



John Edgar "Johnny" Hooper

July 11, 1951 - December 16, 2025

John Edgar "Johnny" Hooper, age 74, of Corpus Christi, Texas, died on December 16th, 2025. John was born on July 11th, 1951, in Wynne, Arkansas, to parents Jack and Eleanor Hooper. He graduated from Wynne High School and later completed bachelor's and master's degrees in liberal arts and education. John had a very bright mind and a lifelong passion for reading. He loved the classics, the study of philosophy and was a stimulating conversationalist. He had an aptitude for the technical fields of computer applications and training. In later life he had a second career as a land surveyor principally in the oil industry.

John is survived by his daughters Jessica (Jeff) Houseal and Dana (Kyle) Russell, and three grandchildren; his sister Patricia Hooper and brother Joseph Hooper. John was preceded in death by brothers, Eugene and Richard Hooper.

On June 2nd, 2026, at 10:00 a.m., a Funeral Mass, presided by Fr. Peter Okolo, will be held in John's memory at St. Peter's Church, 1695 Falls Boulevard, Wynne, Arkansas, 72396, with burial afterward at Cogbill Cemetery. Receiving of friends will be held from 9:00 a.m. till 10:00 a.m. on June 2nd at St. Peter's Church prior to the Funeral Mass.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Legion of Mary, Homebound

Ministry, St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, 7522 Everhart Road Corpus Christi, Texas, 78413. Their support during John's last year of life was an extraordinarily compassionate outreach and service.

Kernodle Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. You may sign an online guestbook at www.kernodlefh.com

Cemetery Details

Cogbill Cemetery

Airpark Rd
Wynne, AR 72396

Upcoming Events

Visitation

JUN 2. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

St Peters Catholic Church
1695 Falls Blvd
Wynne, AR 72396-4099
(870) 238-2613

Funeral Mass

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Tribute Wall



“ *Kernodle Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of John Edgar "Johnny" Hooper*



Kernodle Funeral Home - Yesterday at 12:14 PM

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“ *My deepest condolences to the family!!* 🙏💕
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