



Mr. Leo J. O'Connor

April 2, 1927 - March 9, 2020

Mr. Leo J. O'Connor, age 92, of Emmett, passed away on March 9, 2020.

He was born on April 2, 1927, in Emmett to the late Joseph and Mary O'Connor (Wood).

Leo married Madeline M. Scheible on February 3, 1951, in Emmett.

He served honorably in the United States Army in WWII. Leo retired from the UAW Solidarity House in Detroit, was a lifetime Parishioner of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church and a member of the VFW Post #5585, Knights of Columbus John F. Farrell Council. He was also the former Emmett Township Clerk from 1975-1986.

Leo is survived by his wife of 69 years, Madeline, sons, J. Patrick O'Connor, James (Mary Ann) O'Connor and Michael (Cynthia) O'Connor, daughters, Karen Perry, Janet (Robert) Butler, Diane (Robert) Upleger, Mary O'Connor, Lynne (Martin) Cirello and Maureen (Steven) Bular, 19 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren, brother, Thomas (Karen) O'Connor and sisters, Donna (Marvin) Pace, Lucille Gajda and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his brothers, Francis, Joseph, Vincent, William, Robert and Gary, sisters, Margaret, Helen, Isabelle and Marie.

Funeral Mass will be 11:00am Saturday, March 14, 2020, in Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church, 10828 Brandon Road, Emmett. Father Tom Kuehnemund will officiate. Burial will take place in Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Cemetery.

Visiting hours will be 9:30am until the time of the Mass at 11:00am.

Arrangements in care of, Jowett Funeral Home, 1634 Lapeer Avenue, Port Huron.

Pallbearers will be Leo's grandchildren.

Jowett Funeral Home is privileged to assist the family with arrangements.

The St. Clair County Allied Veterans Honor Guard will conduct Military Honor's along with the United States Army.

To view the obituary and share memories, please visit www.jowettfuneraldirectors.com

Cemetery Details

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Cemetery

Emmett, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **14.** 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Mt Carmel Catholic Parrish
10828 Brandon Rd
Emmett, MI 48022
(810) 384-6925

Funeral Mass

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Tribute Wall

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“ Thinking of you all ~ & Remembering Uncle Leo So many fond childhood memories What a blessed long life

Ellen (Reno) Pastir - March 13, 2020 at 11:54 AM

Shirley Delaney

“ Shirley Delaney purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mr. Leo J. O'Connor.



Shirley Delaney - March 13, 2020 at 03:10 AM

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“ Shirley Delaney lit a candle in memory of Mr. Leo J. O'Connor



Shirley Delaney - March 13, 2020 at 01:51 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Leo J. O'Connor.



March 12, 2020 at 01:55 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Mr. Leo J. O'Connor.*



March 11, 2020 at 03:57 PM



“ *So many fond memories of Uncle Leo at family reunions, family Christmas parties and Sunday visits with Ma and Dad. Uncle Leo made fried bologna sandwiches for me and grandpa Scheible when we were at the Sunoco gas station in Emmett when he was bartending at the bar. I'll also never forget the big cooker full of pigs in a blanket he brought to family get-togethers at the VFW Hall. He and Madeline and all the O'Connor kids were a big part of my childhood and I'll cherish those memories forever. Uncle Leo, you will be missed.*

dennis scheible - March 11, 2020 at 01:51 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Leo J. O'Connor.*



March 11, 2020 at 01:07 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Leo J. O'Connor.*



March 11, 2020 at 12:18 PM



“ *Thank you for your friendship, Leo!*

Joanie Bowen - March 11, 2020 at 10:19 AM