



Brother John J. Stout

August 15, 1922 - June 14, 2017

Brother John J. Stout, CSC, age 94, of Notre Dame, IN, formerly of Cairo, IL, passed away on Wednesday, June 14, 2017 at his residence.

He was born August 15, 1922 in Cairo, IL the son of Harry M. and Eileen Ryan Stout.

Brother John graduated from St. Joseph High School in Cairo. He served in the Army Air Force during World War II. After leaving military service, he attended St. Edward University in Austin, TX and from there he entered the novitiate of the Brothers of the Holy Cross in Indiana. He professed his final vows as a Holy Cross brother in 1951 and began his teaching career at Reitz Memorial High School in Evansville, IN where he taught English for 55 years. He earned his master's degree from Notre Dame University in 1956. After his retirement from Memorial, he moved to Holy Cross Village at Notre Dame, IN.

He is survived by his two sisters, Mary Eileen (Dick) Karcher and Elizabeth Turner both of Cairo, IL; three generations of nieces and nephews; many, many friends.

Brother John was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers, Harry T. Stout and Robert J. Stout; one sister Nell Ann Stout.

Mass of Christian burial will be held at Holy Cross Village, Notre Dame, IN on Wednesday, June 21, 2017 at 11:00am.

Funeral announcement courtesy of Crain Funeral Home in Cairo.

Tribute Wall



“ *Brother John J. Stout*

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“ *Seems like I have known Brother John my entire life. He was a part of our family attending our wedding party and spending time with my parents and family. He was one of the most influential people in my life by example urging everyone to be their best, achieve the most in life. He lived a good life, enjoyed his role in life, had many, many friends who truly cared about him and his absence will be felt.*
Richard Kuhn, Memorial Class of 1968

Richard Kuhn - June 19, 2017 at 09:34 AM



“ *I was Brother's student from 1978-1982. Not a week goes by in which I am not reminded of some aspect or other of things we studied, of the classical music John played before class (and we kids were learning about, without even realizing), and of his enthusiasm for literature and great love of the language. Fare the well, Brother John, you are not forgotten. Stuart Wade MHS 1982*

Stuart Wade - June 18, 2017 at 02:27 PM