



John Reid

February 26, 1950 - June 9, 2016

John L. Reid, 66, of Bourbonnais, IL and formerly of Houston, TX, passed away at his home on June 9, 2016. John was born on February 26, 1950 in Houston, TX the son of Raymond and Thelma (Perkins) Reid Sr.. He wed Deborah Lockler on June 2, 1972 in Houston, TX. He was a retired Journeyman Lineman formerly working for the City of Houston and IBEW Denver, CO.

John is survived by his wife of Bourbonnais, son; Travis Reid of Cisco, TX and daughter; Stacy (Tim) George of Bradley and grandchildren; Dustin Reid, Garret Reid, Cody Reid, Amarae George, Titus George and Ada George and sister; Louise Sevier of Houston, TX. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother; Raymond B. Reid Jr.

There will be a visitation on Wednesday, June 15, 2016 from 9 AM until the 10:00 AM funeral service at Spring Woodland Church. Rev. Tommy Lockler and Rev. Stephen Wilkinson will be officiating. Burial will be at Forest Park Lawndale Cemetery in Houston, TX with a 12:30 PM committal service Schreffler Funeral Home and its staff are honored to serve the John Reid family. Please sign his guestbook at www.schrefflerfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *John Reid*

February 03, 2023 at 04:30 AM



“ *I remember when y'all lived down the road from Grandma & Grandpa Lee and getting to come visit. I always loved to come to y'all's house.
I will always LOVE the Lockler and the Reid families and cherish the good memories our families made together.
Keeping y'all in prayer for comfort and peace during this time of grief.*

Delia (Lee) Barber - June 14, 2016 at 08:03 PM



“ *Debbie, Stacey and Travis, so terribly sorry for your loss. I remember the many good times we shared growing up together. I am praying for you all, and hoping that now and in the days and months ahead, you will feel those prayers. I am asking the Good Lord to wrap his arms around you all, and hold you close so that you will know and feel the peace that only He can give at a time like this. Lots of love, Paula (Tinney) Gadbury*

Paula Gadbury - June 14, 2016 at 04:16 PM



“ *Not sure I met Mr. Reid but I live in his old neighborhood in Houston. Praying for your family & friends. May God give you comfort, strength, & peace. John 14 Psalm 23
Joyce Clingerman*

Joyce Clingerman - June 14, 2016 at 03:23 PM

RM

“ Debbie, Travis, Stacey and all your family, I'm praying for you and hoping God will comfort you in the days ahead. The wonderful memories of your husband and Dad will bring a lot of comfort. Blessings and more blessings. Rachel Martin

Rachel Martin - June 13, 2016 at 10:06 PM

AW

“ It was a great honor to have met Bro Reid..He was such a great person to my son (Mike)..when my son move to Colo to start his journey there..he will dearly be miss by the Weaver family and Garza family..prayers for Sis Reid and family..

Angie Weaver - June 12, 2016 at 01:47 AM

LT

“ I sure enjoyed talking with brother Johnny in January when we were there visiting. He taught me how to shoe horses many years ago We enjoyed our fellowship in Spring and Denver many years ago. We are praying for the family Bro/Sis Talley

Lester Talley - June 11, 2016 at 07:34 AM

MR

“ Debbie, Travis, Stacey...our hearts are heavy this morning. Losing someone we love is the hardest experience here on earth. We will pray for your comfort and peace during the coming days. We love you! Shelby and Marci Rushing

Marci Rushing - June 11, 2016 at 07:18 AM

JM

“ *Debbie, Travis, and Stacey,
So sorry to hear about Johnny. We are
praying for you all. We have good memories
of when you lived here in Houston. Being in
your home and eating "turkey spaghetti" for
the first time; was so delicious. Got many laughs from Johnny and
you also Debbie. We love you and your family. Praying for God to
comfort you during this time.*



Jimmy and Donna Mofley

Jimmy & Donna Mofley - June 11, 2016 at 01:28 AM

JR

*We'll miss his smile, we'll miss his laugh and we'll miss his presence at
our holiday tables. Family for the past 18 years, we enjoyed every visit
and every funny story(he had a way of telling them and couldn't get
through them without laughing). Grateful to have been a part of his
latter life story. He will be sadly missed. Arms and prayers around all of
you. Love you all.*

Julie Riley - June 11, 2016 at 01:57 AM

MJ

*Debbie,
I am very sorry to learn of the passing of Johnny. Your family was very
special to me and I have wonderful memories of our times in the
Tomball church along with other special moments. You are all in my
thoughts and prayers. Love you.*

Marcia Mooneyham Jones

Marcia Mooneyham Jones - June 11, 2016 at 08:48 AM

RL

*Bro. Johnny will be so missed, He was so special,asking him what he
had for breakfast every Sunday Morning . are prayers are with you all
that the Lord will wrap His comforting arms around all of you. We Love
You!*

ronda long - June 11, 2016 at 09:30 AM

ZP

Debbie, Travis, Stacy and family, my heart breaks for you. So sorry for your loss. I have so many special memories of your family when you were our neighbors on Werner, here in Houston. I love you guys and my prayers are with you!

Zera Presley - June 14, 2016 at 10:44 AM

TV

I knew Johnny from Reagan High School. Then we worked together in the A/C department at the Houston Chronicle. I met him again when I saw him again at Gospel Assembly church when it was located on Airline Drive.

He had married Debbie in June of 1972. I was getting married to my now late wife Mary.

I had asked Johnny to be one of my groomsmen and stated he would. I was supposed to get married at the old Gospel Assembly church but my oldest brother waited until Pastor Patton had went out of town and confronted Pastor Billy Brown and lied to him and told him I was going to have a hippie wedding.

My brother told me that Pastor Brown wanted to speak with me. When I inquired why ? He told me he didn't know which was another lie.

Pastor Brown informed me that my brother knew why and he didn't know why my brother had lied to him and me.

Regardless Pastor Brown took my brother's word and informed me I couldn't get married in the church. I left and was very upset. I drove to our grandparents house and informed them what my brother had done. They were very upset knowing that Pastor Patton had given me approval to get married in the church and have the wedding reception there as well.

My brother showed up and was laughing and told me he had done this to stop the wedding. We were sitting at the kitchen table and my brother told me that if I married my wife Mary, it would be like grabbing a snake by the head. I got so angry that I reached across the table and jerked him across the table ready to punch him. My grandparents got between us and my grandma chewed him out and made him leave their house which he did but before he left he told me I wouldn't be married no more than 6 months.

On our 5th wedding anniversary he called the house and asked to speak to Mary. She took the phone and he told her he was sorry for what he said and congratulated us on 5 yrs of marriage.

When she died of cancer we had been married just 2 months short of 31 years.

Johnny was a great friend and he loved playing tricks on me. I know his family misses him a lot.

God bless you and your family.

Terry Vance

Terry Vance - August 25, 2025 at 12:07 AM