



## John L. Feehan

June 18, 1945 - June 5, 2017

John L. Feehan, 71, of Custar, Ohio passed away Monday night, June 5, 2017 at Blanchard Valley Hospital, Findlay, Ohio.

He was born on June 18, 1945 in Toledo, Ohio to the late James and Esther (Cooper) Feehan. On November 26, 1966 he married his high school sweetheart Sharon Bowerman and they had just celebrated 50 years of marriage.

John was a 1963 graduate of Westwood High School and a lifetime farmer on his family's farm in Custar. He also owned and operated John's Sales & Service, offering plumbing and heating services to his community. He served in the Ohio National Guard. He was a lifetime member of St. Louis Catholic Church, Custar and currently a Milton Township Trustee.

John was athletic in his youth, both as a baseball and basketball player. He was an avid builder and flyer of model airplanes and had his own flying field near his family farm which he shared with many friends. In his 40's he traded the models for the real planes and became a licensed private pilot and the flying field became a runway. In his spare-time he enjoyed mushroom hunting, Coon Dog Festivals, joking with his friends and working on his family farm. He would "tinker" and create or fix just about anything. He even claimed he could "fix anything but a broken heart or weld the crack of dawn". He spent his lifetime loving and providing for his family, and remains adored by his grandchildren.

He is survived by his loving and supportive wife, Sharon; his four sons, Steven

(Sarah) Feehan; Douglas (Jennifer) Feehan; Ryan (Michelle Hanneman) Feehan; Mark (Raechel) Feehan; grandchildren, Kyra O'Brien; Keegan O'Brien; McKenzie Miller; Kaleb O'Brien; Nicole Miller; Clayton Feehan; Grace Feehan; Cooper Feehan; Luke Feehan; Nolan Feehan; Faith Feehan; Hayden Feehan; James Feehan; Whitney Feehan; Jade O'Brien; sister, Mary Jane (Ted) Lee; and brother, James Feehan.

A Funeral Mass will be at 11:00 a.m. on Friday at St. Louis Catholic Church, Custar with Fr. David Tscherne officiating. Burial will follow in the St. Louis Catholic Cemetery and a fellowship luncheon will follow at the church.

Visitation will be from 2-8 p.m. on Thursday at Rodenberger Funeral Home, Deshler.

The family suggests memorials to Families for a Cure, P.O. Box 733, Hilliard, Ohio 43026.

Online condolences can be made at [www.rodenbergerfuneralhome.com](http://www.rodenbergerfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## St. Louis Catholic Cemetery

Custar, OH

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 8. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Napoleon Funeral Home  
1010 Westmoreland Avenue  
Napoleon, OH 43545  
(419) 592-2333  
help@rodenbergergray.com

## Mass

JUN 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Louis Catholic Church  
22792 Defiance Pike  
Custar, OH 43516

## Fellowship Dinner

JUN 9. 12:30 PM (ET)

St. Louis Catholic Church  
22792 Defiance Pike  
Custar, OH 43516



# Tribute Wall



“ *Mark, so very sorry for your loss. Randy and Deb Wensink*

Deb Wensink - June 22, 2017 at 11:59 AM



“ *Sharon and family So sorry for your great loss. You are in our prayers. Chris and Carol Stoepfel (class of 63 )*

Chris Stoepfel Sr. - June 11, 2017 at 08:00 PM

ER

“ *We were so sorry to hear of John's passing. We are very sorry we are unable to attend the funeral but you are all in our thoughts and prayers. We have wonderful memories of John and your family and how you welcomed us and June into your family.*

*Love, George and Eileen*

Eileen and George Ray - June 08, 2017 at 10:22 PM

MB

“ *Sharon, so sorry for your loss. Class of '63 will miss him.*  
*Mel Browning*

Mel Browning - June 08, 2017 at 06:34 PM

BG

“ *BGEO purchased the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the family of John L. Feehan.*



BGEO - June 08, 2017 at 01:40 PM

MM

“ Dear Sharon, So saddened to hear of John's passing. John was such a good kid, I remember watching him play baseball with such efforts. He was a good man, husband, father, friend. Sincere sympathies, Mary (Studer) Mercer

Mary Mercer - June 08, 2017 at 01:33 PM

BB

“ Brett Babcock purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of John L. Feehan.



Brett Babcock - June 08, 2017 at 10:10 AM

WD

“ Water & Sewer Division purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of John L. Feehan.



Water & Sewer Division - June 08, 2017 at 08:05 AM

KL

“ Our sympathy to the whole family. Kathy & Steve Lieb



Kathy Lieb - June 07, 2017 at 09:30 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of John L. Feehan.*



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June 07, 2017 at 06:15 PM



“ *Tom Pauff and Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of John L. Feehan.*



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**Tom Pauff and Family** - June 07, 2017 at 04:05 PM



“ *Terry & Marilyn Baer purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of John L. Feehan.*



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**Terry & Marilyn Baer** - June 07, 2017 at 03:56 PM



“ *Our sympathy to the Feehan families!*

*Alan and Becky (Adler) Rahe*

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**Alan & Becky (Adler) Rahe** - June 07, 2017 at 03:53 PM

MB

“ Michele Brown lit a candle in memory of John L. Feehan



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**Michele Brown** - June 07, 2017 at 12:34 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of John L. Feehan.



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June 07, 2017 at 12:21 PM

MS

“ Dear Sharon and family,

*So saddened to hear of your loss! Unfortunately, we won't be able to come to the visitation or funeral, but we are thinking of all of you. We have so many happy memories of John.*

*Our sympathy,  
Mary and Denny Schwab*

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**Mary Schwab** - June 07, 2017 at 09:43 AM

JF

“ I first met John, Sharon, Ryan and brothers the summer of 1981 when I rode my bicycle cross country from Denver to New York. Stopping in the local pub for refreshment, John looked me over with a quizzical but friendly eye.

*Having met many people on that 2000 mile, thirty day ride, John's warmth and enthusiasm remain a lasting high light.*

*I was invited to dinner and spent the night at the Feehan farm. Yes there were model airplanes and a crop dusting demonstration. Sharon was a wonderful hostess; the enthusiasm, Catholic faith, close knit family with a passel of boys has kept us in contact thru the years with Christmas cards and Facebook.*

*The morning I left I remember Ryan peddling as fast as he could following me for a while. A child, now a man, with brothers and Sharon these many years later, have many more tremendous memories than I,  
And those memories will lighten the burden of his passing.*

*May John Rest In Peace and rise in glory, and may God continue to bless and watch over the Feehan clan.*

*Most sincerely,  
Jack Fles  
Gardiner, Maine  
207 441- 9747*

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jack fles - June 07, 2017 at 08:24 AM

CS

“ So sorry for your loss Feehan family!

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Christy S. - June 07, 2017 at 08:18 AM

DL

“ Sorry to hear of your dad's passing.



Dana and Jenny Lugibihl - June 07, 2017 at 06:21 AM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of John L. Feehan.



June 06, 2017 at 10:03 PM

PW

“ Thinking and remembering you all...  
Memories of John mowing the lawn. Always did such a good job. ;)  
Thoughts with you and your family.  
Pamela (Lause) Weisbrod and Isabella Lause



Pamela Lause Weisbrod - June 06, 2017 at 09:49 PM

DM

“ Thinking of all the wonderful Feehan family.  
There is no doubt how pride he must have felt in all of you.



David McKee - June 06, 2017 at 09:49 PM

DD

“ *Lit a candle in memory of John L. Feehan*



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**Denise Damron** - June 06, 2017 at 08:13 PM

LR

“ *Linda Robinson lit a candle in memory of John L. Feehan*



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**Linda Robinson** - June 06, 2017 at 07:54 PM

SS

“ *Sharon & family. So sorry to hear of John's passing. Keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers.*



*Sherra Samson*

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**Sherra Samson** - June 06, 2017 at 07:28 PM

RF

“ *R And J France lit a candle in memory of John L. Feehan*



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**R and J France** - June 06, 2017 at 07:11 PM

RF

“ Sharon and Sons.....

*So sorry to hear of John's passing.....hope he didn't have to suffer.....*

*Your hubby and father was a real good guy and friend to all..... we enjoyed having him and you as neighbors, while we lived on Milton Rd.....*

*I'm sure your family will take care of your needs and well being but if you need anything*

*don't hesitate to ask.....in a time of need we all work together.....*

*In Christ's name we pray.....Russ and Jean France, Bowling Green.....*

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**R and J France** - June 06, 2017 at 07:10 PM