



John Jordan

August 1, 1939 - February 9, 2023

John Arthur Jordan, 83, of Cedar Falls, passed away Thursday, February 9, 2023, at Western Home Communities-Nation Cottage due to complications of dementia.

He was born August 1, 1939, in Garner, Iowa, the son of William “Bill” Jordan and Sybilla “Billie” Frein. He graduated from Cedar Falls High School and attended the University of Iowa for two years before he and his brother went into the family business, Jordan’s Nursery. In 1961, he married his high school sweetheart, Sally Blott. They shared 61 years together.

John loved hunting, fishing (especially with sons and grandsons), woodworking, glass making, but most of all his family. He belonged to many organizations over the years: Iowa Association of Nurserymen, Knights of Columbus, Applaud Board, St. Patrick’s Parish Council, and Habitat For Humanity to mention a few. He was always willing to help others out with his “ole work truck” and trailer, especially the St. Pat’s garage sale folks. He had a heart of gold and will be missed by many.

Left to cherish John’s memory are his wife, Sally; three children: Jonna (David) Schrupp, Mike (Carol Strein), and David (Julie Van Ryswyk); seven grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, a twin (Jerry) who died at birth, and brothers, Patrick and Dan.

Funeral services will be 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, February 14, 2023, at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Cedar Falls. Rosary at 3:30 p.m. Monday at Richardson Funeral Service with visitation to follow until 7:00 p.m. Inurnment at Greenwood Cemetery in Cedar Falls at a later date.

Memorials may be made to Dementia Simulation House, UNI Foundations (121 Commons, Cedar Falls, IA), or Cedar Valley Hospice.

Previous Events

Rosary

FEB 13. 3:30 PM (CT)

Richardson Funeral Service
615 Main Street
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 266-3525
richardsonfuneralservice@gmail.com
<http://richardson.funeralplan2.com>

Visitation

FEB 13. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

FEB 14. 10:00 AM (CT)

Saint Patrick Catholic Church
705 Main St
Cedar Falls, IA 50613

Tribute Wall

RH

“ My condolences to the Jordan family. John was a good friend of mine. We bowled and played bridge together, I think for around 15 years or so. He will be missed. Our best to you Sally.

Robert Frank Howe - March 18, 2023 at 02:47 PM

RP

“ So sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers for you and your family.
Rick & Linda Phillips

Rick & Linda Phillips - February 15, 2023 at 12:03 PM

LO

“ Sally, I was saddened to hear of John's passing. Extending my deepest sympathies to you and your family. Linda Ochsner

Linda Ochsner - February 13, 2023 at 12:23 PM



“ Pretty Please was purchased for the family of John Jordan.



February 13, 2023 at 10:00 AM

KB

“ So sorry for your loss, Sally. You are in my thoughts at this sad time.
Karen Blount

Karen Blount - February 13, 2023 at 07:46 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John Jordan.*



February 12, 2023 at 06:02 PM



“ *I'll always remember our many group fishing trips to Canada and John's great sense of humor. He also was unparalleled in his abilities with a fishing jig. He was an integral part of all those trips over the years. He left a lasting memory. God rest his soul.*

Bill Vogel - February 12, 2023 at 11:19 AM



“ *So sorry to hear of John's passing, Sally. Your care and love for him has been inspirational. If you need anything, please reach out.*
Bill McKinley.

Bill McKinley - February 12, 2023 at 05:23 AM



“ *Guevara Girls purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of John Jordan.*



Guevara Girls - February 11, 2023 at 10:24 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of John Jordan.* ”



February 11, 2023 at 09:41 AM



“ *Classic Charcuterie Snacks Gift Set was purchased for the family of John Jordan.* ”



February 10, 2023 at 02:32 PM