



Joseph A. Jerger Jr.

January 26, 1936 - January 5, 2022

Dateline Ireland, Indiana

Joseph A. Jerger Jr., age 85, of Ireland, Indiana, passed away at 2:16 p.m. on Wednesday, January 5, 2022, in Memorial Hospital and Health Care Center in Jasper, Indiana.

Joe was born in Ireland, Indiana, on January 26, 1936, to Joseph Sr. and Helena (Dupps) Jerger. He married Mary Ann Wolf on July 18, 1970, in St. Mary Catholic Church in Ireland, Indiana.

Joe was a 1954 graduate of Jasper High School.

He was a United States Army Veteran.

He was a grain and livestock farmer, previously worked at Vet and Poultry Supply, was a part time city Postal Carrier, and retired from Buffalo Trace golf course where he had worked for 16 years.

Joe was a member of St. Mary Catholic Church in Ireland, Indiana, Ireland K of C, and American Legion Post #147.

He was an avid target shooter, and enjoyed playing cards, spending time

outdoors, and spending time with family and friends.

Surviving are his wife, Mary Ann Jerger, Ireland, IN, nieces and nephews, great nieces and nephews, and great-great nieces and nephews.

Preceding him in death are six sisters, Joan Glendening, Helen Jerger, Alice Hochgesang, Mildred Beckman, Mary Ann Haas, and Ruth Knies, and three brothers, Harold, John, and Charles Jerger.

A Mass of Christian Burial for Joseph A. Jerger Jr. will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, January 10, 2022, in St. Mary Catholic Church in Ireland, Indiana, with burial to follow in St. Paul's Cemetery in Haysville, Indiana. The American Legion Post #147 will conduct military grave side rites.

A visitation will be held from 12:00 p.m. (noon) – 5:00 p.m. on Sunday, January 9, 2022, at the Becher-Kluesner North Chapel in Jasper, Indiana, and one hour before services at the church from 9:00-10:00 a.m. on Monday.

Masks and social distancing are encouraged for the visitation and the Mass.

In lieu of flowers and gifts, memorial contributions may be made to St. Mary Catholic Church, St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Haysville or to the wishes of the family.

Online condolences may be made at www.becherkluesner.com.

Cemetery Details

St. Paul Cemetery Haysville, IN

Haysville

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 9. 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Becher & Kluesner Funeral Home - North
3221 N. Newton Street
Jasper, IN 47546
(812) 482-4141
email@becherkluesner.com

Visitation

JAN 10. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary's Catholic Church
2829 N 500 W
Ireland, IN

Mass of Christian Burial

JAN 10. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary's Catholic Church
2829 N 500 W
Ireland, IN

Tribute Wall



“ *Joseph A. Jerger Jr.*

January 01, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ *I agree he was a very good man and our neighbor. Our sincere sympathy to his family and all the many people who love him.*



Mike and Donna Linette - January 08, 2022 at 12:38 PM



“ *My Deepest Sympathy and Prayers to Family/Friends!* 🙏

James Birkle - January 08, 2022 at 08:31 AM



“ *Dr. Gary lit a candle in memory of Joseph A. Jerger Jr.*



Dr. Gary - January 07, 2022 at 07:54 PM

SD

“ *Rest in peace, Uncle Joe. You will be sorely missed. Thank you for always making us smile!*

Sharon Dempsey



Sharon Dempsey - January 07, 2022 at 07:28 PM

GR

“ *One of the sweetest men ever!! My sympathy and prayers to all. Gail Reutman and family*

GAIL REUTMAN - January 07, 2022 at 12:42 PM

DP

My sympathy to Mary Ann and all the Jerger family.

Debbie Pickett - January 08, 2022 at 01:57 PM

MH

Our deepest sympathy go out to you. Joe was a great guy and never had a bad word about anyone. He got me started with the 1st high powered rifle. I still have it

mike hochgesang - January 10, 2022 at 03:44 PM