



## Linus R. Wigand

September 18, 1930 - April 6, 2018

Dateline Jasper, Indiana

Linus R. Wigand age 87 of Jasper Indiana, passed away at 11:05 a.m. on Friday, April 6, 2018 at Brookside Village in Jasper, IN.

Linus was born in Jasper, Indiana on September 18, 1930, to John and Alice (Schlachter) Wigand. He married Rosemary Heeke on April 25, 1953 at Holy Family Catholic Church in Jasper.

Linus worked at Hoffman Bros., Sternberg Garage, and retired as a bartender from the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #673 in Jasper after 37 years of service.

He was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church, the Holy Name Society, Jasper Outdoor Recreation, the American Legion Post 147, the Knights of Columbus since 1952, and was a life member of the VFW Post #673.

Linus enjoyed working on cars when he was younger. He was a NASCAR and St. Louis Cardinals fan. He enjoyed country music, especially the Grand Old Opry, and spending time with his friends and family.

Surviving are his wife, Rosemary Wigand, one daughter, Debbie Collignon of

Jasper, three sons, Jeff (Bette) of Moline, Illinois, Gary (Cheryl) Wigand of Jasper, and Ken (Kelly) Wigand of Jasper, nine grandchildren, two step grandchildren, one great grandchild, and four step great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by four sisters, Cletha Collins, Helen Dooley, Agnes Lewis and Mary Jane Thalmueller; and one brother, Leon Wigand.

A Mass of Christian Burial for Linus R. Wigand will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, April 10, 2018 at Holy Family Catholic Church in Jasper, Indiana with burial to follow at Fairview Cemetery in Jasper. The VFW Post 673 will conduct military gravesite rites.

A visitation will be held from 3 p.m. until 7 p.m. on Monday, April 9, 2018 at the Becher-Kluesner Downtown Chapel in Jasper, IN, and from 10:00 a.m. until the 11:00 a.m. service time at the church on Tuesday. The Holy Family Parish will pray the rosary at 2:45 p.m. Monday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to Holy Family Catholic Church or the American Cancer Society.

Online condolences can be made at [www.becherkluesner.com](http://www.becherkluesner.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Fairview Cemetery

1020 Kundek Street  
Jasper, IN 47546

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 9. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Becher & Kluesner Funeral Home - Downtown  
214 East 7th Street  
Jasper, IN 47546  
(812) 482-4141  
email@becherkluesner.com

## Visitation

APR 10. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Holy Family Catholic Church  
950 Church Ave  
Jasper, IN

## Mass of Christian Burial

APR 10. 11:00 AM (ET)

Holy Family Catholic Church  
950 Church Ave  
Jasper, IN



# Tribute Wall



“ *Linus R. Wigand*

January 01, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ *I would have loved to have met Linus. My family sends condolences to the Wigand family. We are friends of Jeff and Kenny. You are in our prayers and thoughts. Remember all the great times and moments.*

*Tom, Mary Fran and the kids*

Tom Jarema - April 11, 2018 at 09:37 AM



“ *Sorry for your loss. May God surround you with his love*

Ed and Betty Allen - April 10, 2018 at 07:31 PM



“ *My sympathy to your family Debbie, Prayers and thoughts for you.*

Sandra Collignon - April 09, 2018 at 10:14 AM



“ *My deepest sympathy to the entire Wigand family.*



Chris Hinkle - April 07, 2018 at 07:04 AM

JS

“ Praying for your family. May God’s peace surround all of you.

Joyce Stenftenagel - April 06, 2018 at 10:59 PM

TH

“ Teresa +Jeff Henke lit a candle in memory of  
Linus R. Wigand



Teresa +Jeff Henke - April 06, 2018 at 10:49 PM

LD

“ Lana Dougherty lit a candle in memory of  
Linus R. Wigand



Lana Dougherty - April 06, 2018 at 08:08 PM

MW

“ Linny was a fantastic guy--loved him at the VFW and K-Mart!  
Condolences to his family--I won't ever forget him!

Michael K Woolsey - April 06, 2018 at 05:16 PM

DF

“ Dennis Fleck lit a candle in memory of Linus  
R. Wigand



Dennis Fleck - April 06, 2018 at 04:36 PM