

Funeral Service

Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church McPherson, Kansas Monday, April 8, 2024, at 10:00 AM

Officiant

Rev. Dale A. Dumperth

Acolyte & Crucifer Brynel Dossett

Service Music

Hymns: "Jesus Christ is Risen Today," LSB #457
"If Christ Had Not Been Raised From Death," LSB #486
"I Know That My Redeemer Lives," LSB #461
Valerie Samaniego, organist

Pallbearers

Nathan Loy Tyler Loy Jonathan Loy Ayden Loy James Schroeder Harold Hazelton

Honorary Pallbearers

Benjamin Loy Asher Loy Dean Stewart Vail Henningsen

Final Resting Place

McPherson Cemetery Military Honors conducted by American Legion Post #24 and V.F.W. Post #2715 "Taps" by Mark Casebeer, trumpet

Memorial Donations

The family suggests that memorial donations be made to Boy Scout Troop #117 or American Legion Post #24 in care of Stockham Family Funeral Home, 205 North Chestnut, McPherson, KS 67460.

Appreciation

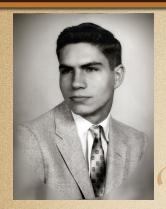
The Loy family wishes to express sincere appreciation for your prayers and kindness, evidenced in thought and deed, and for your presence at this service.

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In Loving Memory B. Wayne Loy 1942 ~ 2024

Wayne was born in Garnett, Kansas. He and his parents lived in Hutchinson and Wichita. When he was two, they moved to Independence, Missouri, where he and his sister Carol grew up. Wayne was active in the Boy Scouts and earned his Eagle Scout award. He also participated in Junior ROTC. After graduating from college and marrying Lois, he worked as an accountant for several different companies and spent 5 ½ years in the Air Force Reserve. He and Lois lived in Illinois, Missouri, and California before settling in Kansas.

Wayne loved the outdoors. Early on in his marriage, he and Lois went camping with friends. Scouting remained an important part of his life. Once his boys were old enough, he got them involved in scouting and joined the troop on numerous camping trips. He was an avid hunter and fisherman, and he tried teaching David how to clean the squirrel, rabbits, and fish that they sometimes brought home after a successful trip. Later in life he took up archery, which he also passed on to his boys. He occasionally engaged in

construction projects, including a treehouse in the backyard for Andrew.

For many years, Wayne enjoyed getting out on the weekends. He took the family to air shows, attended bluegrass festivals, and took Stephen, Jen, and Andrew to Renaissance festivals (where he tried every street food available). He frequented every swap meet and flea market in the area. He often came home with a couple of hats or a few t-shirts and said, "Only \$3. Can't go wrong!" He also began collecting eagle statues and knives. Over the years he built up a collection of eagles that rivaled Lois's collection of angels, and he was particularly proud of his collection of knives of every shape and size.

Later in life, when he was not able to get around as well, he read tons of books—mostly military fiction and woodworking magazines. He would sit in his rocker with his dog in his lap (he loved his dogs!) and eat popcorn or cheese balls or an apple. His dogs would wait patiently for the apple core he always gave them. He worried over people going in and out the front door—his kids and grandkids joke about how he regularly told them, "Shut the door!" They also remember fondly the nicknames he had for each of his family members.

Love you, Dad!

Anderellie and Rebecca, Stevie Wonder and Jenny with the light brown hair, Davy Crocket and Mary had a little lamb, and all of your grandkids.

Loving Memory

B. Wayne Loy, 82, of McPherson, KS, passed away on Tuesday, April 2, 2024, at Pleasant View Home, Inman.

Wayne was born on April 1, 1942, in Garnett, KS, the son of Brock E, and Roberta E. (Lewis) Loy. He graduated from William Chrisman High School (Independence, MO) in 1960 and received a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration degree from Central Missouri State College in 1965. On July 3, 1965, Wayne was united in marriage to Lois Aileen Wolpers in Blackburn, MO. This union was blessed with three sons, David, Stephen, and Andrew. Wayne and Lois were married for 58 years prior to Lois' passing on January 18, 2024.

Wayne served for 5 ½ years in the United States Air Force Reserve, reaching the rank of Staff Sergeant. He was an accountant for K-W Dart Truck Company, Kansas Jack, Vanguard Plastics, and Hehr Glass.

As a Boy Scout, he was awarded the Eagle Scout and inducted into the Order of the Arrow. He was a member of American Legion Post #24. He enjoyed holiday family get-togethers, camping, guns, knife collecting, fishing, hunting, archery, bluegrass music festivals, and his beloved dogs.

Survivors include his three sons, David (Mary) Loy of Irvine, CA, Stephen (Jen) Loy of Topeka, KS, and Andrew (Rebecca) Loy of McPherson, KS; and ten grandchildren, Nathan, Catherine, Jonathan, Benjamin, Tyler, Emily, Ayden, Asher, Emmalyn, and Maya.

He was preceded in death by his parents, wife, and sister, Carol Ann Fitzpatrick.