



## John Eugene "Gene" Rauh

November 13, 1941 - May 1, 2017

John E. Rauh of Crown Point, IN, passed away on May 1, 2017 after a brief battle of cancer at the age of 75. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife of 40 years- Sonya Paulette "Pooie" Rauh and his parents- George and Clara Rauh. Gene is survived by his 4 children-Colette (Billy) Cox of Houston TX, Cynthia Rauh of Dallas, TX, David (Laura) Rauh of Carmel, IN, Gina (Euby) Kerr of Shrieveport, LA; beloved grandfather of ten -Billy, Alexa, Megan, Madisyn, Jacob, Joshua, Sophia, Sloane, EJ, Kennady; brother- Robert (Joanne) Rauh; sister-in-law-Colleen Holthouse; nephew and nieces- Brian and Lissa Holthouse, Bob (Marissa) Rauh, Janet Wildermuth. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Tuesday, May 9, 2017 at 10 a.m. directly at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, Rev. Doug Mayer officiating. Interment at Calumet Park Cemetery. Visitation will be Monday, May 8, 2017 from 3-8 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, IN. Gene graduated from Bishop Noll High School in 1959 then moved on to a career with US Steel for 32 years. He was an avid sportsman and a true athlete. His love for baseball was immense. He played for numerous clubs though out the years, creating many friendships that lasted a lifetime. At 52, Gene "retired" his bat and picked up a golf club! The challenge of golf kept him engaged but it was the friendships formed that he truly cherished. Gene leaves this world with the love and respect of his family and friends.[www.burnsfuneral.com](http://www.burnsfuneral.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Calumet Park Cemetery

2305 W. 73rd Ave.  
Merrillville, IN 46410

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 8. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Burns Funeral Home & Crematory - Crown Point  
10101 Broadway  
Crown Point, IN 46307  
(219) 769-0044  
info@burnsfuneral.com  
<https://www.burnsfuneral.com/>

## Mass of Christian Burial

MAY 9. 10:00 AM (CT)

St Elizabeth Ann Seton Church  
509 W Division Rd  
Valparaiso, IN 46385  
(219) 464-1624

# Tribute Wall

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“ *The Yashewski Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of John Eugene "Gene" Rauh.*



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**The Yashewski Family** - May 09, 2017 at 10:17 AM

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“ *To the Rauh Family, both immediate and extended, please know that the prayers of all of us in the Yashewski Family (Sally, Richard, Suzy, and Greg) are with each and every one of you, and especially with Gene. He was truly a family patriarch and will be deeply missed!*

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**The Yashewski Family** - May 09, 2017 at 09:37 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Eugene "Gene" Rauh.*



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May 08, 2017 at 12:22 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of John Eugene "Gene" Rauh.*



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May 07, 2017 at 11:11 PM

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“ *The Glowski Family purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of John Eugene "Gene" Rauh.*



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**The Glowski Family** - May 06, 2017 at 05:27 PM

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“ *Your Specialists Hospital Shreveport Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of John Eugene "Gene" Rauh.*



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**Your Specialists Hospital Shreveport Family** - May 05, 2017 at 03:24 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of John Eugene "Gene" Rauh.*



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May 04, 2017 at 12:05 PM

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**Derry Stone** - May 04, 2017 at 10:39 AM

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**Derry Stone** - May 04, 2017 at 10:36 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Eugene "Gene" Rauh.*



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May 03, 2017 at 02:55 PM

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“ *Colette, Cyndi, David, Gina, Colleen, and the entire family: We are so saddened to hear of Gene's passing!! He was a great guy and we have so many beautiful memories of him and Pooie!! Memories that we will always cherish!!! Words can't express how we are feeling at this time. But know our thoughts and prayers are with you all. It's times like this that we wish we lived closer to our loved ones! We know you will keep Gene alive in your hearts with all the beautiful memories you cherish!!! May God bless you all!! We love you all!!*

*All our love, Roger and Marcia*

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**Marcia Dowdy** - May 03, 2017 at 11:16 AM