



## John "Jack" Deinema

November 15, 2012

Deinema, John Known as Jack to his friends and family, passed away peacefully on November 15, 2012 at the age of 78. Jack was born on March 2, 1934 to Garrett and Winifred Deinema. He grew up in Saint Paul and attended Cretin High School. After high school graduation, Jack joined the Christian Brothers and became a teacher. Jack had other vocations in his life, but the vocation he loved the most was teaching. He taught us all to have compassion, love and understanding for all people. Jack is survived by his loving wife of 50 years, Phyllis; his four children, Colleen (Bob) Gustafson, Marty (Jane Schroer), Kevin (Carla), and Maureen Merritt; and his ten grandchildren, Jack, Daniel, and William Gustafson, Tone, Elsa, Henry and Hugh Deinema, and Ashley and Mary Merritt and Nickolas McGovern; sister, Mary Ann Lynch (Thomas), and extended loving family. Visitation Tuesday, November 20, 4-8 PM, with 7 PM prayer service at Washburn-McReavy Edina Chapel, W. 50th St. & Hwy 100. Mass of Christian Burial at St. John the Evangelist, 6 Interlachen Road, Hopkins, Wednesday, November 21 at 11:00 am with visitation one hour before Mass. In lieu of flowers, memorials preferred to Catholic Charities. [www.Washburn-McReavy.com](http://www.Washburn-McReavy.com) Edina Chapel 952-920-3996

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **20**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Edina Chapel  
5000 West 50th & Highway 100  
Edina, MN 55436  
(952) 920-3996  
info@washburn-mcreavy.com

## Visitation

NOV **21**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

The Church of St. John the Evangelist  
6 Interlachen Road  
Hopkins, MN 55343

## Service

NOV **21**. 11:00 AM (CT)

The Church of St. John the Evangelist  
6 Interlachen Road  
Hopkins, MN 55343

# Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of John "Jack" Deinema.



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November 19, 2012 at 02:50 PM