



Mr. Joseph V. Krebs

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In the early morning hours of November 25, 2020, Joseph Victor Krebs peacefully left his earthly home to reunite with his family up in heaven.

Joe is survived by Elizabeth Saba Krebs, his devoted and loving wife of forty years. Joe and Elizabeth got to know each other on the square-dancing floor and soon after, Joe joyfully brought her into his BIG Krebs family. They enjoyed big band music, spending time working on their home, and sharing a delicious meal and a good cup of coffee.

He was born to Emile and Elizabeth Gipson Krebs in June, 1930, and was the middle child of seven children raised in the shadow of his lifetime parish, Annunciation Catholic Church. He lived a Christ-like life that exemplified his Catholic faith.

Joe is also survived by two sisters and one sister-in-law; Patricia Leleaux of Crowley, Agnes Armentor of Lake Charles and Sue Krebs of Bogalusa. They described him as a dedicated brother and brother-in-law and a faithful son who took care of his mother throughout her life. They remembered that he always had a lot of friends who gathered at the house, drawn by his fun-loving nature, many who became lifelong friends.

He was welcomed into heaven by his father and mother, and four siblings; Bill Krebs, Juanita Fralick, Mary McDuff, and Richard Krebs. Joe was loved dearly by twenty-five nieces and nephews and many have shared their fond memories of their most special uncle:

He was gentle and yet strong. He made us all feel loved and welcome when we were there. He always had a smile and a place in his heart for everyone he met. He loved our family BIG. He always had time for us and made us feel loved and special. Uncle Joe was a rock for a lot of us throughout our childhood and adult life.

As a child he was altar server at Annunciation Church as well as a paper boy until his late teen years. He worked for Western Union, delivering messages during World War



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II. Served in the National Guard. Joe graduated from Bogalusa High School and started working at Gaylord Paper Mill when he was eighteen.

He served actively in his church as an usher, a member of the Knights of Columbus (for 70 years), and he generously made himself available whenever the church called, for anything from a handyman taking care of repairs and working at the Bingo games.

It is with deep sorrow and much love that we mourn the passing, and celebrate the life of Joseph Krebs, a Godly gentleman with a heart like Jesus.

In Lieu of flowers, donations should be made to Annunciation Catholic Church in Joe's name.



Events

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Visitation


 **Wednesday**, December 2, 2020

 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM CT

 **Annunciation Catholic Church**
Adams, BOGALUSA LA 70427


Service

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 11:00 AM CT

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Cemetery Details

 **Hillview Memorial Gardens**
Bogalusa LA 70427



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Jim & Lorraine Reeves posted:

Joe was such a fine man, and we know how much he will be greatly missed by his family and all of his friends. Our thoughts and prayers are with him, and his special family.

December 2 at 2:14 AM



Terry Keen posted:

Prayers for the family. He will be missed 🙏🙏

November 29 at 11:12 AM



Terry Keen November 29 at 11:13 AM

This is from Pat Pounds



Teddy Drummond posted:

Mr. Joe Krebs was still doing volunteer work at Annunciation Catholic School into his late 70's , and he was a pleasure to be around while we were doing it. He was a good man.

November 27 at 5:55 PM



Terry Keen posted:

Mr. Krebs was such a nice man he will be missed. Rest In Peace and prayers for his family 🙏🙏🙏



November 27 at 11:57 AM



Vaughn Gibson posted:

A true gentleman, a devout Catholic, and a Knight of Columbus for 70 years! May you Rest In Peace my brother.

November 27 at 6:02 AM



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MB

Marian Burr posted:

Well, my friend, you have made it! I have missed you. Love you Elizabeth! Marian Burr and daughters

November 26 at 7:50 AM



Karen Gibson posted:

I'm gonna miss my neighbor of 10 yrs but I'm gonna make sure your wife Elizabeth Krebs be alright and well taken care of. Rest in peace

November 26 at 7:24 AM

RR

Rita Regitz December 2 at 4:57 AM

My prayers & sympathy to the family, Joe was a kind & gentle person. We were all kids together & in 1956, Joe served in my wedding party. May he rest in peace in the arms of the Lord..

HR

Helga Russo November 28 at 5:22 PM

Mrs. Elizabeth, Mitch and I were so sorry to hear about Mr. Joe. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and his family during this difficult time. Mitch & Helga

JS

Jerri Stewart November 27 at 6:55 AM

The world lost another kind, sweet soul. Our loss is heaven's gain. Our sincere sympathies, Elizabeth. Our prayers for the family are for peace & comfort during this time of loss. Danny & Jerri Giaccone Stewart

MB

Marian Burr November 26 at 7:32 AM

Well, my friend you have made it. I have missed you. Rest in peace. Love you Elizabeth! Marian Burr and daughters



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Joseph by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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