

John T. Matthews

September 27, 1949 - April 28, 2016

John T. Matthews age 66 of Oak Forest, passed away suddenly on April 28th. Beloved husband of Marguerite (nee Bratsakis) Loving father of Lisa (Martin) Sikorski of Oak Forest, and John Paul "JP" (Sheryl) Matthews of Oak Forest. Grandfather of John, George & Elena. Brother of Paula (late Morton) Anderson, Nancy (Eric) Zimmer and Glade (Nancy) Matthews. John retired in 2011 as a math and music teacher from the Chicago Public Schools and St. Thomas More Grammar School.

Visitation will be held on Sunday, May 1st from 2:00pm-8:00pm at Heartland Memorial Center 7151 W. 183rd St., Tinley Park, IL. Funeral Monday 9:15 am from the funeral home to St. Julie Billiart Church Mass 10:00am. Interment Good Shepherd Cemetery, Orland Park, IL Memorials may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. For info or to sign the guestbook heartlandmemorial.com or 708-444-2266

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 1. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Heartland Memorial Center (183rd just off Harlem Ave)
7151 183rd St
Tinley Park, IL 60477
(708) 444-2266

Visitation

MAY 2. 10:00 AM (CT)

St Julie Billiard Church
7399 159th St
Tinley Park, IL 60477-1398
(708) 429-6767

Tribute Wall

LM

“ John's ability to bring joy and laughter to so many people will truly be missed. You have blessed us all with memories that will always bring smiles to our hearts and faces. We will miss you until we meet again. Larry and Carol Michalowski

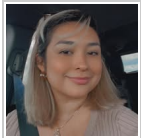
Larry Michalowski - May 10, 2016 at 08:08 AM



“ He was my 8th grade teacher back in 2009, he was a wonderful person who encouraged his students.



Elizabeth Soto - May 07, 2016 at 07:41 PM



“ Forever grateful to have had Mr. Mathews as an amazing teacher. He impacted the lives of all his students, no matter how young we were many of us will remember him!

Enid Gongora - May 07, 2016 at 02:57 PM

RS

“ Roy and I were sorry to hear of John's passing. Please let Lisa and Marty know that we are thinking of them and of course the rest of the family. We are Marty's Aunt and Uncle from Arizona, Roy and Rita Survillas.. We will keep you all in our prayers.
Love,
Roy and Rita

Roy and Rita Survillas - May 03, 2016 at 01:18 PM



“ *Mr. Matthews was my teacher in 8th grade at St. Thomas More. He was very funny and a great teacher.*

Beth OShaughnessy - May 01, 2016 at 09:23 PM



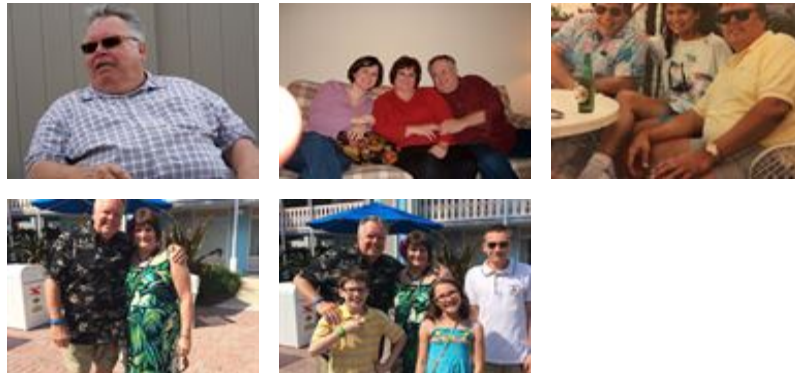
“ *Beth Ann Basile purchased the Serene Reflections Bouquet for the family of John T. Matthews.*



Beth Ann Basile - May 01, 2016 at 01:01 PM



“ *112 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Heartland Memorial Center - May 01, 2016 at 12:09 PM



“ *Marguerite and Family, I am so sorry to hear about John. My prayers and thoughts are with you.*
Dave Domovic

Dave Domovic - May 01, 2016 at 09:44 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of John T. Matthews.*



April 30, 2016 at 11:54 PM



“ *Jim and Carrie purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of John T. Matthews.*



Jim and Carrie - April 30, 2016 at 09:12 PM



“ *Love your God-daughter Paula purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of John T. Matthews.*



Love your God-daughter Paula - April 30, 2016 at 07:06 PM



“ *Love, all your Nieces and Nephews purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of John T. Matthews.*



Love, all your Nieces and Nephews - April 30, 2016 at 05:02 PM

CD

“ Cook County DHSEM purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of John T. Matthews.



Cook County DHSEM - April 30, 2016 at 12:41 PM

MM

“ You are the light of my life, forever. No chance for one last kiss. So this kiss is going to last forever. I love you and please make a place for me. Your loving wife, Rity.



Marguerite Matthews - April 30, 2016 at 11:45 AM

MM

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Marguerite Matthews - April 30, 2016 at 11:42 AM

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Marguerite Matthews - April 30, 2016 at 11:41 AM

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Marguerite Matthews - April 30, 2016 at 11:33 AM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of John T. Matthews.



April 30, 2016 at 10:57 AM

BT

“ *Brian, Missie, Blake and Ian Todd* purchased the *Secret Garden Basket* for the family of John T. Matthews.



Brian, Missie, Blake and Ian Todd - April 30, 2016 at 10:44 AM

ME

“ *Marguerite I am so very sorry to hear about John...his beautiful smile and boisterous laugh are some of my favorite memories....you two were my favorite and most fun couple...so many good times and laughs. Please know you and your family are in my prayers.*
Meg Earley



meg Earley - April 30, 2016 at 10:44 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of John T. Matthews.*



April 30, 2016 at 09:42 AM



“ *Love, Traci Marrella purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of John T. Matthews.*



Love, Traci Marrella - April 30, 2016 at 09:30 AM



“ *Mr. Matthews was my favorite math teacher when you didn't know the answer..by the look on your face he would make you come up to the board & do it until you did.Gave me the confidence not to give up in math or science! God Bless!! Another angel in heaven!!!*



Raquel Sperekas Molina - April 30, 2016 at 08:58 AM



“ *Blooming Garden Basket was purchased for the family of John T. Matthews.*



April 29, 2016 at 08:35 PM