



## Dr. John V. Gray DDS

August 8, 1931 - May 10, 2022

Dr. John Gray, 90, of Clarksville, MO, died peacefully in his home on Tuesday, May 10th, 2022.

Funeral Mass will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Saturday, May 28, 2022 at the St. Joseph Catholic Church in Louisiana, MO.

John was born on August 8, 1931, in St. Louis, MO to James and Anna Gray. He attended St. Louis University and graduated from the dental school in 1956. He married Margaret "Marge" Veth in January of 1956. John initially performed dentistry in the Air Force and privately, but then completed a preceptor program for orthodontics which was his primary focus for the majority of his 40 years in practice.

He is survived by his wife Marge; sons and daughters in-law, Joseph (Jo Ann), Michael (Sandy), Penny, and Ellen; grandchildren, Marella, Taylor (Matt) Leigh, Andrew (Meg), David, Laura, and Nicholas; great granddaughter, Vivian; sisters, Marion Pfeiffer, Joyce Philipp, and Betty Tipton; plus numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, James and Anna; brothers, James, Edward, Robert, and Jerry; and children, Teresa, Stephen, Mark, and David.

John was a lifelong learner, tinkerer, and collector of “things”, but will always be remembered for his curious spirit and a good Readers Digest quip!

In lieu of flowers, Mass cards and donations to Meals on Wheels (Pike Pioneers Senior Center in Louisiana, MO), Village of the Blue Rose (Clarksville, MO), Louisiana Community Food Pantry, or a charity of your choice are appreciated.

There will be a luncheon following the service Saturday at the Seton Hall and all attendees are invited.

Collier Funeral Home in Louisiana, MO in charge of arrangements

# Previous Events

## Funeral Mass

MAY 28. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church  
508 N. 3rd St.  
Louisiana, MO

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dr. John V. Gray DDS*

November 08, 2022 at 10:35 AM



“ *Dr. John V. Gray DDS*

November 08, 2022 at 08:46 AM



“ *The Miles Bruner Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Dr. John V. Gray DDS.*



**The Miles Bruner Family** - May 27, 2022 at 11:54 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dr. John V. Gray DDS.*



May 26, 2022 at 03:21 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Dr. John V. Gray DDS.*



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May 25, 2022 at 05:14 PM



“ *I was an assistant for Dr Gray and Dr Rister at Dr ERV Harder DDS office for 30 years in Hannibal. They both were wonderful to work with. He and Marge gave us wonderful memories. Especially when I went to Cursillo and they surprised me.*

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**judy Munger Day** - May 23, 2022 at 08:32 PM



“ *I worked for Dr. Gray in his Hannibal office for 21 years until his retirement. He was an exceptional boss, the best I ever worked for. Prayers for his wife Marge & family. Norma Haught*

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**Norma Haught** - May 19, 2022 at 11:17 AM