John T. Joseph 1939 – 1977 Buried: St. Stanislaus Cemetery, Lansdale, PA

Father: Thomas Francis Joseph, 1911 – 1957

Mother, Beatrice M, Evans Joseph 1916 - 2001

The above info was obtained from:

John T Joseph (1939-1977) - Find a Grave Memorial

The following was compiled by Larry O'Malley, Little Flower Catholic H.S. (LFCHS) class of '55.

I do remember John/Jack being in our class at the start of our freshman year and it was my first contact with a blind person. As I recall he was not outgoing - sort of meek and mild and he was always seated in the last desk in the back of a row. That was probably just for a brief time during our freshman year because I can't recall him with us in our sophomore, junior, or senior years. At that time, St. Mary's School for the Blind (7th & Lansdale Ave) was in existence. He may have been a student/resident(?) there for the elementary grades and returned after leaving LFCHS.

Also, I recall a student at. LFCHS (class of '53), Shirley Joseph, who may have been related BUT there is no mention of her in the obituary of John found on the internet, nor in the death notice found of his parents. In addition there was no mention of John as being a brother in the obituary of Shirley Joseph Phayre.

Later on, I recall encountering him maybe sometime in the late '60's as the operator of a funeral home maybe around 5th or 6th and Walnut St. in Lansdale.

Submitted by Agnes Murphy Phayre, LFCHS (class of '53)

He continued his education at Temple, and did become an undertaker. He never married. Always ready to go out to eat