

## Joseph J. Haggerty Sr.

**BIRTH** 5 Oct 1932

Chicago, Cook County, Illinois, USA

**DEATH** 6 Jan 2008 (aged 75)

Hoopeston, Vermilion County, Illinois, USA

**BURIAL** Floral Hill Cemetery

Lovejoy Township, Iroquois County, Illinois, USA

**MEMORIAL ID** 23894235



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Joseph J. Haggerty Sr., 75, of Hoopeston was born into eternal life at 5:05 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 7, 2008.

He was the son of Richard Edward and Alice Catherine (Cunningham) Haggerty Sr. He married Janet Marilyn Hatfield on Jan. 10, 1959, at Chicago. She survives.

Also surviving are three sons, Joseph (Karen) Jr. of Glen Ellyn, Mark (Jackelyn) of Normal and Michael (Gina) of Naperville; six daughters, Barbara (Daniel) Hoeft of Waunakee, Wis., Jean French of Sherman, Elizabeth (Todd) Cessna of Potomac, Alice (Roger) Jackson of Mahomet, Rita (Troy) Holmes of Hoopeston, Linda (Brian) Berry of St. Joseph; 26 grandchildren; three brothers, William Haggerty of Evergreen Park and Gerard (Kathy) Haggerty and Thomas (Theresa) Haggerty, both of Westmont; one sister, Therese (Bill) Baker, Tucson, Ariz.; brothers-in-law; sisters-in-law; and many nephews, nieces and cousins.

He was preceded in death by a son, Patrick Gerard; a daughter, Karen Anne; his parents; three brothers; and four sisters.

Joe was born Oct. 5, 1932, and reared in the Beverly Hills area of Chicago, one of 12 children in his family. He graduated from Morgan Park High School in 1951 and received his philosophy of commerce degree from the University of Notre Dame in 1955. He earned his pilot's license while serving as a corpsman with the U.S. Navy for two years following college graduation.

Following his service in the U.S. Navy, he and his family owned and operated Haggerty Oil Company in Chicago. He later was employed by the General

Motors Corp. in the Chicago, Peoria and Green Bay zones from 1960 to 1970, working as a district manager, service manager and assistant sales promotion manager. From 1970 to 1980 he owned and operated Joe Haggerty Chevy-Olds Inc., Hoopeston. He owned and operated a snack-vending business from 1980 to 1990 and was owner-operator of Haggerty Trucking until his retirement in 2004.

Joe was an active member of St. Anthony's Catholic Church, Hoopeston, and served in various capacities in automotive organizations. His hobbies included golf, bowling, reading, political debate and enjoying his wonderful children and grandchildren.

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## Inscription

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## Family Members

### Parents



Richard Edward Haggerty  
1898-1976



Alice Catherine *Cunningham* Haggerty  
1896-1978

### Siblings



Richard Edward Haggerty  
1922-1996



Mary *Haggerty* Caffrey  
1923-1999



John Patrick Haggerty  
1927-1997



James Dominic Haggerty  
1929-1995

### Children



Rita Lynne Haggerty  
1972-2021



Patrick Gerard Haggerty  
1975-1975

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