



## Robert Joseph Wassmer

March 16, 1932 - April 2, 2025

ROBERT J. WASSMER  
POSEYVILLE, INDIANA

Robert “Bob” Joseph Wassmer, 93, of Poseyville, Indiana, born to the late Sylvester and Wilfrieda (Sauer) Wassmer on March 16, 1932, in Evansville, Indiana passed away Wednesday, April 2, 2025 at Linda E. White Hospice House in Evansville, Indiana surrounded by his family.

Bob graduated from Poseyville High School (Class of 1950) and was drafted to the United States Army shortly after graduating. He was stationed in Fort Campbell, Kentucky during the Korean War. Bob married the love of his life, J. Sue (Reynolds) Wassmer, February 6, 1954, and they enjoyed 59 wonderful years together before Sue predeceased him in 2013. He was a member of St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church. Bob enjoyed many years as a salesman and worked as Sales Manager at Cockshut Farm Equipment at the Poseyville Co-op, sold Bluebird School Buses for Nix Bus Sales, was general manager at Broerman Chevrolet in Mt. Vernon, Indiana and returned to Broerman Chevrolet in Poseyville before retiring after 45+ years in tractor and automobile sales. Aside from his extensive work career, he farmed 100+ acres and raised hogs on his own property. He was owner/partner of the EZ Coin Car Wash, Poseyville, Indiana (1963-2022). He and Sue enjoyed boating with their family, water skiing, and especially helping others learn to water ski. They also enjoyed snow skiing in Colorado with friends and their monthly

Wednesday Night Supper Club with the Poseyville Group. Bob enjoyed making his own flies and lures for his fishing adventures, in general, but his favorite was fly fishing in Bennett Springs, Missouri. He and Sue enjoyed many road trips together antiquing which led to their passion for collecting Griswold Cast Iron. His many other hobbies included gardening, splitting wood for the long winters with his good buddy, Tim Bretz, walking golf courses while his sons played, watching his grandchildren in sports and extra-curricular activities, cutting grass and working outside. He loved family gatherings at his home, "The More the Merrier", golf cart rides around "The Compound", and his favorite time of day was sitting outside feeding & watching the birds and squirrels. Bob was a great mole hunter and his record for one season was 40! He was well known for making and giving his delicious "Peanut Brittle" at Christmastime.

Surviving are his children: Steve (Cinda) Wassmer; Pamela Jo (Alan) Spahn; David (Lori) Wassmer; Kevin (Kim) Wassmer and Michael (Leeanna) Wassmer; Sister: Doretha (Tony) Spahn; 12 grandchildren along with 13 great-grandchildren with one on the way.

Preceding him in death were his parents, wife, and an infant sister: Marie D. Wassmer.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m., Wednesday, April 9, 2025 at St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church in Poseyville, Indiana with burial to follow at St. Francis Xavier Church Cemetery, Poseyville, Indiana.

Family and friends may gather for a sharing of memories service starting at 2 p.m., Tuesday, April 8, 2025 with visitation immediately following until 8 p.m., at the Werry Funeral Home in Poseyville, Indiana.

The family provided continuous, loving care for Bob so he could remain in his home and would also like to thank his volunteer caregiver, Emma Trent, and Grace Care Services for their assistance.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to: American Cancer Society, Relay for Life of North Posey Team Wassmer, PO Box 681405, Indianapolis, Indiana 46268 and/or St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church, PO

Box 100, Poseyville, Indiana 47633.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Francis Xavier Catholic Cemetery

5901 Highway 68  
Poseyville, IN 47633

# Previous Events

## Sharing of Memories Service

APR 8. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

Werry Funeral Homes, Inc. (Poseyville)  
16 E Fletchall Avenue  
Poseyville, IN 47633  
(812) 874-2418  
4werryfh@gmail.com

## Visitation

APR 8. 2:30 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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16 E Fletchall Avenue  
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## Service

APR 9. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Francis Xavier Catholic Church  
10 N St. Francis St ,  
Poseyville, IN 47633

# Tribute Wall

MF

“ *Matthew Spahn and family. purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Robert Joseph Wassmer.*



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**Matthew Spahn and family.** - April 08, 2025 at 12:17 PM

CE

“ *What a wonderful spirt and thoughtful man. The Poseyville community will be at a loss and so will every person that he touched.*

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**Clark Exmeyer** - April 07, 2025 at 04:14 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robert Joseph Wassmer.*



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April 07, 2025 at 02:00 PM

ME

“ *McDonald and Fendrich Employees purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Robert Joseph Wassmer.*



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**McDonald and Fendrich Employees** - April 07, 2025 at 11:32 AM

LS

“ Love, Cliff Huther & Ellen Jane Stanage purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Robert Joseph Wassmer.



Love, Cliff Huther & Ellen Jane Stanage - April 05, 2025 at 03:42 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Robert Joseph Wassmer.



April 05, 2025 at 03:14 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert Joseph Wassmer.



April 05, 2025 at 10:45 AM

KN

“ To the Bob Wassmer family so sorry to hear of Bobs passing I worked with him at Broerman Chevrolet he taught me a lot about selling vehicles when I started at Broerman Chevrolet. I enjoyed working with him.

Keith Nance - April 05, 2025 at 07:15 AM

VJ

“ Great friend for 80 years, classmate of class of 1950 from Robb Township (Poseyville) High School. He was one of the really good guys, was loved and be missed by many. Not many people have friend this many years, I was blessed he was in my life and I will miss him. Loved his wife like a little sister and now am sure they are dancing together. Heaven’s gain, our loss!

Vera Johnson - April 04, 2025 at 11:02 PM

CS

“ So very sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. Patrick & Carolyn Scheller



carolyn scheller - April 04, 2025 at 08:11 PM

JK

“ John & Donna Keller purchased the Pretty Pleas e for the family of Robert Joseph Wassmer.



John & Donna Keller - April 04, 2025 at 07:25 PM

SS

“ Bob was one of the many people who raised me! He taught me to water ski and along with So my Nix baited the hooks so I could try to fish. He was always smiling and one of Dad’s best buds! Forever grateful for his presence in my upbringing. Prayers and hugs to Steve, Pam, David and Mike and families ❤️

Sarah Smith - April 04, 2025 at 05:10 PM