



## John J. Strotz

April 17, 1930 - January 30, 2014

John J. Strotz, 83, of Aurora, passed away Thursday, January 30, 2014 at his home surrounded by his loving family. He was born April 17, 1930 in Aurora, IL.

He was lifelong member of St. Joseph Church and the Knights of Columbus. He was a U.S. Army Veteran of the Korean Conflict. He retired from AT&T and was the proud owner of Strotz Sheet Metal. He was a member of both the Phoenix and Turner clubs. John's greatest joy in life was his family, he loved taking family vacations and supporting his grandchildren in their many extracurricular activities,

He is survived by his loving wife, Jean (Lockwood) Strotz; his five daughters, Karen (David) Watgen, Kathryn (Michael) Coakley, Kimberly (Darryl) Brown, Mary Kay (Brian) Brooks, Kelly (Scott) Henry; twelve grandchildren, Jacqueline (Eric) Born, Andrew (Penny) Watgen, Julie Watgen, Lindsey and Allison Coakley, Emily Brown, Megan (Shane) Leadbetter, Courtney and Shannon Brooks, Lauren, Brooke and Haley Henry; six great grandchildren, Seth, Jace, Linc and Mia Watgen, Hunter and Gavin Born; his sister Joan (Charles) Colligan; many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Joseph and Albina (Schmitt) Strotz.

John's family would like to thank his caregiver, Cindi Powell for the wonderful care and loving support she gave to John and his family.

Funeral services will be held Monday February 3, 2014 at 9:30 AM from THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY, to St. Joseph Church at 10:00 AM; Fr. Jerome Leake will officiate with interment in Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

Visitation will be held Sunday, February 2, 2014 from 2:00 PM until 5:00 PM at THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY, 220 North Lake Street, Aurora. 630-631-5500. Please visit our new interactive website at [www.daleidenmortuary.com](http://www.daleidenmortuary.com) to leave condolences for John's family or sign the guest book.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made in John's name to The Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research, Church Street Station, P.O. Box 780 New York, NY. 10008-0780.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Olivet Cemetery

278 Ashland Avenue  
Aurora, IL 60505

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 2. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Daleiden Mortuary  
220 N. Lake Street  
Aurora, IL 60506  
(630) 631-5500  
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## Funeral Mass

FEB 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Cemetery  
Corner of Rt. 25 and Indian Trail Road.  
Aurora, IL

# Tribute Wall



“ Daleiden Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of John J. Strotz



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**Daleiden Mortuary** - January 30, 2014 at 12:00 AM