



# Larry Kent Johnson

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**L**arry Johnson, 72, of Vandalia, passed away on Friday, October 16, 2020 at St. John's Hospital Springfield.

A private family graveside service and interment will be held at Fairlawn Cemetery with Rev. Dr. Ben Foxworth officiating and military rites accorded by Brownstown VFW Post #9770 and Crawford-Hale American Legion Post # 95. Memorials may be made to Bethel Baptist Church.

Larry Kent Johnson was born July 4, 1948, in Shobonier, the son of Jess and Sibly (Alender) Johnson. He married Linda Clydene Tate on July 7, 1968; together they shared 52 years of marriage. Larry was the Sharon Township Tax Assessor and worked at various factories over the years before retiring from Pentacle Foods in St. Elmo. Larry served his country in the US Army and was a devoted member of Bethel Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Linda of Vandalia; daughter, Tricia and husband Brian Elam of Vandalia; sons, Pat Johnson and wife Amy of Vandalia, and David Johnson of Shelbyville; grandchildren, Jessica, Jacob, Justin, Jonah, Kacey, and Jaden; six great grandchildren; and sisters, Louella, Linda, and Sheila.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

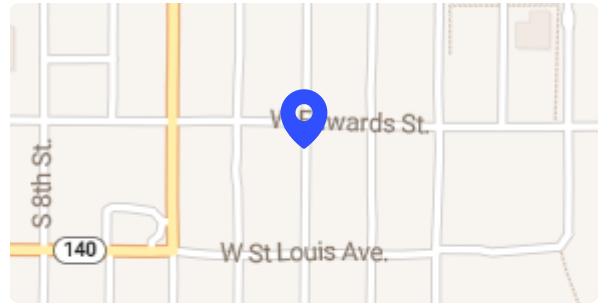


### Cemetery Details



#### Fairlawn Cemetery

South 6th St, Vandalia IL 62471





## Tribute Wall

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DV

**Dennis Voelker** posted:

I am very sorry for your loss. God give you comfort. with sympathyMelba and Dennis

October 25 at 12:37 PM

BE

**Bobbye Eulberg** lit a candle in honor of Larry.



October 21 at 1:35 PM

SD

**Sandy And Dean Devall** posted:

Linda and family we are so sorry to hear about Larry's passing your all in my prayers

October 21 at 8:14 AM

DE

**Debbie** posted:

I was one of Larry Johnson's gaming buddies. I found him to be a true believer and he represented Christ in everything he did...including gaming.He had a heart of gold and was such a pillar of God's Word, God's Truth and demonstrated His Light in this World.We will miss him but we all know....that he isn't dead.....he's just not down here with us.I pray for peace and comfort for the entire family as you walk thru this difficult time.I praise God for what Mr. Johnson meant to all of us gamers and everyone he knew.

October 20 at 6:14 AM

SH

**Sue Harrison** posted:

Linda. I am shocked and so very sorry for your loss. Michelle let me know yesterday as we are on a road trip. You and yours have been in my prayers ever since. Hold fast to our Lord and Savior.

October 19 at 7:07 AM

MC

**Mike And Paula Clymer** posted:

Linda, Pat, Tricia and David we were saddened to hear about Larry. We will keep you and your families in our prayers.

October 18 at 5:00 PM



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**Julie Waters** posted:

A great husband, father and grandfather friend. I am truly blessed to have known him. Linda, Tricia, Pat and David my god give you the comfort during this difficult time. Always remember the good times and how blessed you were to be such an important time of his life. Love and prayers to all of you, Greg, Julie and Kyle Waters

October 18 at 3:45 PM



**Elaine Michel** posted:

Dear Linda and family I am so sorry for this loss. I thought a lot of Larry. As you know he was my boss for many years and never had a cross word for anyone. A good man went to glory. Love all of you and May God Bless and give you comfort. Elaine Michel

October 18 at 8:59 AM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Larry by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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