



John Coon

October 9, 1961 - December 28, 2022

John E Coon , 61, passed away Wednesday, December 28, 2022 unexpectedly at Creighton Bergan Mercy Medical in Omaha Nebraska.

Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, January 4, 2023 at St. Lawrence Church- St. John Paul II Parish in Carroll. Burial will be at 2p.m. at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Early.

A visitation will be held from 5-7 p.m. on Tuesday at the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll. Additional visitation will be held from 9:30 – 10:15 a.m. Wednesday morning at St. Lawrence Church.

Funeral arrangements are under the guidance of the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll, and online condolences may be left for John's family at www.sharpfuneral.com.

John, was the beloved son of John and Janice Coon, born on October 9, 1961 at Buena Vista County Hospital in Storm Lake, Iowa. He was the oldest of 9 brothers and sisters. John was Baptized, received his First Communion and Confirmation at Sacred Heart in Early. He graduated from Storm Lake St. Mary's High School in Storm Lake and received his Bachelor of Science degree at Iowa State University in December of 1984. From there he held jobs in St Louis, Chicago, and Milwaukee. He was employed at St. Anthony's

Regional Medical Center in the food service department and at HyVee in Carroll.

John will be remembered most for his everlasting love of sports and how he avidly followed the Iowa State Cyclones and Kuemper Knights. Whenever his nieces and nephews were playing a sport he was their number one fan. If John was not sitting in the stands cheering them on, he was following them on social media. There was not a stranger he ever met and a name he never forgot. A conversation never left unspoken. If you were lucky enough to be a friend of John's, you were a friend for life.

Loyal Son Forever true! A slogan that epitomizes John. As a family we may not have always seen things the same, but when it was us against them John was always loyal to our family. We all know John's loyalty to the Cyclones as well as many other sports groups and know John's first conversations were spent visiting with his Dad and Chelsey, but the real question we would like to know is, who was the first sports person he was able to meet. Was it Vince Lombardi, Johnny Orr or some other sports idol? The last several months haven't been easy but now John is completely pain free. May he rest in peace.

John was preceded in death by his father John L. and his niece Chelsey Henkenius; Grandpa Erwin and Grandma Marie Tentinger; Grandpa Leonard and Grandma Genieve Coon.

Those left to celebrate his life include his mother Janice of Carroll; his siblings Jeff (Shelly) of Clive, Janell (Todd) Mulder of Woodward, Joe (Jane) of Clive, Jerret (Sara) of Victoria MN, Jodi (Jim) Henkenius of Lake City, Jamie (Shelly) of Avoca, Jennifer (Chris) Jorgensen of Fort Dodge, and Justin (Jessica) of Fort Dodge; 20 nieces and nephews; 5 great nephews; and many aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends who will miss him dearly.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 3. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Mass of the Christian Burial

JAN 4. 10:30 AM.

St. Lawrence Church- St. John Paul II Parish

Tribute Wall

LF

“ You have my deepest sympathy at this time of great sorrow. I am thinking of you and your family and wish you warmth, support and comfort.

Liz Friedfeld - January 04, 2023 at 12:56 PM

LC

“ Lesley Claveria lit a candle in memory of John Coon



Lesley Claveria - January 04, 2023 at 06:54 AM

ST

“ So very sorry for your loss. I met John at St. Anthony's, and he always had something nice to say. He especially loved to talk about those Cyclones! John will be missed tremendously around here. It was always fun to talk to him!

Shelly Tapps - January 03, 2023 at 02:59 PM

LB

“ So sorry for your loss. My prayers are with the family.

Liz Bangs - January 03, 2023 at 12:55 PM



“ Extremely sorry for your loss. Prayers to your family and friends.

Nick Sbarra - January 03, 2023 at 10:50 AM

JU

“ *Sending condolences to John's whole family. He was a wonderful part of the St. Anthony Family while he worked in our cafeteria. Always had a smile and a good word, even when he didn't feel well. We will miss you dear man. Rest in peace.* ”

Jean M Uhlenkamp - January 03, 2023 at 10:45 AM

BM

“ *He was always so kind to my sister and me when we ate at the hospital. He always took time to visit with us.* ”

Becki Miller - January 03, 2023 at 09:59 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Coon.* ”



January 03, 2023 at 08:58 AM

BF

“ *Bobbi & Jay Smith Family purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of John Coon.* ”



Bobbi & Jay Smith Family - January 03, 2023 at 08:52 AM

KJ

“ *Kristi Jorgensen lit a candle in memory of John Coon*



Kristi Jorgensen - January 02, 2023 at 09:55 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of John Coon.*



January 02, 2023 at 09:43 AM



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



January 01, 2023 at 06:52 PM



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



December 31, 2022 at 10:56 AM

KM

“ *Jan and family,
So sorry for the loss of your son, brother, uncle. May the many memories you made together help to ease your pain and help you through this difficult time. May he now rest in peace. Prayers for all.*

Kevin & Julie McKinney

Kevin & Julie McKinney - December 30, 2022 at 08:45 PM

KA

Coon Family, I am sadden to see your family lose such a beautiful soul. I hope the great memories will carry you all through this hard time.

I have never meet John's mother but he sure did talk a lot about her. Gonna miss you buddy. Always took care of me in the cafeteria ❤️ Always had a smile that could light up the room! Rest now John. I will see you again and have my B&G ready.

❤️ *Your friend,
Kris Adcock*

Kris Adcock - December 30, 2022 at 11:59 PM

TR

“ *My deepest sympathy to John's family! I worked with John at St Anthony's and knew him before then. He was always so friendly to everyone. We had many discussions about the Cyclones! He will be missed! ❤️*

Terry Romey - December 30, 2022 at 03:02 PM

DM

“ *In Memory of John
Russ & Diane Dirkx Meyer*



Diane Meyer - December 30, 2022 at 02:43 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Coon.*



December 30, 2022 at 10:33 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Coon.*



December 30, 2022 at 10:06 AM



“ *My sympathy to John's family. John was a great guy and I enjoyed talking with him when I worked at Hy-Vee and even after I left, we still took the time to catch up when I was at the store. May your memories help you through this difficult time.*



Carrie Irlbeck - December 30, 2022 at 09:40 AM



“ *Prayers for the whole family.
Wat a guy!
Fly high John!*



Mary Moten - December 30, 2022 at 08:10 AM

JG

“ Jenny Gottsch lit a candle in memory of John Coon



Jenny Gottsch - December 30, 2022 at 03:59 AM

JG

So sorry Janis and family of the loss of your son John thinking of you all. From your old neighbour ,Jenny from across the pond in .UK

Jenny Gottsch - December 30, 2022 at 04:04 AM

JG

Sorry Janis and family other loss of your son John thinking of you all from your old Nieghbour Jenny from across the pond in.UK

Jenny Gottsch - December 30, 2022 at 04:09 AM

KJ

“ Kristi Jorgensen lit a candle in memory of John Coon



Kristi Jorgensen - December 29, 2022 at 11:55 PM

FO

“ Jan, I am so very sorry for the loss of your son. My prayers are with you. Florence

Florence Oswald - December 29, 2022 at 08:35 PM

KS

“ *John was a true gentleman. He was always very kind to me, and that is how he treated everyone he met. Always doing something nice for someone else. He will be missed. My thoughts and prayers go out to his mother and family.*

Kevin Skinner

Kevin Skinner - December 29, 2022 at 02:01 PM