



John "Jack" S. McGlaughlin

September 13, 1928 - August 19, 2006

John "Jack" S. McGlaughlin, 77, of Washington, died at 8:00 AM, on Saturday, August 19, 2006 at his residence in Washington, IL.

He was born on September 13, 1928 in Akron, Ohio to Earl and Bernice Campbell McGlaughlin. He married Joan Weaver on January 15, 1949 in East Moline; Joan survives.

Surviving are 3 daughters, Becky McGlaughlin of Washington, Jenny (Ivan) Rieke of Congerville, Marsha (Burt) Burbidge of Flower Mound, TX, 2 sons, Fred McGlaughlin and Mike (Karen) McGlaughlin, both of Washington; and one brother, Fred (Joy) McGlaughlin of Moline. Jack was the proud grandfather of 21 Grandchildren and 15 Great Grandchildren

He was preceded in death by his parents, one brother, one sister, and one great-granddaughter.

Jack worked as a blacksmith for the Rock Island Lines and TP&W Railroad. He also worked at LeTourneau's and as a Steamfitter for Local #353 in Peoria. In 1998 Jack was the recipient of Washington's "Good Neighbor" award. He was a dedicated Scout Lead for Troop #168, with 8 of his scouts achieving Eagle Scout status. As a young man he boxed in the Golden Gloves and trained many from the area in the Silver Gloves program. Jack was a member

and served as a Grand Knight in the Knight of Columbus Fr. John Menco Council #6707 in Washington. He also started the KC men's choir at St. Patrick's, where he was a member for 54 years. He was an active member of the Cursillo Family. Jack was an avid golfer and wood carver. He loved life, served many, and will be greatly missed.

A funeral service will be held at 11:00 AM on Wednesday, at St. Patrick Catholic Church. Father Joseph P. Donton will officiate with Jack's Prelude music starting at 10:45 AM. Visitation will be held from 5 to 7 PM on Tuesday at Deiters Funeral home in Washington with Rosary at 7:00 PM. Burial will be Private in Glendale Cemetery in Washington.

Previous Events

Service

AUG **23**. 10:45 AM (CT)

St. Patrick Catholic Church
705 E. Jefferson Street
Washington, IL

Tribute Wall



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June 03, 2007 at 06:48 AM



“ Joan: It was with great shock that Dave & I received the news of Jack's passing today. We met you both when we became snowbird golf partners in Destin. How lucky we were to have met such a wonderful couple and how unlucky we are to have known Jack for such a short period of time. He was indeed such a special, special man and he touched our hearts. Joan, you are in our prayers. This is such a difficult time for you, but if caring friends can make any difference, you must feel the love across the miles. Sincerely, Dave & Jeanette Diggins##imported-begin##Dave & Jeanette Diggins##imported-end##

September 06, 2006 at 05:52 PM



“ What a great and honorable man Jack was ! He had a way about him that impressed me from my teen years through adulthood . Jack taught me mechanical skills that were necessary to keep my first car roadworthy so I could take Marsha on dates back in the 70's . He'd lend me his tools, give much needed advice and crawl under my GTO when a helping hand was required without complaining about leaking fluids or tying up his driveway for days . Jack would even lend me his own personal car when mine was out of commision. He loved dining out and I was fortunate enough to be invited to some of the best resturants in the area with the McGlaughlins . I will always remember his distintive laugh and charm . Jack's values, common sense, humor and integrety will always be remembered ! Barry##imported-begin##Barry Stapleton##imported-end##

August 25, 2006 at 10:33 PM



“ I wish to express my deepest sympathy to you and your family in the loss of your husband and father.

I was in the Pine Lakes Ladies 9 hole golf league when you were.

With deepest sympathy

Beth Alt###imported-begin##Beth Alt###imported-end##

August 22, 2006 at 09:33 PM



“ I always remember Jack as a man with a pleasant smile and a friendly greetings.

A few years back he sharpened our kitchen knives with such an edge that they held for years. I asked him how much and he told me to just put a little extra in the plate on sunday. Which I did. I know that god will indeed get a great worker as well as a very good handy man .

Rest in Peace Jack and I look forward to seeing you when i get there.

Your brother in christ

Tom Finson###imported-begin##Thomas R Finson###imported-end##

August 22, 2006 at 06:27 PM



“ *Joan & family:*
We were glad to know Jack and sorry that he will no longer be here with his bright smile and cheerful words. We wish we could be there in person for the visitation and funeral but we are visiting our daughter in Virginia. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Harry & Solange Wahl##imported-begin##Harry & Solange Wahl##imported-end##

August 22, 2006 at 10:57 AM



“ *We are thinking of you and offer our condolences.##imported-begin##Bob, Janice & Jake Poppen ##imported-end##*

August 22, 2006 at 08:43 AM



“ *Jo, my sincere sympathy and prayers go out to you and your family. What fond memories I have of Washington, and I remember how much my husband Bill thought of Jack. Now they can renew acquaintances! Joan (now of Jacksonville, IL.)##imported-begin##Joan Fry##imported-end##*

August 22, 2006 at 12:58 AM



“ *Jack,*
You were a wonderful man and anybody who would try to teach Randy to box had to be special. You had so many talents and shared all of them with us especially your love of God.##imported-begin##Ron & Shirley Black##imported-end##

August 21, 2006 at 09:47 PM



“ Pete and Rita express their sympathy to Joan and their family. When we moved to Washington over 30 years ago, we joined a bridge club with St. Pat's church and played cards with Jack and Joan. Through these many years we have enjoyed their friendship and their willingness to share with others. We are with Joan and family with their grief, and celebration of Jack's entrance into heaven.

Rita###imported-begin###Rita Fischbach###imported-end##

August 21, 2006 at 08:59 PM



“ I have so many very fond memories of Jack, and his entire family - all a significant source of fond memories that'll I'll never forget. And an important part of my 'formative years'. I'll never forget any of that, and you will be greatly missed, Jack. You touched many, many lives. Kindest thoughts and prayers to the family. Godspeed and Peace to ya Jack! (In case you're wondering, Jack gave me the nickname when on the JB Cobra's boxing team...great, fun memories!)

###imported-begin###Matt "Half-Pint" Thar###imported-end##

August 21, 2006 at 08:11 PM



“ Joan & family; you and yours will be in our thoughts and prayers these next several days. I'm sure I will cry next time I walk my dogs past your house, when we are in town. Jack was one of the first to have a biscuit, or a friendly pat on the head for our dogs Sox & Cleo. Sorry we won't be able to attend his visitation or funeral.

pat & rob mac###imported-begin###Patrice & Robert Mac Main###imported-end##

August 21, 2006 at 04:37 PM



“ Today, although I feel sorrow at Jack's passing, I am proud to have know such a great man. Jack taught me more than just Boxing, but I look back on those younger days, and smile. Taking me all the way to the State Title fight, and then in adult years as well, I'll never forget Jack. I am sure that my late father will welcome Jack with that smile, and Jack will give Dad that trademark gleaming smile I'll never forget !

There will be no more hands to wrap, no more jabs to throw, no right crosses, no upper-cuts, no duck and side steps, no counter-punches, and no more knock outs. For Jack has gone the distance, and he has won it all !
Don Portscher

August 21, 2006 at 02:39 PM



“ WE WERE DESTION FRIENDS OF JACK. I WAS IN HIS WOOD CARVING CLASS. HE WAS ONE GREAT GUY AND A REAL GENTLEMAN. I'M SURE THAT THERE WILL MANY PEOPLE THAT WILL MISS HIM. HE WILL BE IN MY PRAYERS

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August 21, 2006 at 02:32 PM



“ The jokes, the laughter and the way Uncle Jack made you feel enlightened a person.

He is in a much better place with no pain.

Grandma, grandpa, brother, sister and great grand daughter are there with him so he is in good company.
David Schrock

August 21, 2006 at 02:08 PM



“ *Burt and Marcia I am so soory about your loss. I have you in my thoughts and prayers. I have been diagnosed with Lou Gehrichs disease and am unable to talk or I would be at the visitation to give you my support. Shirl###imported-begin##Shirley Call Stufflebeam###imported-end##*

August 21, 2006 at 12:45 PM



“ *So sorry to hear about your husband and the girls' father dying. I regret to say that we wont't be able to come to the visitation on Tuesday evening but will keep you all in our prayers.*

Love, Evelyn Hoffer###imported-begin##Bob and Evelyn Call Hoffer###imported-end##

August 21, 2006 at 12:31 PM