



# Frank Vincent Montemurro

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**F**rank Vincent Montemurro was born in his family home during a blizzard at Capaldo, Kansas on February 6, 1925, to Rosa (Benso) and Vincenzo Montemurro. He departed this life at home on August 11, 2024, just 6 months short of his 100th birthday.

Frank was a graduate of St. Mary's high school in Pittsburg, Kansas. In 1943, Frank joined the U.S. Navy and served in the Pacific theatre aboard the U.S.S. Hilbert (DE-742) until the end of the war. He was on the Hilbert for several campaigns including the Battle of the Philippine Sea and Iwo Jima. After the war, Frank returned to Pittsburg and attended Kansas State Teachers College of Pittsburg (Pittsburg State University) obtaining a Bachelor of Science in Accounting. After graduation Frank went to work for Pittsburg Ready Mix Concrete and he worked there for over 50 years, taking ownership of the company in the 1970s. While studying at PSU, Frank met the love of his life Shirley Hofer. They were married on June 3, 1950, at St. Alice Catholic Church in Capaldo, KS. They had three children Marilyn, Tom, and Dan, and were married for 63 years until her death in 2013. Frank and Shirley loved to travel, with favorite locations being Las Vegas and Hawaii. Frank was a member of the Pittsburg American Legion Post 64.

Frank was preceded in death by his parents, his wife Shirley and son Tom and two sisters, Angeline Calhoon and Mary Neptune . Survivors include daughter Marilyn (Mike) Nelson of Gunter, TX, Dan Montemurro of Pittsburg, KS; grandchildren David (Emily) Nelson, Kelly (Amy) Nelson, Kimberly (Russ) Kimbrough, Andy (Faith) Montemurro, Bryan Montemurro, and Bethany (Jake) Lowry, along with eleven great grandchildren.

Rosary will be recited at 6 pm on Thursday, August 15, 2024 at the Bath- Naylor Funeral Home in Pittsburg. The family will receive friends after the Rosary until 7:30 pm.

Mass of Christian Burial will be 10 AM Friday August 16, 2024 at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church with Fr. Mike Simone as Celebrant. Burial will follow at the Garden of Memories Cemetery.



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Parish Condolences may be left at [www.bathnaylor.com](http://www.bathnaylor.com). Memorials may be made to Our Lady of Lourdes Memorial Fund; these may be left at or mailed to the funeral home. Services and arrangements are under the direction of Bath-Naylor Funeral home 522 S. Broadway, Pittsburg, KS 66762.



# Events

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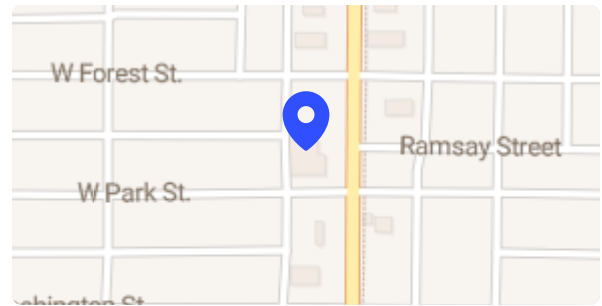
## Rosary

**Thursday**, August 15, 2024

6:00 PM CT

**Bath-Naylor Funeral Home & Crematory -  
Pittsburg**

522 S. Broadway, Pittsburg KS 66762



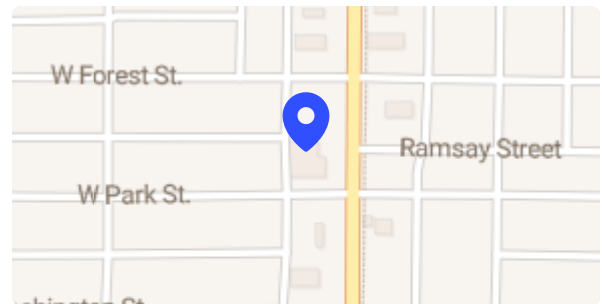
## Visitation

**Thursday**, August 15, 2024

6:30 PM - 7:30 PM CT

**Bath-Naylor Funeral Home & Crematory -  
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522 South Broadway Street, Pittsburg KS 66762



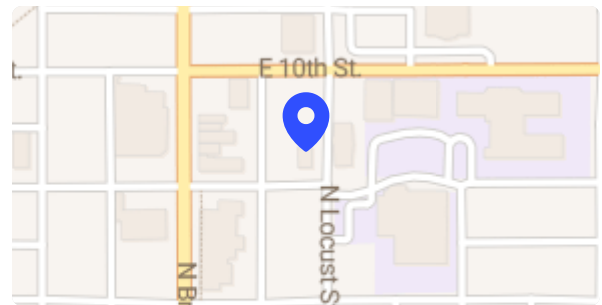
## Mass of Christian Burial

**Friday**, August 16, 2024

10:00 AM CT

**Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church**

109 E 9th St, Pittsburg KS 66762-4043

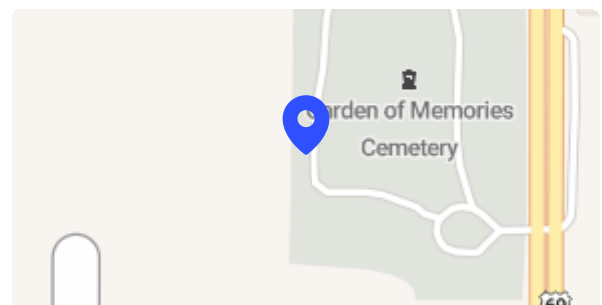


## Burial

**Friday**, August 16, 2024

**Garden of Memories**

149 S. Hwy 69, Pittsburg KS 66762





# Tribute Wall

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**Mary Buckle** lit a candle in honor of Frank.



August 15 at 4:55 PM



**Mary Buckle** August 15 at 5:17 PM

Love this man so much,so much it's hard to let him go. i'm guessing God needed you more than we did. I now know you are Sheltered in God's Loving Arms.Rest in Peace my precious friend. You will always be loved and missed.



**Sam And Kathy Fairchild** sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Montemurro family.



August 15 at 1:01 PM



**Sam And Kathy Fairchild** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Frank.



August 15 at 1:01 PM



**Charley Butler** posted:

Frank was à great guy. Was my concrete guy for years. Great sense of humor, good business man and honest & fair. Sorry to see him pass. But bet him and tommy are enjoying seeing each other. Tommy sold me my 1st house 719 w ks back when we both were working at McNally's

August 15 at 11:37 AM



**Shellie Montemurro** sent a Medium Dish Garden to the Montemurro family.



August 15 at 9:07 AM



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**Bob And Sandra Allen** sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Montemurro family.

August 14 at 9:42 AM



**Pat And Jay Yarley** sent a Blue Caribbean Bouquet to the Montemurro family.

August 14 at 9:00 AM



**Gary & Marsha Wilkinson** posted:

We have known Frank for many years. He was a wonderful man and will be missed by all who knew him. So sorry for your loss.

August 13 at 2:57 AM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Frank by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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