



## John L. Gastineau

June 20, 1932 - March 31, 2017

John L. Gastineau passed away peacefully March 31 at the age of 84. By his account it was a good, long run. He looked forward to reuniting with his beloved wife, Scottie, with whom he shared 58 years of marriage.

Born at home on June 20, 1932 he was the eldest son of Garrell Adam and Mary Elsie (Taylor) Gastineau who preceded him in death. Mr Gastineau was a veteran of the Korean War era serving honorably with the U.S. Navy. After his return home from overseas military duty he served his state for 20 years with the Indiana State Police. He retired in 1977 with the rank of Captain, he was a member of the Switz City Masonic Lodge and the Scottish Rite.

Besides his wife, he was preceded in passing by his sister Betty Jo King and one grandson, Michael Findley. He is survived by a brother, Donald "Gene", three sons, John, Michael and Damon, ten grandchildren and nine great grandchildren..

Mr. Gastineau requested that in lieu of flowers, donations be given to the Shriners Hospital for Children or a similar organization for kids.

Friends may call from 6 to 8 P.M. on Monday at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield.

Services will be held at 10:00 A.M. on Tuesday at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield with Rev. Erin Raper officiating. Burial will follow at Grandview Cemetery in Bloomfield.

Online condolences to the family can be made at [www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Grandview Cemetery

Bloomfield, IN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 3. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Lester Jenkins and Sons Funeral Home Inc. - Bloomfield  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall

CA

“ John, You, JK, Charlie Leffler and the rest of crew at Post 7 in Seymour have remained in my memories since 1969 when I left for the Army. We were truly a band of brothers. I miss you Buddy.

charles ault - August 19, 2021 at 04:22 PM

LL

“ You were much more than a father in law to me, you were my Dad! Your kind words of encouragement will forever remain in my heart. I will forever miss the happiness in your voice, when i heard you say, "hi kid!!" You are where youve wanted to be for years now. I know you & mom will rest in eternity forever. I love you and im sure going to miss you.

See you later!

Lee Gastineau (Daughter in law) - April 04, 2017 at 01:31 PM

JG

“ John was an outstanding cousin, great friend, served our country well and will be missed and was well loved. Sherman

John S. Gastineau - April 04, 2017 at 10:33 AM

SB

The few times that i met him he was a wonderful man and greatgrandpa to my grandchildren Mason Alexander Sibylla ! R.I.P. John !

Sharon Barnett - April 04, 2017 at 02:54 PM

BG

“ One of the greatest men I have ever known. God speed grandpa.

benjamin gastineau - April 04, 2017 at 06:04 AM

BB

“ *i enjoyed playing cards i will miss you i loved you sydney burns*



Bonnie Burns - April 03, 2017 at 03:55 PM

BB

“ *We are sorry for your loss.*

*Dave, Bonnie & Sydney*



Bonnie Burns - April 03, 2017 at 03:25 PM

DN

“ *Dr. P. Bruce Easter, Cindy, Brooke, Wyndi & Nicole purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of John L. Gastineau.*



Dr. P. Bruce Easter, Cindy, Brooke, Wyndi & Nicole - April 03, 2017 at 10:23 AM

DE

“ *Dr. Bruce & Cindy Easter purchased the Memories 44" Sonnet for the family of John L. Gastineau.*



Dr. Bruce & Cindy Easter - April 03, 2017 at 10:13 AM

SG

“ Damon,

*Cathy and I was very sorry to hear that your father passed away. Although we didn't know him personally ... what I do know is that you always talked about him to me at the academy and I could tell you had a deep love for him. Cathy and I will be praying for you and your family.*

*Steve and Cathy Guthrie  
ILEA*

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**Steven Guthrie** - April 03, 2017 at 08:53 AM

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“ *SORRY TO SEE JOHN LEAVE US, CONSIDERED HIM A FRIEND AND A BROTHER IN B LUE. hE SERVED HIS COUNTRY AND THIS STATE WITH PRIDE AND HONOR. Tom Underwood PE775*

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**Tom Underwood** - April 03, 2017 at 08:47 AM



“ *Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of John L. Gastineau.*



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April 03, 2017 at 06:49 AM

JG

“ *Greatness is not determined by monuments or wealth. It comes from the hearts of those who know you. He was a great man and an even greater father.*

*Your Son,  
John*

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**John Gastineau** - April 02, 2017 at 06:21 PM