



# John R. Bourdon

OCT 5, 1984 - JUN 4, 2017



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## **John R. Bourdon**

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**M**r. John R. Bourdon, age 32, passed away Sunday, June 4, 2017 in Fruitport Township. He was born on October 5, 1984 to Patrick and Jill (Rahrig) Bourdon and was a lifelong resident of the West Michigan area. John was a 2003 graduate of St. Francis High School in Traverse City and excelled in football and track. He was an avid Culinary Chef in Chicago. He enjoyed everything Chicago, Notre Dame football, target shooting and spending time with family including Ford Lake. SURVIVORS include his father, Patrick and Linda Bourdon; and his mother, Jill Rahrig; brothers, Jacob (Corrie) Bourdon and Zach (Julie) Bourdon; and his sister, Aiyana (Matt) Newton. He is also survived by his grandfather, Thomas Bourdon, grandparents, Don and Wilma Rahrig, grandmother, Barbara Wiersema and many aunts, uncles, cousins and close friends. John was preceded in death by his grandmother, Charline Bourdon; grandfather, Robert Wiersema; and his great-grandmother, Katherine Kiss. A FUNERAL SERVICE will be held at 11 AM on Friday, June 9, 2017 at Olivet Evangelical Free Church , 6790 Harvey St.with Pastor Craig Cramblet officiating. VISITATION will be held from 10-11 AM at church. Burial will take place at St. Mary's Cemetery in Muskegon. Arrangements are being handled by The Lee Chapel, 6291 S. Harvey St. (231) 798-1100. Memorial contributions may be directed to the family. Please visit the family's online guest book at [www.sytsemafh.com](http://www.sytsemafh.com)




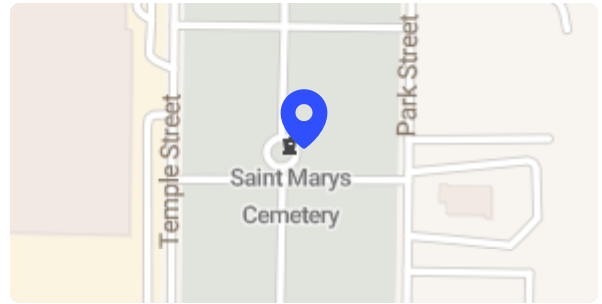
# Events

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## Cemetery Details

 **St. Mary's Cemetery**  
1915 Park St., Muskegon MI 49441





## Tribute Wall

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**Alynn Lutz** posted:

Hard to believe that you are gone. Although we didn't really have any contact after high school, I will always remember the good times, much laughter, jokes and fun we had back in the day at Saint Francis. You had a good heart and a great sense of humour. Your smile was contagious. I am sure your family will miss you like crazy John. Rest in peace. Much Love, Alynn Ramoie Lutz

June 12 at 9:04 PM



**Jill Rahrig** June 13 at 6:58 AM

Thank you for the nice tribute, directed to John, Alynn...very sweet. Yes we will miss him like crazy....Jill



**Jill Rahrig** shared an album called **New Album Name.**



June 11 at 11:22 AM



**Susan R. Tindall** posted:

Our prayers and thoughts are with you during this time. God's graces of assurance, comfort, faith, and hope will bring strength to you and your families for the difficult and challenging days ahead. Thinking of you, Chuck and Susan Rogalla Tindall

June 9 at 4:33 AM



**Dan Maynard** posted:

I am so sorry for you loss. Dan Maynard (Suzanne Maynard (Perley)

June 8 at 10:46 PM



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**Tom Chapman** lit a candle in honor of John.

Myriads of loving thoughts and prayers overflowing with and for u Jill and the family! Hugs galore!!!!!!! Tom Chapman

June 8 at 11:06 AM



**Jill Rahrig** June 8 at 5:47 PM

Oh, Thomas...I am so sad, my most precious blessing is now gone from this world...I am trying hard to stand strong knowing he is going to fully use his gifts in anther universe/another day.We will see him appear again over the horizon for the benefit of mankind and spirit. Thank you, and hugs back...Jill



**Kyle Anderson** posted:

My deepest sympathy for the family.Last night, John was in a dream I had, a good dream that was full of John and I laughing. I found out this morning of his passing and the news made me restless all day.Reminiscing the great memories of knowing John in our younger years.Baamaapii (until later) John Bourdon

June 8 at 5:23 AM



**Tom Shlaffer** June 8 at 5:07 PM

Jill,So sorry fir your loss. My prayers and thoughts are with you and your family. Tom Shlaffer



**Jill Rahrig** June 8 at 6:59 AM

Oh, Kyle....thank you for sharing...he came to visit you. You were blessed. Yes, Baamaapii - Jill



**John Vanderlaan** posted:

Jill,We are so very sorry for your loss. Our thoughts are with you and your family at this time.John and Cathy Vanderlaan

June 8 at 3:45 AM



**Mike Cyplik** lit a candle in honor of John.

June 7 at 9:49 AM





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JV

**John & Sharon Vanderstelt** posted:

So sorry to hear about John's passing. We pray that God will wrap His loving arms around you at this difficult time and give you comfort and peace.

June 7 at 7:35 AM

TP

**Tami Pierce** lit a candle in honor of John.

Barb so sorry for your loss. may God bring you peace and comfort. Tami Pierce

June 6 at 6:31 PM



MQ

**Margaret Quinn** posted:

My heart breaks for you and the loss of John. Know that he is in His loving arms and at peace. Maggie Quinn

June 6 at 1:22 PM



**Jill Rahrig** June 11 at 11:19 AM

....cushion roses



**Jill Rahrig** June 10 at 12:23 PM

Maggie - yes, the loss is HUGE and my heart does ache. Thank you for your words and want you to know I cried when I saw the most lovely peach/pink, full, long stem roses....I know, of which, is from your heart. Jill Please thank Colin and Egan, from the bottom of my heart, for their support, yesterday.

LL

**Lori Loomis** posted:

we are so sorry for your loss. praying for Gods love and healing and comfort to flood your souls. love you, the Loomis family

June 6 at 11:00 AM



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CS

**Connie Sohasky** posted:

Jill, I am so sorry for your loss. I can't imagine what you are feeling having to bury your child. I pray that God gives you strength to carry you through this most difficult and sad time in your life. Connie Sohasky

June 6 at 9:23 AM

LA

**Linda Austin** posted:

I didn't know John, but I've heard about him since he was a little boy from his Grandma Barb Wiersema. I am so sorry to read this sad news to want to extend my condolences and my prayers to all of John's family. May God give you strength and comfort.

June 6 at 8:27 AM

DS

**Debi Schilling** June 7 at 8:44 AM

So very saddened to hear of John's passing. May God bless all of you. With much affection,  
Debi Schilling

CD

**Corinne Demeritt** June 6 at 4:36 PM

I am so sorry about your loss. Your family will be in my prayers through this tough time. I didn't know John. But I do know Barb Wersma, Linda. John is in good hand right now. With is heavenly father. I pray God will give you all strength and comfort.



# Media

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Jill Rahrig shared a photo to the **New Album Name** album.

June 11 at 11:22 AM





# Memories only last if you share them

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



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