



Gerald L. Laue

December 27, 1932 - April 16, 2018

Gerald L. Laue, 85, Topeka, Kansas, passed away April 16, 2018.

Gerald was born December 27, 1932, in Greenleaf, Kansas, the son of George and Anna True Laue. He attended Greenleaf schools. Gerald served in the United States Navy from March 1951, to March 1955. He married Mary Lou McGrath on December 27, 1955, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Greenleaf. Gerald began his career in construction in 1955. He worked with Wilbur Glenn and later formed a partnership to create Glenn & Laue Construction before moving on to form his own company, Laue Construction. After he retired, Gerald worked for J&T Concrete. Gerald was a member of Christ the King Catholic Church, Knights of Columbus, Topeka Homebuilders Association and the American Legion. He was an avid Kansas State sports fan, golfer, hunter and bowler. Gerald also enjoyed playing cards.

Gerald's family would like to thank all his caregivers at Aldersgate Village, especially Steve, Pam and Joey.

Gerald is survived by his wife, Mary Lou; children, Gerri Holstine (Jed) and Sherry Van Hoecke (Dan); grandchildren, Megan Newberry, Jennifer Daugherty (Patrick), Ian Mills (Angie) and Jamie Holstine; step-grandchildren, Dani Jo Butz (Tom) and Jeani Van Hoecke; great-grandchildren, Isaac Kibbe and Tripp Daugherty; step-great-grandchild, Noah Butz; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his siblings, Ruth Lohmeyer, Hulda Ohlde, Norbert Laue and twin brother Harold Laue.

Visitation will be 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday, at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral

Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614, with parish rosary prayed at 7 p.m.

Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. on Friday, at Christ the King Catholic Church, 5973 SW 25th Street, Topeka KS 66614. Burial to follow in Mount Calvary Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Going To The Dogs (providing protective vests for law enforcement K9s) or Great Lakes Caring Hospice, sent in care of the funeral home.

Cemetery Details

Mount Calvary Cemetery

801 SW Westchester Rd
Topeka, KS 66606

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 19. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home
2801 SW Urish Road
Topeka, KS 66614
(785) 272-7888
info@kevinbrennanfamily.com

Rosary

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Mass of Christian Burial

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Tribute Wall



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Gerald L. Laue



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - April 18, 2018 at 12:40 PM



“ Gerald L. Laue

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gerald L. Laue.



April 19, 2018 at 02:32 PM



“ Our condolences from the Topeka Homebuilders and from me personally. Gerald was great role model for me and others in our membership. Thanks for sharing him with us. Ivan Weichert, Topeka Area Building Association.

Ivan Weichert - April 19, 2018 at 02:02 PM

LF

“ Love, Your LearningRx Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Gerald L. Laue.



Love, Your LearningRx Family - April 19, 2018 at 01:45 PM

DC

“ Gerald was a great contractor and even better man. He always did a fantastic job and never cut corners. He will be missed by many.
Dargal Clark

Dargal Clark - April 17, 2018 at 10:15 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gerald L. Laue.



April 17, 2018 at 10:19 AM

BI

“ Bisbee, Stephens, Hickman, Bishop purchased the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the family of Gerald L. Laue.



Bisbee, Stephens, Hickman, Bishop - April 17, 2018 at 09:31 AM

GB

“ *Mary Lou, I am so sorry to hear of Gerald's passing. He was such a sweet man and will be missed by many. I enjoyed the time I spent caring for him at Aldersgate and miss him dearly.*

Grace Bartron - April 17, 2018 at 04:10 AM