



John R. Esposito

November 4, 1948 - February 12, 2022

We are saddened to announce the passing of John R. Esposito, Vietnam Veteran, life long resident of Summit, Illinois. A member of the Summit Fire Department for 47 years and currently a Captain for Summit F.D. For 27 years John was an officer for the Summit Police Department and the Cook County Sheriff. He was the beloved Husband of Wendy, nee Register. Loving Father of Catherine and Stepfather of Tammy and Toni. Devoted Grandfather of 7 and great Grandfather of 7. John will be missed by his many cousins, friends, neighbors and fellow officers. A model of honesty and integrity, he will be remembered for his concern for others and his unselfish desire for keeping all the residents of Summit and the surrounding areas safe. Visitation is Thursday, February 17, 2022 from 4 PM to 8 PM at Foran Funeral Home, 7300 West Archer Ave.(55th street just west of Harlem). Visitation on Friday at the funeral home from 8:30 AM until 9:30 AM. We will go in procession from the funeral home to St. Joseph Church for a 10 AM Mass of Christian Burial. Interment Resurrection Cemetery.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 17. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Foran Funeral Home - Summit
7300 West Archer Ave
Summit, IL 60501
(708) 458-0208
contactus@foranfuneralhome.com
<https://www.foranfuneralhome.com/>

Visitation

FEB 18. 8:30 AM - 9:30 AM (CT)

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Mass

FEB 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Church
7240 W. 57th Street
Summit, IL 60501

Tribute Wall



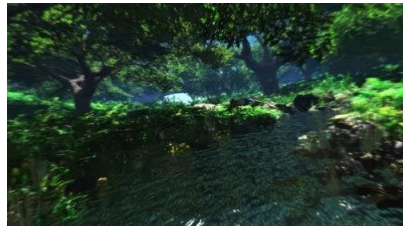
“ *Foran Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of John R. Esposito*



Foran Funeral Home - February 17, 2022 at 06:56 PM



“ *Foran Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of John R. Esposito*



Foran Funeral Home - February 17, 2022 at 12:21 PM

KK

What a Beautiful Tribute to a great man. 🙏🙏

Kay Kowaluk - February 20, 2022 at 08:47 PM

ES

“ To all of John's family and his dearest Wendy,

Our deepest condolences from all at the Peace Officers Memorial Foundation of Cook County. We are deeply saddened by the news of John's passing. He was a true friend of law enforcement. Wendy and John were always among the very first to arrive at our annual police memorial ceremony. His support and friendship will be greatly missed.

There are many fond memories to help us during this difficult time.

*Sincerely,
Ed Sajdak
President
POMFCC*

ed sajdkak - February 17, 2022 at 05:21 PM

CE

Thank you so very much my dad was so honored by many an loved all

Catherine(Katie) Esposito - February 20, 2022 at 10:25 PM

CW

“ *Our deepest sympathy to to Wendy and Katie and the Esposito family. A lot of memories were made on 55th Place growing up with John as kids and transforming into adults. Many baseball, football, and hockey games played together along with the other neighborhood rascals. May John RIP!*

Chuck (Wanda) Wasko

Chuck Wasko - February 17, 2022 at 12:40 PM

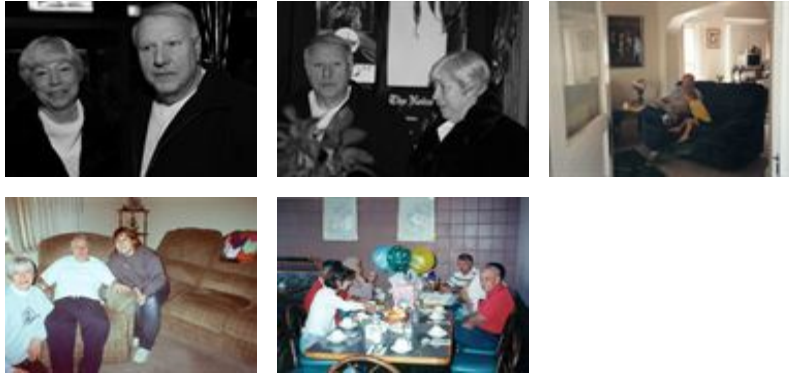
CE

Thanks Chuckie much appreciated.

Catherine(Katie) Esposito - February 20, 2022 at 10:26 PM



“ 145 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Foran Funeral Home - February 17, 2022 at 12:13 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of **John R. Esposito**.



February 16, 2022 at 03:34 PM

SD

“ *Summit Fire Department* purchased the *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* for the family of **John R. Esposito**.



Summit Fire Department - February 16, 2022 at 01:17 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of John R. Esposito.*



February 16, 2022 at 09:48 AM



“ *Love, Bobby, Angela, Sydney & Savannah purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of John R. Esposito.*



Love, Bobby, Angela, Sydney & Savannah - February 15, 2022 at 05:41 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of John R. Esposito.*



February 13, 2022 at 11:20 PM



“ *I grew up with John and remember his mom and dad as well . He live a few doors down from our family. May those who loved him find comfort and peace . John may you enjoy the kingdom prepared for you. Bob Lewandowski*

bob lewandowski - February 13, 2022 at 07:29 PM

CE

Thank you so wry much for this comment I much appreciate as his daughter. He loved all his family an friends. Thank you for the memory

Catherine(Katie) Esposito - February 14, 2022 at 11:25 AM

DM

Our deepest sympathy to Wendy and Katie.I also grew up with Johnny Played cowboys and baseball. fond memories. prayers for all.Donna (Cookie Heinz) and Allen Martin.

Donna Martin - February 14, 2022 at 11:33 AM

CE

Thank you Donna Martin . Much appreciated.

Catherine(Katie) Esposito - February 14, 2022 at 06:51 PM

PT

My deepest sympathy Katie and Wendy, your Dad was an important figure within our community. He always complimented when I sent bakery items over to the FD. God Bless to the family.

Pat Tichacek - February 16, 2022 at 09:43 AM

JS

*We are so very saddened to hear about John's passing..such a good, fun loving man..always happy to see you, give a hug and share gambling stories! He will be greatly missed.
Our deepest sympathy, dear Wendy & Katie.
John & Patty Schoonveld & Kelly (Scheman)*

John & Patty Schoonveld - February 16, 2022 at 11:14 AM

DO

I was shocked and saddened by the news of John's passing. I didn't know John's family very well but I grew up across the alley from the Esposito's and played with him, Don Johnstone and Bob and Chuck Wasko through our teen years. He had a great sense of humor and will be missed.

Our sympathies to his family and we're so sorry we can't make the services.

Don & Bev Wesolowski

Don - February 16, 2022 at 07:07 PM

KK

Sending my sincere condolences and prayers for comfort to Wendy & Katie. Saddened to hear of this. God Bless John and Heaven sure has gained an amazing soul. May he rest in eternal peace. John always made me laugh when I was around him at my Dad's and Jan's. Thankful to have shared those memories 🙏🙏🙏😊 Much Love

Kay Kowaluk - February 20, 2022 at 08:46 PM

CE

Thank you to Pat Tichacek, Schoonvelts, Don, Kay Kowaluk . I appreciate it. My dad was one of a kind with family an friends an his life Joy's of Firehouse an Summit Police Dept. Thanks

catherine [katie] esposito - March 23, 2022 at 01:33 AM