



Joseph W. Skomp

October 27, 1943 - November 10, 2017

Joseph W. Skomp, 74, of Lyons, passed away Friday November 10, 2017 at his home.

Born October 27, 1943 to Faye (Magner) and Joseph B. Skomp.

Joe was a graduate of the 1961 class of Central High School in Switz City, he was employed at NWSC Crane for thirty-eight years and ten years at SAIC, he was a U.S. Marine Corps veteran of the Viet Nam War. Joe was a member of the Linton Elks, Knights of Columbus, Saint Peter Catholic Church in Linton, Lyons American Legion, he enjoyed attending the veteran's coffee group, coaching cross country, youth basketball, being outdoors, mowing and gardening.

Surviving relatives include his wife Irene (Strange) Skomp whom he married on August 19, 1967; two sons, Jerry D. Skomp (Deborah) of Noblesville, Jason B. Skomp (Amber) of Lyons, his grandchildren, Jack & Anna Skomp , Hank & Miles Skomp and Lyric Shaw, two sisters, Ruth Skomp of Portland, Oregon; Janet Nybakke (John) of Astoria, Oregon, sister-in-law Ann Skomp of Crawfordsville and Aunt Carolyn Burgess (Bob) of Michigan.

Joe was preceded in death by a son, Jeffrey W. Skomp, two brothers, Jim and John Skomp and his parents.

Friends may call from 4 to 8 P.M. on Sunday November 12, 2017 at Jenkins Funeral Home in Lyons and Monday 8:30 to 9:30 at Jenkins Funeral Home in Lyons.

A Burial Mass will be held at 10:00 A.M. on Monday at Saint Peter Catholic Church in Linton with Father Beju Thomas officiating. Burial will follow at Prairie Chapel Cemetery in Lyons.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Lyons Food Pantry or the Linton Community Food Pantry.

Online condolences to the family can be made at www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Prairie Chapel Cemetery

Lyons, IN

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 12. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Lester Jenkins and Sons Funeral Home Inc. - Lyons
110 South Walnut Street
Lyons, IN 47443
(812) 384-4212
info@jenkinsfuneralhomes.com
<https://www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com/>

Service

NOV 13. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Peter Catholic Church
489 E Street NE
Linton, IN 47441

Tribute Wall

JE

“ *Jerry lit a candle in memory of Joseph W. Skomp*



Jerry - September 17, 2022 at 05:02 PM

JM

“ *Irene and family,*

I was so sorry to hear of Joe's passing. My grandmother and I were at the Catholic noodle dinner again this year and were hoping that you both would be able to be there.

Joe will be remembered with kindness and love as he showed to others. You are in my thoughts during this difficult time.

Jennifer Murdock (Brookshire), Sharleen Brookshire and Joretta Dixon

Jennifer Ann Murdock - November 17, 2017 at 10:33 AM

LP

“ Irene, I am so sorry about your loss. I apologize for not paying my respect before now. We just returned from being with our granddaughter in Wisconsin.

I remember that I was with Joe on the day that my son Justin was born in 1980. We were in a little town outside of Evansville when we got the call they were bringing Justin into the world. I threw him the keys to my car and he drove us to your home in Lyons.

God bless you Irene and all of Joe's friends and family.

Larry Phelps

Larry Phelps - November 13, 2017 at 01:06 PM

WB

“ Joe and I worked together, and played Pinochle together for many years at Crane. His quick, but dry, wit was always part of anything we did. I have fond memories of winning many games of Pinochle because of his playing skill. Here's wishing you a hundred aces and another win.

*Your Friend,
Bill Barnes (Bedford)*

William Barnes - November 13, 2017 at 07:50 AM

EC

“ IRENE, I want you to know how sad I feel to hear of Joe's passing...we worked together at Crane for a number of years and I got to know him as a witty, friendly, and smart guy who was well-liked by all of us..I'm glad I had the chance to get to know him....may God bless Joe, you, and your family...

Ed Colvin

EDWARD COLVIN - November 12, 2017 at 02:41 PM

JC

“ The Old Newberry Vets are going to miss Joe and his dry sense of humor, even if he was a Marine.

Jim Campbell, Acting yeoman, USN

Jim Campbell - November 11, 2017 at 09:55 PM

DE

“ Our prayers are with you and your family during this time of loss. I worked with Joe 30 years ago when I was a new Crane hire. Joe helped me learn the work ropes down there, he was a good person, and I will never forget him.

May God Bless Joe and your family. Sincerely, Debbie and Bruce Ellis

Debbie Ellis - November 11, 2017 at 09:55 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Joseph W. Skomp.



November 11, 2017 at 02:50 PM