



## Walter J. Meyer

July 28, 1917 - September 29, 2020

We will be live streaming Walter's funeral service Friday, October 2nd at 11 a.m. on our Facebook page. When you click this link, it will take you to our Facebook page. You might need to scroll down at 11 a.m. until you see the title Walter Meyer Funeral Mass. KBFFH Facebook (<https://www.facebook.com/Kevin-Brennan-Family-Funeral-Home-116876148342762/>)

Walter Joseph Meyer, 103, Topeka, Kansas, passed away Tuesday, September 29, 2020, at the House at Midland Care.

Walter was born July 28, 1917, in Sabetha, Kansas, to John and Viola Winterscheidt Meyer. He was a graduate of Fairview High School in 1939, where he was a good athlete whose relay team held a track record for many years. He farmed until 1957 when the family moved to Holton and he was employed by Goodyear.

On April 16, 1941, Walter and Estelle Honeyman were united in marriage, enjoying 35 years of marriage until her death on August 17, 1976. Their survivors include their children, Judy McGrath (Jim) Topeka, Betty Sahagun (John) Fort Worth TX, Linda Arnold (Richard) Holton KS, Darrel Meyer (Cindy) Mayetta KS, Jim Meyer (Colleen) Rossville KS, Sally Frey, Napa CA, and Connie Sterbenz (Doug) Topeka; 20 grandchildren; 45 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren. Walter was preceded in death by a

grandson, Marc Sahagun, great-granddaughter, Parker Monhollon and siblings, Helen Grieveldinger, Albert, Augustine, Bernard, infant brothers, Clarence and Leo; and his son-in-law, Dan Frey.

On June 3, 1977, Walter and Alvina Schmidt Boldt were married. They enjoyed 35 years of marriage until her death on October 31, 2012. Survivors include her children, Rhonda Lambrecht (Rich), Cheryl Lambrecht (Rob), Douglas Boldt (Kathryn), Craig Boldt; 10 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. They were preceded in death by her sons, Bradley and Alan Boldt and great-granddaughter, Makayla.

Walter was a founding member of Christ the King Catholic Church and a member of the Knights of Columbus. He remained active his entire life. Walter volunteered for Let's Help. He participated in the Senior Olympics, played cards, bowled in leagues into his late 90s when he still achieved a 150 average, pitched horseshoes in his 100th year and drove to the DMV to renew his driver's license at age 100.

Mr. Meyer will lie in state from 4 until 6 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 1, at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614. Masks and social distancing are required. Due to the pandemic, Walter's family will not be present.

The rosary will be prayed at 10:30 a.m. Friday, Oct. 2, at St. Augustine Catholic Church, Fidelity KS, where Mass of Christian Burial will follow at 11 a.m. Burial will be in St. Augustine Cemetery. Due to COVID-19, masks are required.

In lieu of flowers, please consider donations to the Multiple Sclerosis Society or to Midland Care Hospice, sent in care of the funeral home.



# Cemetery Details

## St. Augustine Catholic Cemetery

1641 Y Road  
Sabetha, KS 66534

# Previous Events

## Lying in State

OCT 1. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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

## Rosary

OCT 2. 10:30 AM (CT)

St. Augustine Catholic Church  
1948 Acorn Rd  
Sabetha, KS 66534

## Mass of Christian Burial

OCT 2. 11:00 AM (CT)

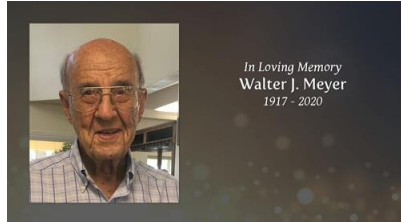
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Walter J. Meyer*



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**Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home** - September 30, 2020 at 05:35 PM



“ *Walter J. Meyer*

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January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *What a wonderful gentleman!!  
Rest in peace.  
Carla Blackwell*

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**Carla Blackwell** - October 07, 2020 at 01:28 PM

JT

“ We send our sincere condolences to your families. Brother-in-law Walter was a genuine man of faith, wisdom, and love. Our sister, Alvina, loved him, and they spent many happy years together. His presence was felt, and his kindnesses will always be remembered. His subtle ways were sincere with a bit of humor tucked in. He was a centurion who was able to enjoy conversations, a newspaper, ballgames, bowling, card games, a walk, and family and friends beyond the hundred year mark. Walt was a man of moderation who enjoyed a long happy life. May Walter's soul rest in peace and enjoy eternal happiness in Our Lord's Heavenly Kingdom.

*With love and fond memories,*

*Jim and Lois Theilmann*

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**Jim & Lois Theilmann** - October 06, 2020 at 04:00 AM

PL

“ All of you are in my thoughts and prayers. So happy you got to enjoy him for so many years.

*Sincerely,*

*Pat (Barrand) and Ron Lierz*

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**Pat Lierz** - October 04, 2020 at 08:06 PM

JL

“ Uncle Walt has always had a special place in my heart with family memories with all of you. We are sorry for your loss. Sending sympathy and prayers. Love, Joe and Margie Lehmkuhl

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**Joe Lehmkuhl** - October 02, 2020 at 11:01 PM

JH

“ I am sorry for your loss. My thoughts and deepest condolences are with the family. May God give you peace in this time of sorrow.

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**Jeff Harshaw** - October 02, 2020 at 10:32 PM

KB

“ Connie and family,  
May you be comforted knowing so many people are praying for you at this time and knowing that your father is now at peace with his father, our Lord. God bless you in this time of sorrow.  
Gary and Kelly Baldrige

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**Kelly Baldrige** - October 02, 2020 at 03:33 PM

DP

“ We are sorry to learn of your father's death. No matter their age, it is always hard to lose them. We have fond memories of your dad while at Holton. Sorry we will be unable to be with you at this time. God's blessings be with you.

*Don & Jan Placke  
Central City, Ne*

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**Deacon Don Placke** - October 02, 2020 at 10:00 AM

GT

“ Darrel, Cindy and family. We are so sorry to hear of your father's passing. He lived his whole showing his love of God and family. May he rest in peace.

*Debbie, Gerry, Matt and Tara Tinsley*

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**Gerry Tinsley** - October 02, 2020 at 08:12 AM

BW

“ Rhonda, you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

Brenda Wettengel - October 01, 2020 at 01:10 PM

DB

“ We are so blessed to have had the opportunity to know this wonderful man and to have been involved in many activities with him. He was a Jewel. We can all aspire to be like Walter who singlehandedly changed so many lives in a positive way. Your pioneering spirit has made all of us better people in so many ways. We all love you. RIP my dearest friend. Condolences to the family.  
David Beebe

David Beebe - October 01, 2020 at 12:47 PM

CS

Thank you, David.

Connie Sterbenz - October 29, 2020 at 11:23 PM

PW

“ Walts family: Sorry for your loss. Your Dad was a great person and raised his family to be the same. The Wittenbach and D'Orvilliers families.

Pat Wittenbach - October 01, 2020 at 11:21 AM

FP

“ We went to your one hundredth birthday party, Walter. May you rest in peace with God forever xoxoxoox

Former employee, Thornton Place - October 01, 2020 at 08:45 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Walter J. Meyer.*



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September 30, 2020 at 07:28 PM



“ *Linda Arnold So sorry for your loss my friend and classmate. I am glad you had your dad for so long. Hugs and prayers for you and your family..*

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**Dean Thomas** - September 30, 2020 at 05:17 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Walter J. Meyer.*



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September 30, 2020 at 04:50 PM



“ *Dear Darrel, Linda, Judy, Jim and families: We are so sorry to hear of the passing of your dad. He was a wonderful father whose memories you have to get you through this difficult time. May he rest in peace.*

*Ted and Susan Sipe*

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**Susan Sipe** - September 30, 2020 at 12:38 PM

RS

“ Rebecca Swindell purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Walter J. Meyer.



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Rebecca Swindell - September 30, 2020 at 10:50 AM

SJ

“ Jim & Family,  
Please accept our deepest condolences in your loss. Will keep you all in our thoughts & prayers.  
The Stum's,  
Wilbur, Jr. & Sis  
Mick, Tami & Haylie Jo



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Sis & Wilbur Stum, Jr. - September 30, 2020 at 09:36 AM

KM

“ Uncle Walt was always smiling. He fit in well with all ages of us and made us feel so welcome. And he brought Connie into our extended family too! What a nice cousin. Now he has wings :)  
Thanks, Uncle Walt, for being a foundation and positive role model in my life.  
Kathy Mosher, niece

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Kathy Mosher - September 30, 2020 at 09:25 AM

DD

“ Walt was a great man and wonderful dad. I was always amazed with the fun loving stories Darrel and Cindy would share about Walt. A true family man! May he Rest In Peace and May all the good memories bring peace to the family now. 🙏. Deb D'Orvilliers

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Deb D'Orvilliers - September 30, 2020 at 09:18 AM

DH

“ Walter brought much joy and fun to our family when he married my sister, Alvina. He'd teach our kids new card games . We all loved Walt! May he rest in peace. Dan and Diana Hellen

Dan and Diana Hellen - September 30, 2020 at 12:44 AM

JJ

“ A great man who raised a great family!  
Jack Jensen

jack jensen - September 29, 2020 at 11:22 PM

SB

“ Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord. May your perpetual line shine upon him. My sincerest condolences Betty and family. I hope you find peace and comfort during this painful time.  
RIP Mr. Meyer. Sharon Proctor Bolling



Sharon Proctor Bolling - September 29, 2020 at 10:56 PM

JK

“ I will always hold on to the memory of our phone call two weeks ago and how he ended it by saying, “be a good girl.” RIP Grandpa, your loving grand daughter Janet ❤️

Janet Kenney - September 29, 2020 at 10:34 PM