



John D. Tilger, Sr.

October 25, 1928 - April 21, 2011

"John David Tilger Sr. went home to be with his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on April 21, 2011. He was surrounded by his family. John David was an honest, hard working family man, who loved his wife and family. He sacrificed his wants for others, his family, his country, and for those in need. We say goodbye with a heavy heart but at the same time we rejoice, for where he is we long to be. We love you, miss you, and your legacy will live on in the lives of those you touched." He is preceded in death by his beloved wife Cecile Marie Tilger. Survivors include his loving children Mary Christine LaFond and husband Scott, Margie Schroeder and husband Gary, Anna Marie Ramirez and husband Richard, John Tilger Jr., and Forrest Tilger and wife Jennifer, sisters Frances Lee Tracy, Margaret Ann Toudouze and Patricia Dean, 12 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren and other loving family members and friends.

Visitation will begin on Monday, April 25, 2011 at 5:00 p.m. with a rosary to begin at 7:00 p.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels South. Funeral service will be held on Tuesday, April 26, 2011 at 11:00 a.m. at the funeral home.

Interment will follow at Mission Burial Park South.

For personal acknowledgement you may sign the guest book at www.missionparks.com in the obituary section.

Tribute Wall

MC

“ *Our deepest sympathy to all the family. We are very sorry for your loss.
BSA alum.*

Mary Jane Olivarri Cumpian - April 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LP

“ *My cousins, we are so very sorry for your Daddy's passing. He is with your Mom and all the other family members that have gone before him. We Kathy have good memories of him and know that he is in heaven! Please know that I wish to have been there, tak*

Larry and Kathy Parker - April 29, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ *my condolences to all of the family , prayers are for all*

darleen smith - April 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ *We would like to extend our condolences to the entire Tilger family. John is at peace and reunited with his wife Cecile now. You all are in our thoughts and prayers.*

Maria & Michael Flack - April 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ *My condolences to John & Cecile's families, John's sisters, Frances, Margaret and Patricia. May Our Lord give him peace and comfort so he can enjoy the everlasting life in His Garden. John, Cecile and sisters are in our BSA Alumni family and will be rem*

Betty Chrisman - April 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ *Our deepest condolences from the Castillo family.*

Jose M. Castillo - April 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ *MAY THE PEACE WHICH COMES FROM THE MEMORIES OF LOVE SHARED COMFORT YOU NOW AND IN THE DAYS AHEAD. WITH DEEPEST SYMPATHY. JASON, DEBBIE, AND RANDI CRAWLEY*

Debbie and Jason Crawley - April 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ *We are very sorry for your loss. Our deepest sympathies are with you.*

The Turner Family Old Neighbors & Friends from Verne Street - April 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

FH

“ *at the railroad we all called him tiger and we will remember his presence in our life.so long tiger.*

floyd and audrey howton - April 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MO

“ *You are all in my prayers and thoughts. God's strength will get you through this very hard time, he will lift you up and you will realize that your dad is not "lost" but is found and at peace with our Lord.*

Martha O'Dowd - April 24, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ Sweet dreams, Daddy!!! We know you are happy to be w/Momma!! We do love/miss you soooo much!!! We are thankful you are no longer suffering!!!

Chris - April 24, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PP

“ We are so sorry for the loss all of you have suffered, but join you in rejoicing that your dad is finally reunited with His Lord and your mom. All of you continue to be in our prayers. We love you.

Patty & Lowell Paul - April 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MI

“ God bless you all as you mourn the loss of your father. I'm sure it's a comfort to know he's with God and also with your mom again. He, and all of you, are in my prayers. Love, Shelly

Michelle Imagawa - April 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM