



Melvin Joseph Schreiner

September 14, 1939 - February 5, 2018

Melvin Joseph Schreiner, 78, Topeka, Kansas, passed away Monday, February 5, 2018, at his home with his family.

Melvin was born September 14, 1939, the son of Leo and Lidwina Reidel Schreiner. Melvin attended Quincy Elementary and Assumption Catholic Grade School and graduated from Hayden Catholic High School in 1957. Melvin served our country with the Army National Guard for eight years. On October 30, 1965, Melvin and Judith Ann Weibel were united in marriage at Assumption Church in Topeka, enjoying over 52 years together.

Melvin worked for Southwestern Bell Telephone and then AT&T, retiring with 30 years service. He handled the phone service work at Pay-Less Shoes for 25 years and was a member of the Telephone Pioneers. Melvin was a member of Mother Teresa of Calcutta Catholic Church, the Knights of Columbus, Council No. 534 and the James W. Gibbons Fourth Degree Assembly.

Grateful to have shared Melvin's life are his wife, Judi; sons, Todd (Michelle), Troy (Marcy), Tyson (Lindsey) and Travis; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; sister, Mary Ann Didier; and brothers, Leo, Ben and his twin, Marvin Schreiner. Melvin was preceded in death by his sisters, Clara Schreiner, Leona Perrin, Alvina Konrade and brother, Ray Schreiner.

There will be a Fourth Degree Chalice Ceremony at 6 p.m. Thursday at Mother Teresa of Calcutta Catholic Church followed by the rosary led by the Knights of Columbus. Melvin's family will then greet friends until 8:30 at the Church.

Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at Mother Teresa of Calcutta Church Friday at 10 a.m. Burial will follow at Rochester Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are suggested to Team Blake (to assist families fighting pediatric cancer) or Mother Teresa of Calcutta Church, sent in care of Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614.

Cemetery Details

Rochester Cemetery

1200 NW Menninger Rd
Topeka, KS 66618

Previous Events

Knights of Columbus 4th Degree Chalice Ceremony and Rosary

FEB 8. 6:00 PM (CT)

Mother Teresa of Calcutta Catholic Church
2014 NW 46th Street
Topeka, KS 66618

Visitation

FEB 8. 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM (CT)

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Mass of Christian Burial

FEB 9. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Melvin Joseph Schreiner



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - February 07, 2018 at 05:01 PM



“ Melvin Joseph Schreiner

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ Dear Mary Ann and Schreiner family, I am so sorry for your loss and wish you every happy memory that you have of him as part of your solace. Marylee Hamilton and family

Marylee Hamilton - February 21, 2018 at 10:59 AM



“ Are this is Melven. They fooled me through 4 years of high school and eight years of national guards. Condolences to family. All are in my prayers. Bob Mainey, Davenport, Iowa.

rmainey - February 15, 2018 at 02:47 PM



“ I'm sorry to hear of Melvin's passing. Prayers to the family.

Karen Ireland - February 09, 2018 at 07:17 PM

LC

“ I'm so sorry to hear of Melvin's passing. I knew Melvin when I worked at Payless. He was so generous with his time helping me and others at Payless after each move. I think I was moved about 15 times during my 17 years there. He always had smile every time you saw him. I had the pleasure seeing him off and on after his retirement from Payless. He always welcomed me with his kind smile. May all your wonderful memories help ease your pain. I will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers. God bless. Lesa Cyr

Lesa Cyr - February 09, 2018 at 07:13 PM



“ Kelly Schreiner lit a candle in memory of Melvin Joseph Schreiner



Kelly Schreiner - February 08, 2018 at 07:50 PM



“ Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of Melvin Joseph Schreiner.



February 08, 2018 at 02:05 PM

DO

“ Such a good man and always so kind to my family! Mel, my golf outings with you & Joe were few but I remember them fondly. Thank you so much for inviting me out....Those times will always be in my heart. God Bless old friend.....

Douglas - February 08, 2018 at 01:31 PM



“ *Sandy Yingling lit a candle in memory of Melvin Joseph Schreiner*



Sandy Yingling - February 08, 2018 at 12:29 AM

JF

“ *Jerret Perrin and Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Melvin Joseph Schreiner.*



Jerret Perrin and Family - February 07, 2018 at 08:29 PM

BR

“ *I so enjoyed seeing Mel when he was at Payless. He always had a kind word and a smile on his face. He will be missed by all of his Payless friends.
Peace and comfort,
Becky Roth*

Becky Roth - February 07, 2018 at 02:02 PM

JA

“ *Judy and family, my Love, fond memories and sympathy are with all of you
at this difficult time. You both are a very special couple, so glad I've shared many
years of friendship with you two, your dad and our Perry, Ga. family.
I Love You and God Bless!
Jill Bybee Ables*

Jill Bybee Ables - February 07, 2018 at 10:52 AM

PU

“ Dear Judy and family. So sorry to read about Melvin this morning. Have enjoyed my friendship with the Schreiners almost all my life. You all will be in my thoughts and prayers. I am presently in Florida and will not be able to attend the service, but be assured you will be in my prayers. Pat Unrein.

pat Unrein - February 07, 2018 at 09:05 AM

NR

“ Dear Judy and family,
So sorry to read about Melvin this morning. The Schreiner family has always been very special to me. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Nancy Unrein Reed

Nancy Unrein Reed - February 07, 2018 at 08:55 AM

RS

Our blessing to the Schreiner family. Ron and Mary Spreer.

Ron Spreer - February 07, 2018 at 12:43 PM

PT

Mel was a great guy to work with at Payless. He always had a smile and a kind word to say. My thoughts and prayers are with his family.

Pat Tuck - February 07, 2018 at 02:24 PM

VR

The Telecom Life Pioneers send their condolences to the family.

Virginia Richards - February 14, 2018 at 10:19 PM