



George Franke

February 23, 1936 - February 15, 2022

George Franke, 85, of Perryville, Missouri passed away Tuesday, February 15, 2022 at Holiday Residential Care.

He was born February 23, 1936 in Uniontown, MO to Albert and Leola (Kassel) Franke.

He and Luella Koenig were married February 21, 1959.

George served in the United States Army and Army Reserve.

He received a bachelors degree in Civil Engineering from University Missouri Science & Technology in 1959.

George was a member of Grace Lutheran Church in Uniontown.

He worked for the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet-Department of Highways for 37 years serving in positions from Assistant Resident Engineer to Director of Equipment for the State of Kentucky. He was a member of the Society of Professional Engineers, Kentucky Association of Transportation Engineers, and Kentucky Engineering Exposure Network.

Mr. Franke was a scoutmaster and received the District Award of Merit. He is

also in Who's Who in Kentucky, Who's Who in Southeast United States, and Who's Who in Science and Engineering. He was also a member of the Alumni Association at the University of Missouri, Rolla MO.

Survivors include Two sons, David (Lori) Franke, Matthew (Martha) Franke; daughter, Sarah (Craig) Miget; Two brothers, Charles A. Franke, Alvin A. (Judy) Franke; Two brothers-in-Law, Clinton Luehrs, Paul (Gerry) Koenig; Ten grandchildren, Rebecca Franke, Joel Franke, Aaron Franke, Micah Franke, Joshua Franke, Jacob Franke, Rachel Franke, Leah Miget, Alex Miget, Drew Miget; Four great-grandchildren, Hugh, Walter, Patrick and Trevor Franke.

He was preceded in death by his parents; Two sisters-in-law, Darlene Franke and Esther Luehrs.

Visitation will be from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm on Friday, February 18, 2022 at Ford and Young Funeral Home in Perryville and from 8:30 am to 10:00 am Saturday, February 19, 2022 at Grace Lutheran Church in Uniontown, MO.

Funeral Service will be at 10:00 am Saturday, February 19, 2022 at Grace Lutheran Church in Uniontown with Rev. Paul Winningham officiating.

Burial will be at Grace Lutheran Cemetery in Uniontown, MO.

Memorial contributions may be given to Hope Seed - 4501 Manatee Ave W #161 Bradenton, FL 34209.

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandyoungfuneralhome.com.

Ford & Young Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Grace Lutheran Cemetery

Uniontown, MO 63783

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 18. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ford and Young Funeral Home
110 S West Street
Perryville, MO 63775

Visitation

FEB 19. 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Grace Lutheran Church
53 Grace Ln.
Uniontown, MO

Funeral Service

FEB 19. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *George Franke*

October 20, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ *George Franke*

October 20, 2023 at 01:44 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of George Franke.*



February 18, 2022 at 02:03 PM



“ *Please accept my deepest sympathy in the loss of your husband. May you feel God's loving arms around you during this time. Rhoda Cornehlisen*

Rhoda Cornehlisen - February 18, 2022 at 11:17 AM



“ *With love from all of us at Hope Seeds purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of George Franke.*



With love from all of us at Hope Seeds - February 17, 2022 at 01:14 PM

EF

“ *Ellen Kassel Feibish and family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of George Franke.*



Ellen Kassel Feibish and family - February 17, 2022 at 09:02 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of George Franke.*



February 16, 2022 at 03:39 PM

KB

“ *So sorry for your loss. I was in the same class with George at PHS. I remember him as a good guy and solid citizen. I was so impressed that he went to Rolla and became an engineer because at PHS he wasn't in the courses (Physics Engineer Drawing etc) that led to Rolla. Another indication of a self-made man . . . and he was all of that.*



Ken Biehle

Kenneth Biehle - February 16, 2022 at 01:42 PM

GL

So sorry for your loss Luella. Will be praying for you.
Grace Lane

Grace Lane - February 16, 2022 at 02:35 PM

EK

A fine man who had a good long earthly life has received his final reward. Thinking of your family.

eldon kaufmann - February 16, 2022 at 08:46 PM

SA

My deepest sympathy to you and your family. Shirley

SHIRLEY AUFDENBERG - February 16, 2022 at 08:50 PM

CS

My deepest sympathy for the family. I was in an Army Reserce unit that he commanded.

Cathy Sickles Showers - February 18, 2022 at 10:04 AM

RB

Very sorry for the loss to the Franke family. Mr. Franke left a lasting legacy of godliness and hard work.

rob bostrom - February 19, 2022 at 12:02 PM

ST

Todd remembers him as my son took pictures at things he was involved in and Mr. Franke ws always pleased with them. Please accept our sympathy with your loss. Its been 5 years for us after my husband passed away.

Susan Koch amd Tpd - February 20, 2022 at 10:21 PM