



## Joseph "Joe" Edward Osborne

March 16, 1949 - March 4, 2025

Joseph "Joe" Edward Osborne, age 75 of Jackson, Ohio passed away on Tuesday, March 4, 2025 at Holzer in Jackson. He was born on March 16, 1949 in Jackson to the late Joseph and Gladys Osborne.

Joe had a love for many things: Harry Potter, chess, golf, tennis, and jogging in his younger days. He was known for his skill with a rubix cube, which he and his brother were constantly challenging each other to see who could solve it first. You could have found Joe reading Dean Koontz and especially Stephen King quite often. He was a proud veteran of the United States Air Force.

He is survived by his siblings, Patricia Shumate, Mary Hall, Cecilia Baker, Robert "Bob" Osborne, and Kathleen "Kathy" Cruse; his nieces and nephews; Don Channel, Barbie, Bobby, Brian, Alan, Meredith, Seth, Cullen Rowley, Tiffany, Melissa, and Joanna.

Besides his parents, Joe is preceded in death by his brothers, Gerald "Jerry" and David Osborne.

A funeral service will be held on Tuesday, March 11, 2025 at 11am at the Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Jackson with Father Hergie officiating. The family will receive friends from 5-7pm on Monday, March 10, 2025 at the Mayhew-

Brown Funeral Home with a Rosary Service at 7pm. Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.mayhew-brownfuneralhome.com](http://www.mayhew-brownfuneralhome.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 10. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home  
135 Broadway Street  
Jackson, OH 45640  
(740) 286-4161

## Rosary Service

MAR 10. 7:00 PM (ET)

Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home  
135 Broadway Street  
Jackson, OH 45640  
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## Funeral Service

MAR 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

Holy Trinity Catholic Church  
334 Court St.  
Jackson, OH 45640

# Tribute Wall



“ *Just a Great Man! met Joe at work and we hit it off right away. Department Lead at that time and he pulled me off the line and made me his assistant lead. He was such a smart and low key guy. He shared many of his military and vietnam experience stories with me. Oh and Joe, don't let him fool ya, he could bench press a mack truck.....God Bless you all*

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**Todd Farrar** - May 16, 2025 at 04:16 PM

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“ *Our deepest condolences. You're in our prayers. Joe and I shared one very important thing, a nephew with the name of Don (Donny) Channell. One very vivid memory I have of Joe, one night we were driving back to Jackson from somewhere, Joe and I started talking about the Bible and the longer we talked the conversation got more intense. Joe was an outstanding person. He will be missed by all.*

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**Roger** - March 10, 2025 at 03:18 PM

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“ *1 file added to the album Tribute Wall Album*



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**Pat Shumate** - March 09, 2025 at 11:11 PM

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*This is a picture of Joe and our Mom that I wanted to share. Pat*

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**Pat Shumate** - March 09, 2025 at 11:15 PM

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“ *Don & Suzi Nichols lit a candle in memory of Joseph "Joe" Edward Osborne*



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**Don & Suzi Nichols** - March 09, 2025 at 11:08 PM

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“ *Joe was such a pleasant man to know. I got to know Joe at work, and became better friends over the chessboard. I am saddened to hear of his passing. Prayers to his family.*

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**Larry Patrick** - March 09, 2025 at 09:54 PM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,  
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,  
  
May your memories of Joseph Edward Osborne, give you peace, comfort and strength...  
  
Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten...  
My thoughts  
and prayers to the family of ....*

*US Air Force Veteran, Joseph Edward Osborne, is "A True American Hero" God Bless†*

*† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †*

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**Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum** - March 08, 2025 at 12:10 PM



“ *America the Beautiful* was purchased for the family of Joseph "Joe" Edward Osborne.



March 08, 2025 at 08:58 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Joseph "Joe" Edward Osborne.

March 08, 2025 at 08:58 AM



“ *Condolences to Joe's family. I got to know Joe quite well across the chessboard. A good man.*

**Walter B Bagnall** - March 08, 2025 at 08:48 AM



*I took Communion to Joe at 4 Winds for some months. I was amazed at his ability with the rubic cube. Nice guy, fun to visit with. God bless*

**Sue wells** - March 08, 2025 at 05:46 PM