PM

KJ

“ I so remember Joe in his garden that he loved to do. Also how without saying much one could tell he loved his family unconditionally. Glad Ed Schnur is doing the Mass of Christian Burial. Truly a Holy man and friend. May God grant you his love, peace, and courage - Kenny Jackson

Kenny Jackson - November 05, 2024 at 11:03 AM

MM

“ Mike & Kelly Fisher.Neil, Ashley, Marlei purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Joseph L. Hisch.



Mike & Kelly Fisher.Neil, Ashley, Marlei - November 05, 2024 at 10:14 AM

MM

“ Mark and Donna Monarch purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Joseph L. Hisch.



Mark and Donna Monarch - November 04, 2024 at 06:19 PM

TF

“ The Falk Family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Joseph L. Hisch.



The Falk Family - November 04, 2024 at 02:57 PM

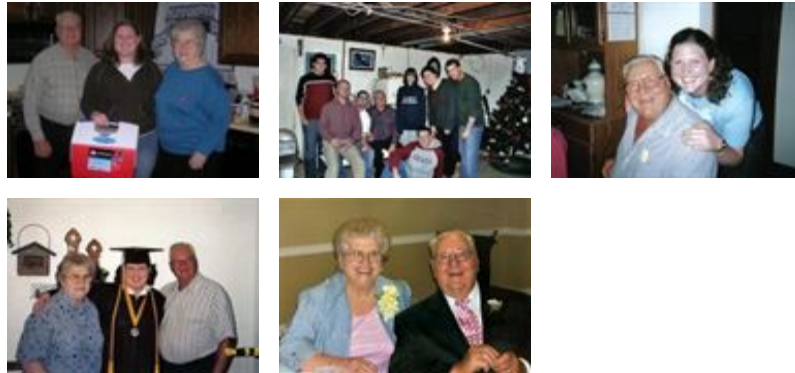
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“ The Falk Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joseph L. Hisch.

The Falk Family - November 04, 2024 at 02:57 PM



“ 9 files added to the album Life Tributes



Pierre Funeral Home - November 04, 2024 at 09:32 AM

CF

“ I'm so very sorry for your loss! Prayers for you & all of your family.
Love you friend. 💕🙏🙏

Celeste J. Farnsley - November 04, 2024 at 07:33 AM



“ Donna, JoAnn and Family,



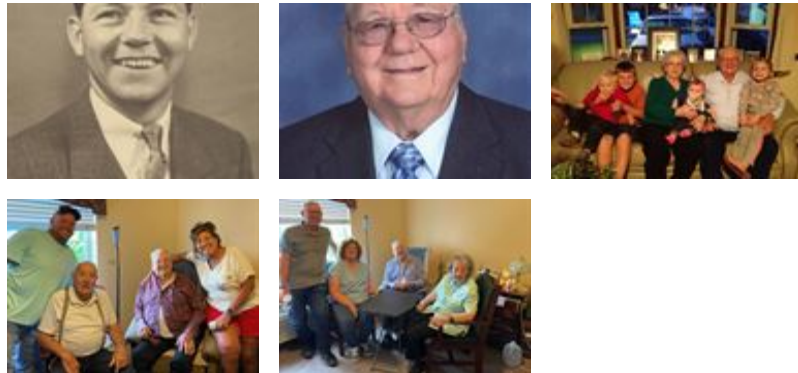
Heaven just received a great man and your mother reunited with her love. You will grieve his loss, however he would not have wanted you to fret because you will see him again. Until then, spread his legacy to all, cherish the special times and feel the warmth of love in his craftwork. During unexpected times you will feel his touch upon your shoulder and a whisper, "good job." You may also feel his touch upon you back and another whisper, "try again." My thoughts are with your family during this difficult time. My prayer is that he will look lovingly, from heaven, upon all of you left behind.

*Michele Knight
West River*

Michele Knight - November 03, 2024 at 04:33 PM



“ 139 files added to the album LifeTributes



Pierre Funeral Home - November 03, 2024 at 03:54 PM

JW

“ Thoughts and prayers to the Hisch family. Such a kind man your Father was. May he rest in peace and treasure all the memories you have.

Joyce (Hoefling) Wilzbacher - November 02, 2024 at 09:47 PM

CF

“ Dear Jo Ann and Family, my condolences and prayers are with you. Eternal rest grant unto Joseph, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen



Cathy Funkhouser - November 01, 2024 at 07:13 PM

RT

“ Randall, Cindy, Mary, Chris & Terry purchased the A Piece of My Heart Necklace for the family of Joseph L. Hisch.



Randall, Cindy, Mary, Chris & Terry - November 01, 2024 at 01:07 PM

RT

“ Randall, Cindy, Mary, Chris & Terry planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joseph L. Hisch.

Randall, Cindy, Mary, Chris & Terry - November 01, 2024 at 01:07 PM

TF

“ *The Seminara Family purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Joseph L. Hisch.*



The Seminara Family - October 31, 2024 at 08:16 PM