



## Mr. John F. Curry Jr. of Oakbrook Terrace

April 23, 1948 - January 9, 2026

John F. Curry Jr., of Oakbrook Terrace

Loving life partner of Candida "Candy" Basselen, cherished father of John (Lori) Curry III and Kelli (Juan Carlos Raymundo) Lala; devoted grandfather of Sadie Curry, Penelope Curry, Jazlyn Schnabl-Hostetler and Cassidy Lala; dear brother of Antoinette (Philip) Walther; beloved uncle of Laurie (Gil) Canare and Philip (Tonya) Walther Jr. and great uncle of Amelia, Elijah, Ava and Charlotte; loving friend of many.

Family and friends are to gather for the visitation on Friday, January 30, 2026 from 4:00 P.M. until time of service at 7:00 P.M. at Morizzo Funeral Home, 2550 West Hassell Rd., (Northeast corner of Barrington Rd.), Hoffman Estates, IL. 60169.

The family has created this Life Tributes page to make it easy to share your memories, photos, and videos. For those of you that would have attended services and would like to express your condolences please click on the "Share A Memory" link above and you can leave a message. If you wish to send a Sympathy Card, please feel free to send it to Morizzo Funeral Home, 2550 Hassell Road, Hoffman Estates, Illinois, 60169 c/o the Curry Family; we will gladly forward it on to the Curry family.

For further information please contact the Morizzo Funeral Directors at 847.752.6444. Arrangements entrusted to Morizzo Funeral Home, Cremation Services and Cemetery Memorials, at 2550 West Hassell Road, (Northeast corner at Barrington Road), Hoffman Estates, Illinois 60169. Morizzo Memorials and Monuments (<https://www.morizzofuneralhome.com/monuments-and-headstones/memorials-monuments-and-headstones>)

# Cemetery Details

## Morizzo Family Funeral Home, Cremation Services and Cemetery Memorials

2550 Hassell Road

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Hoffman Estates, IL 60169

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<http://MorizzoFuneralHome.com>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 30. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Morizzo Funeral Home  
2550 Hassell Road  
Hoffman Estates, IL 60169

## Funeral Service

JAN 30. 7:00 PM (CT)

Morizzo Funeral Home  
2550 Hassell Road  
Hoffman Estates, IL 60169

# Tribute Wall

CM

“ *To the family we're born with, and to the family we make along the way. Your kind soul, gentle heart and colorful spirit will be forever cherished. Thank you for being a part of our family.* ”



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**CM** - February 06 at 01:27 PM

CM

*Thank you for embracing John and making him a part of the family he always wanted but never had. He loved you girls and all the grands. He was so proud of the young people they were and their accomplishment.*

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**CM** - February 06 at 08:45 PM

TW

“ *The Walther's-Philip, Tonya, Ava, Charlotte planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. John F. Curry Jr. of Oakbrook Terrace.* ”

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**The Walther's-Philip, Tonya, Ava, Charlotte** - January 30 at 01:32 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. John F. Curry Jr. of Oakbrook Terrace.*



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January 30 at 01:32 AM



“ *For nearly 50 years, you were our friend, but calling you that never felt like enough. You were a brother to us in every way that mattered—someone who shared our life, our memories, our laughter, and our family. Over the years, you became family.*

*You were a constant presence through so many of our life passages, always there with your unmistakable way of making us laugh. You weren't just part of our life—you were woven into it. You were a close family friend, a trusted confidant, and an uncle to my son, who knew you as someone who loved him and cared about him.*

*The memories we built together over almost five decades are countless, and we will carry them with us always. Your absence leaves a space that cannot be filled, but your spirit, your kindness, and the bond we shared will never fade. You will always be loved, deeply missed, and forever remembered.*

*With Fondest Memories,*

*Lori and Bud Bergeron*

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**Bud Bergeron** - January 29 at 09:57 PM

SP

“ Salvatore P. planted a grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John F. Curry Jr..

Salvatore P. - January 25 at 07:51 PM

BB

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Brook Bergeron - January 21 at 05:30 PM



“ John will be forever in our hearts.

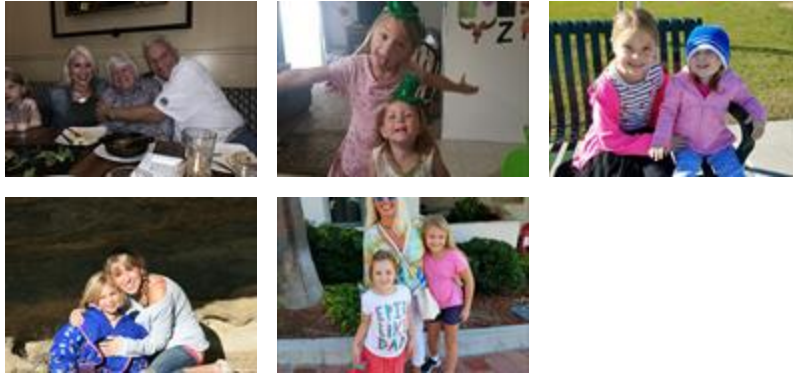
*Lori and Bud Bergeron*



Lori McCartin - January 18 at 10:52 PM

DL

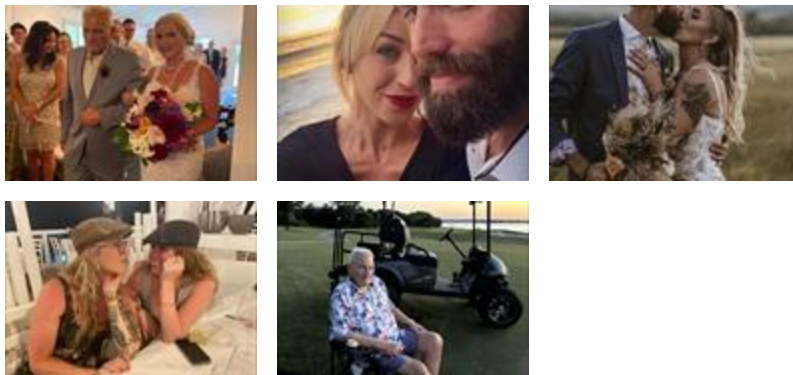
“ 30 files added to the tribute wall



Dr. Kelli Lala - January 18 at 04:57 AM

DL

“ 11 files added to the tribute wall



Dr. Kelli Lala - January 18 at 04:16 AM

RN

“ Rowie Relucio and Marco Nozicka planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John F. Curry Jr..

Rowie Relucio and Marco Nozicka - January 16 at 07:31 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. John F. Curry Jr. of Oakbrook Terrace.*



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January 16 at 07:31 AM



“ *I met John in Diamondhead, Mississippi and I know he truly loved it there. John was a great guy and I liked him right from the beginning but he could not play golf. He tried but he could not play golf. I will miss you, John Leslie Page.*

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**Leslie A Page** - January 13 at 12:51 PM



*Truth. I had Sunday 8 am tee time with JC for a dozen years. I would be partners with him and he would triple press followed by a quadruple boogie.*

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**Mat** - January 20 at 10:07 PM