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John George DeGrave, age 86, passed away on Tuesday, November 3, 2015 at Wheaton Franciscan Hospital.

John was born on September 17, 1929 in Racine, WI to Wilbur and Laura (nee George) DeGrave. John was married to Mary Rock on September 12, 1953.

John was a construction superintendent at Nelson Construction for 28 years and at Riley Construction for 2 years, retiring in 1990. John proudly served his country in the U.S. Army from 1951 – 1953 during the Korean Conflict. John enjoyed fishing and was an avid hunter—spending many seasons in the woods with his father and brothers. Since retirement, he enjoyed twelve winters in Davenport FL with his lovely wife Mary, golfing and relaxing.

John will be dearly missed by his son, Patrick (Sue)DeGrave, brother and best friend, Joe DeGrave; grandchildren Bethany Leudtke, Nicole Kemen, Angela DeGrave, Michelle (Alex) Perez, and John Michael DeGrave, six great-grandchildren, nephews, one niece, and special friends: Judy and Dennis Weisbrod and Anna Mae Thomas.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 52 years, Mary, his parents, his sons: John and Michael, brothers Wilbur (Ruth) and Raymond, nephew Billy DeGrave, and sister-in-law Joan DeGrave.

A funeral mass will be held at St. Sebastian's Catholic Church, 3126 95th St., Sturtevant on Monday, November 9, 2015 at 11:00 a.m. Visitation will be held from 9:00 a.m. until the time of the mass with Father Mark Jones officiating. Interment will be held at West Lawn Memorial Park.



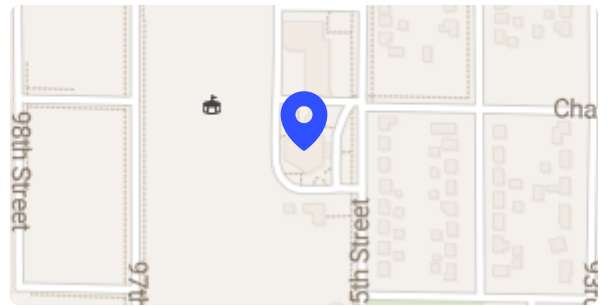
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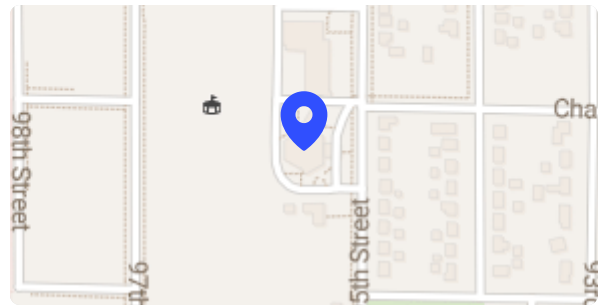
Visitation

- Monday, November 9, 2015
- 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM CT
- St. Sebastian's Catholic Church**
3126 95th Street, Sturtevant WI 53177



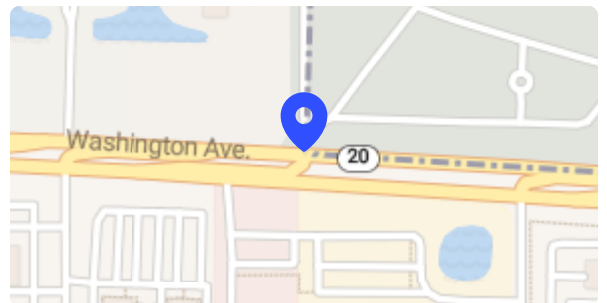
Funeral Mass

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- 11:00 AM CT
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3126 95th Street, Sturtevant WI 53177



Cemetery Details

- West Lawn Memorial Park**
9000 Washington Avenue, Mount Pleasant WI 53406





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Sheila Bielefeldt posted:

Dear Pat and Sue, My deepest sympathy for the loss of your father. Your parents were such wonderful people. I will always remember them fondly and will never forget their kindness and loving times. I was treated like family every time I was in their home. I will always remember you dad's sense of humor and how he teased your mom! Hope you two are well and will be comforted by your memories. Love, Sheila Bielefeldt

November 8 at 5:01 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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