

James "Jim" Joseph Voglewede, 79, of Decatur, IN, passed away on Saturday, June 8, 2013 at Adams Memorial Hospital. He was born on November 18, 1933 in Decatur, IN to the late Raymond and Mary (Meyer) Voglewede. On May 3, 1958 he married Rowena Ellen Merriman.



Jim was a member of St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church in Decatur. He also was a member of Knights of Columbus Msgr. J.J. Semeitz Council 864 and American Legion Post 43. He coached Decatur Little League, Pony League, and St. Joseph Catholic School Basketball for many years.

He was a lifelong St. Louis Cardinals Fan. He retired from Central Soya after 41 years of service. He served his country in the US Air Force during the Korean War.

He is survived by his wife of 55 years Rowena E. Voglewede of Decatur; 4 sons Jim (Sandy) Voglewede of Decatur, Steve (Loan) Voglewede of Orlando, FL, Mike Voglewede and Greg (Teresa) Voglewede both of Decatur; 4 daughters Nancy (Tony) Staub of Decatur, Becky (Romi) Bose of Naperville, IL, Patty (Mike) Ainsworth and Amy (Travis) Moser both of Decatur; 2 brothers Don Voglewede of Ft. Wayne and Jerry Voglewede of Decatur; 1 sister Rosalie Gase of Decatur; 25 grandchildren Tabitha, Mikayla, James, Leah, Benjamin, Justin, Ashley, Jason, Aaron, Brandon, Miranda, Cameron Voglewede, Tyler, Damon, Peyton, Caden Staub, Maya, Adam, Tristan Bose, Sam, Emma, Joe Ainsworth, Devin, Nick, and Lucas Moser; 1 great grandson Chandler Voglewede.

He was preceded in death by a brother John Voglewede and 2 sisters Mary Ann Nartker and Joan Heimann.

Visitation will be from 2:00 – 8:00 p.m. on Monday, June 10, 2013 at Haggard-Sefton & Hirschy Funeral Home with a reciting of the Holy Rosary at 1:30 p.m.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, June 11, 2013 at St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church with visitation 1 hour prior to the service at St. Mary's Parish Hall. Father David Voors will be presiding and burial will take place in St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery with Military Graveside Rites by American Legion Post 43 Color Guard.

Memorials may be made to St. Joseph Catholic School or to St. Mary's Building On Our Heritage.

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