



Lawrence R. Jordan

December 24, 1924 - December 28, 2006

LAWRENCE R JORDAN

Lawrence R. Jordan died peacefully at home on Thursday, December 28, 2006. Born December 24, 1924 in San Antonio to the late Ernst H. Jordan and Adella Marie Ruhnke Jordan, he graduated from Central Catholic High School and attended St. Mary's University prior to serving in the U.S. Navy during World War II. Upon returning from the war, Larry "Mole" Jordan completed his college education at St. Mary's where he played basketball as a guard for the Rattlers. He signed on as a Marine Reservist to continue playing basketball before serving in the Korean Conflict. In 1952 Larry returned to work as a Master Plumber for Jordan Plumbing Company. He married Evelyn Schuh, the love of his life, on August 7, 1954. Larry was involved in several professional, fraternal and religious organizations, including Treasurer for the Associated Plumbing, Heating and Cooling Contractors, Grand Knight of Council 786 of the Knights of Columbus, president of the St. Mary Magdalen's parish council, Eucharistic Minister, officer of the Immaculate Conception Family Guild, and CYO Basketball Coach. He was an active volunteer for Central Catholic, the Boy Scouts, and St. Mary Magdalen's school. Larry loved bowling, fishing, camping, basketball, traveling, Garner State Park, and most of all spending time with his family and friends. He is survived by his wife of 52 years, Evelyn; daughters and sons-in-law Vicki and Joe Guidry; Janel and Thom Lanzen; sons and daughters-in-law Larry and Georgia Jordan, Tom and Cindy Jordan,

and Robert and Diana Jordan; grandchildren, Tyler and wife, Hannah, Andrea and husband, Shane, Mitch, Jenna, Cortney, Trevor, and Nathan; great-grandchildren Gabe and Chase; sister Loraine Wagner; brother-in-law Bill Schuh; numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

Services

Visitation will begin at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, January 2, 2006 at St. Mary Magdalen's Catholic Church with a rosary at 7:30 p.m. . The Funeral Mass will begin at 10 a.m. Wednesday, January 3, 2006 also at St. Mary Magdalen's Catholic Church. Entombment will follow at Holy Cross Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association or St. Peter's - St. Joseph's Children's Home, 919 Mission Rd. San Antonio, TX 78210.

Tribute Wall

TT

“ We are in presently at our home in Crested Butte, Colorado, and our son Denny informed us about Larry. We are very sorry we are unable to attend the services as Larry & Bobby have been such great help to us through the years. We extend our sympathies to a

Tom & Edie Toudouze - January 05, 2007 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ I apologize for being unable to attend the services, but I wanted to share my thoughts.

Mr. Jordan was a wonderful and nice man, who opened his home to guests and shared what he had. He has a great family who loved him and in turn open their homes and

Brian Hanan - January 04, 2007 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ Tom, our sincerest sympathies for you and your family. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

Craig & Claire McGaughy - January 03, 2007 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ I am so sorry to hear about your recent loss. May the Lord comfort you all during your time of grief.

Shasta Billingsley - January 03, 2007 at 12:00 AM

ES

“ Janel and family,
I am so sorry to hear of your Dad's passing on. I have many fond memories of him from our high school years. My prayers are with you and your family. God Bless!
Evelyn Karam Schroder

Evelyn Karam Schroder - January 03, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ I am a co-worker of Janel Lanzen at USAA and have always heard such wonderful stories about your family and her dad. May God bless you during your time of loss; and fill you with confidence that he is now serving God from Heaven above. You are in my praye

Janelle Dziuk - January 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Janel,

I am so sorry about the loss of your father. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this sad time.

Sincerely,

Jeanne Michalec

Jeanne Michalec - January 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ We appreciate the legacy and respect the service of Mr. Jordan to our country. Because of him and many others of the greatest generation, we are able to enjoy freedom. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Mark & Vickie Riddle - January 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM

VW

“ Our prayers and thoughts are with each of you.

Love, Vernon & Vicky Wallace
Nicole, Amanda & Wyatt McKay

Vicky Wallace - January 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM

KK

“ Larry & Georgia,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Kathy and Rick Kirk - January 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ I am very sorry for your loss.

Jimmy Mendez - January 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ SO SORRY ABOUT YOUR LOSS. OUR PRAYERS ARE FOR YOU
EVELYN FOREVER.LOVE MIKE AND MARY ANN GUIDRY

MICHAEL AND MARY ANNGUIDRY - January 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ It is with a sense of sadness and loss that I learned of the passing
of Larry. I remember the times we had while students at St.
Mary's, right after WWII. We had great times in sports, not only on
the collegiate level but in inter-mural football. He

Johnny Gavlick - January 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM

LJ

“ Dear Evelyn and Janel and the entire Jordan family, David and I were saddened to learn of Larry's passing. We had so much fun with him at the egnog get together. Please know that we are thinking of you and hope your many wonderful memories will help

Liz Jauer - January 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Sincere condolences to the Jordan family. Larry was Bill's classmate in 1935 at St.Mary's Parochial School. He was a fine man in every way.

Bill & Gerri Bennett - December 31, 2006 at 12:00 AM