



Joseph Vincent Heenan

October 4, 1922 - November 25, 2014

Joseph Vincent Heenan peacefully passed away on Nov. 25, 2014 at Diversicare of Chanute; he was 92 years old.

Joe was born in Scammon, KS on Oct. 4, 1922; the son of Thomas B. and Sarah C. (Davis) Heenan. After graduating from Columbus High School in 1940, he entered the United States Army. On Nov. 27, 1946, Joe was united in marriage to Mary Margaret (Hopper) at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Pittsburg, KS; the couple was blessed with five children: Mary Jo, Daniel P., Colleen, Timothy D. and Eileen K. Shortly after his marriage and his military time Joe returned to school where he eventually earned his Master's Degree in Education at Pittsburg State University. Joe taught school in Humboldt, KS and later worked for Monarch Cement, Co. in Human Resources until his retirement in 1989. He was a lifetime member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church and also was involved in various organizations throughout the community.

Joseph Vincent Heenan was preceded in death by his parents, his wife Mary of 52 years on Oct. 1, 1999, also by his siblings: Tom Heenan, John Heenan, Patricia Heenan and Cathleen Walsh and one grandchild: Michael Barney. He is survived by his children: Mary Jo Heenan of Wichita, KS, Daniel P. Heenan of Boston MA, Colleen Heenan of Topeka, KS, Timothy D. Heenan and wife Carolyn of Chanute, KS, and Eileen K. Wiggins and husband Jeff of Denver, CO. Also by three grandchildren, two step-grandchildren, four great-

grandchildren, and many other relatives and friends.

Mass of Christian Burial for Joseph Heenan is planned for Monday, Dec. 1, 2014 at 10:00AM. The Rosary will take place the evening prior to the service, Sunday, Nov. 30, 2014 at 7:00PM, both at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Humboldt, KS. Burial will follow in Mount Hope Cemetery also in Humboldt. The family requests memorials be made to the Joseph V. and Mary M. Heenan Scholarship Fund at Neosho County Comm. College; which may be sent in care of Countryside Funeral Home 101 N. Highland St. Chanute, KS 66720. Online condolences may be left at www.countrysidefh.com.

Cemetery Details

Mount Hope Cemetery

1282 Hawaii Rd.
Humboldt, KS

Previous Events

Rosary

NOV 30. 7:00 PM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church
514 Central
Humboldt, KS 66748

Service

DEC 1. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church
514 Central
Humboldt, KS 66748

Tribute Wall

MN

“ *Mary Noll lit a candle in memory of Joseph Vincent Heenan*



Mary Noll - November 30, 2014 at 08:25 PM

MN

“ *Dear Daniel and Heenan Family, My name is Mary Noll, and I knew Dan many years ago when I worked in a hospital. My career for the last twenty-five years has been as a music educator, and I currently teach music in an elementary school. While I only met your Father once or twice, I remember how cordial and friendly he was. I believe that I met Colleen and maybe one other sibling. My sincere condolences to you and your family. While he had a long life, it is never easy to endure the separation from parents. I lost my Dad in 1980 and my Mother in 2011. I live in Topeka and in the phone book if you and or Colleen would ever like to touch base.*

Mary Noll - November 30, 2014 at 08:23 PM

MC

“ *We extend our deepest sympathy to Joe's family. He contributed much to the community, and to many individuals. We remember his involvement with 4-H. We are keeping your family in our thoughts and prayers. Jeanice & Maynard Cress*

Maynard & Jeanice Cress - November 30, 2014 at 04:01 PM

MW

“ *Mr. Heenan was a kind, genuine, and tenacious human being. He inspired my life and always made me feel cared for and encouraged. It breaks my heart to hear of his passing, but I am so thankful to know what a wonderful life he lived. Thank you, Mr. Heenan. You are loved.*

Melanie Weilert - November 30, 2014 at 01:01 PM

LB

“ *My deepest condolences to Eileen and Jeff Wiggins, Andi Jones, and Tim and Carolyn Heenan on the loss of Joe. He was always a gentleman and bright light in his church and community. He will be greatly missed. Linda Butts.*

Linda Butts - November 29, 2014 at 11:48 PM

HE

“ *I worked in Humboldt at Arrowood where Jo always was wondering if his clock was set right and always look forward to services on Sunday*

heathercox - November 29, 2014 at 10:59 PM

BR

“ *Tim and Carolyn, i'm very sorry for your loss.*

*Robert C. "Tex" Ritchie
Coeur d Alene, Idaho*

Bob Ritchie - November 29, 2014 at 03:25 PM

WL

“ *Me. Heenan was the sweetest man! He was loved by all USD 413 students and will be missed! Thoughts and prayers to his family!*

Whitney Lair - November 29, 2014 at 03:17 PM

MG

“ Joe was a gentleman and an all around nice guy. I have fond memories of him when he was a substitute teacher at Royster Middle School. Prayers to his family. Mary Gates

Mary Gates - November 28, 2014 at 08:24 PM

AJ

“ Andi & Steven Jones purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Joseph Vincent Heenan.



Andi & Steven Jones - November 28, 2014 at 09:59 AM

VS

“ Via Christi House Managers---Patient Care Support--SJC--SFC purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Joseph Vincent Heenan.



Via Christi House Managers---Patient Care Support--SJC--SFC - November 28, 2014 at 02:05 AM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Joseph Vincent Heenan.



November 27, 2014 at 07:02 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Joseph Vincent Heenan.



November 26, 2014 at 04:34 PM