



John L. Skube Jr.

June 27, 1944 - May 7, 2021

John Louis Skube Jr., born June 27, 1944, passed peacefully at 10:15 a.m. on May 7, 2021. John was a native Puebloan where he graduated from Centennial High School in 1964. There he met his wife Virginia, also a native Puebloan. John attended Southern Colorado State College (CSU-Pueblo) and graduated in 1966. He obtained a Bachelor of Science in Medical Technology. He went on to become a Medical Technologist in 1967 at The Colorado State Hospital. John is survived by his loving wife, Virginia, of 56 years of marriage. He is also survived by his daughter, Kimberly (Skube) Silvati and twin grandchildren, Alexander David Silvati of Cincinnati, Ohio and Lisa (Silvati) Coons of Manhattan, Kan. John is also survived by his son, Kevin (Robin) Skube and grandchildren, Marcia and Gwendolyn Skube; sister and brother-in-law, Joe and Arlene Swords of Tupelo, Miss. John was a dedicated employee of the Colorado State Hospital for 35 years. He became in charge of the laboratory program on March 25, 1995 after 29 years of service. He worked with many patients and mentored many people. He retired in 2003 as Laboratory Director. John was an avid fisherman, hunter, and liked to camp with his friends. He worked on stained glass and created beautiful works of art. He liked to do DIY projects around the house and was on a bowling team for many years. Later in life, he enjoyed golfing. He also enjoyed photography and bicycling with his wife Virginia. John was very compassionate with his patients and worked many long hours in his career. He was a very dedicated husband, father and friend to all. He will be greatly missed. Visitation, 10 a.m.

to noon Tuesday, May 18, 2021, at Roselawn Funeral Home Chapel, with funeral Mass to follow at 2 p.m. at St. Pius X Catholic Church. Interment at Roselawn Cemetery. Donations may be sent to Alzheimer's Association of Pueblo. Online condolences may be made at www.roselawnpueblo.org.

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Cemetery

1706 Roselawn Rd
Pueblo, CO 81006

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 18. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (MT)

Roselawn Funeral Home Chapel
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Tribute Wall

DS

“ John was the best father in-law a guy could have. I loved him and will miss him. My condolences to Virginia (mom), Kim and Kevin. He was kind and loving, uplifting and gentle. Truly a wonderful man.

Dave Silvati - May 22, 2021 at 07:04 AM

JM

“ Virginia,

I was sorry to hear of John's passing. He was a gentleman and a good person.

Thinking of you and wishing you the best.

Jamie

James McKinney - May 18, 2021 at 05:39 PM

KS

“ I write this with a sad heart. The passing of my uncle is sad but I have good memories stored away.
I remember one, during a vacation that me and Uncle went fishing in the mountains with some of his friends. The fish that they caught were later prepared on an open fire grill. That is fine eatin. My first experience of trout fish on a grill.
Uncle Johnny as we called him was always trying to make sure everyone was having a good time during our visits. I can still hear his voice say "Hey Nephew" when I would address him as hello Uncle. We will meet again in heaven. Jesus has another good one that has been called home.
I am truly sorry Aunt Ginny and Kim and Kevin and all families. Although I cannot attend the funeral I will keep ya'll in my prayers.

See you later Uncle.'

Kenneth Swords.

KENNETH SWORDS - May 17, 2021 at 11:19 PM

MA

“ I was so sorry to read of John's passing. I have fond memories of living across Court Street from the Skube family. My sympathy to Virginia, Kim and Kevin and their families.

Mona Askwig - May 17, 2021 at 01:12 PM

BO

“ John and his family drove many hours in to participate in our wedding and milestone anniversaries. They are so special to us, and we grieve deeply with Virginia, her children and their families. May God bless them during these difficult days.

*Bruce & Betsy Odle
Brother-in-law and Sister-in-law of John*

Bruce & Betsy Odle - May 17, 2021 at 12:47 AM



“ Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of John L. Skube Jr..



May 17, 2021 at 12:40 AM

DG

“ I am so sorry to hear of John's death. Our sympathy is extended to Virginia and their children and grand children.
Dixie (Cox) and Greg Green

Dixie (Cox) Green - May 15, 2021 at 01:12 PM