



# Frank I. Laney

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## **Frank I. Laney**

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**F**rank I. Laney, age 85 of Bridgeville, DE, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, October 31, 2018 at his home. He was born in Ridgeway, MO on September 2, 1933, son of the late Guy and Emmadine L Laney.

Frank was born in Ridgeway, MO, but moved to Kansas as a child, where he grew up and attended school. He worked on farms and cattle ranches while attending college until enlisting in the US Navy in 1951. Frank proudly served during the Korean War on the USS Wasp CV-18 aircraft carrier. Following his service of 8 years to country, he began a lifelong career in finance and banking, retiring from US Bank in 1998. Frank lived in the west and in Boise, ID for over 30 years. Prior to moving to Delaware, he also resided for 12 years in Charlestown, WV. Frank was an avid motorcycle rider since his early years and was a Life Member of the Goldwing Riders Association since 1985. He took great joy in traveling by Goldwing with his wife, Patty, across country, doing this several times via many different routes. Above all, Frank cherished the time he spent with his adoring family. He was a loving and devoted husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, brother, and friend, who will be genuinely missed by all who knew him.

In addition to his parents, Frank was preceded in death by his brothers: Donald Gene Laney and George Ray Laney. He is survived by his beloved wife of 56 years, Patricia "Patty" Laney, his sons: Don (Marge) of Reno, NV, Kim (Linda) of Pueblo, CO, Dale (Darcy) of Boise, ID, and Kurk Laney (Donna) of Bridgeville, DE; his 10 grandchildren; his 12 great-grandchildren; and his sisters: Ellen Ireland (Jerry) of Lenexa, KS and Maryiln Cawthon of Scott City, KS.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Wednesday, November 7, 2018, at 11:00 AM at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, 532 Stein Highway; Seaford, DE, where friends may call beginning at 10:00 AM. Burial will follow the Mass at Gate of Heaven Cemetery, 32112 Vines Creek Road; Dagsboro, DE. Arrangements are being handled by Parsell Funeral Homes and Crematorium, Bridgeville, DE.



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In lieu of flowers, the family suggests contributions in Frank's Memory to Our Lady of Lourdes Building Fund, c/o Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church: 532 Stein Highway; Seaford, DE 19973.

Please visit Frank's Life Memorial Webpage and sign his online guestbook at [www.parsellfuneralhomes.com](http://www.parsellfuneralhomes.com).

Please sign the online guestbook located on this site.

FLORIST NOTE: PLEASE DELIVER ALL FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS BY 11AM TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2018 TO OUR BRIDGEVILLE LOCATION.

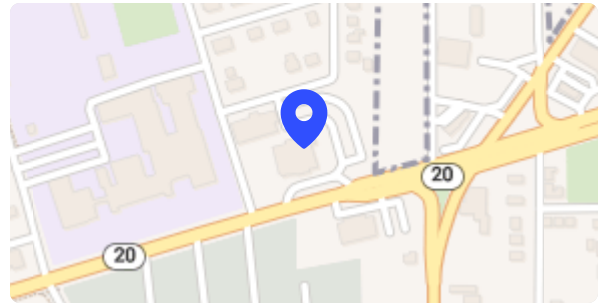


# Events

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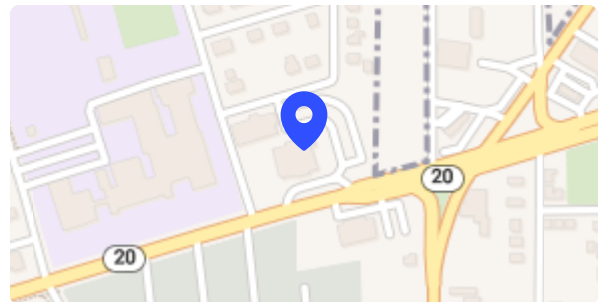
## Viewing

- Wednesday**, November 7, 2018
- 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET
- Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church**  
532 East Stein Highway, Seaford DE



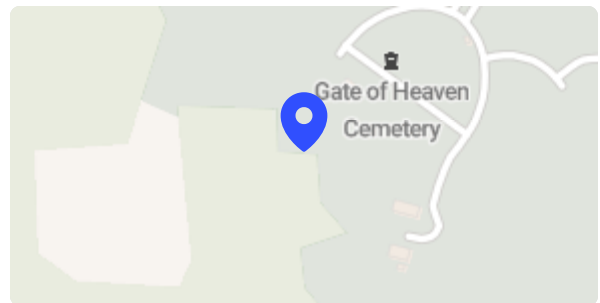
## Mass of Christian Burial

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## Burial

- Wednesday**, November 7, 2018
- Gate of Heaven Cemetery**  
32112 Vines Creek Road, Dagsboro DE





# Tribute Wall

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**Anonymous** sent a Small Garden Dish to the Laney family.



November 6 at 7:27 PM



**Steve & Sandy Henicksman** posted:

Patty, We are so sorry for your loss. Even though we have been miles apart we fondly remember all the good times that we had with you and Frank traveling on Wings of Gold. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Love Steve & Sandy Henicksman

November 6 at 6:19 PM



**Ellen Laney-Ireland** lit a candle in honor of Frank.



November 6 at 3:58 PM



**Ellen Laney-Ireland** November 6 at 4:12 PM

Miss you so much. You were always my hero, big brother. I will miss your easy smile and hearty laugh. Will never forget my memories of you. They are now my treasures. Rest in Peace, my big brother.



**Edward Semenko** posted:

As brother-laws Frank and I had a great re pore We always didn't always agree on things but we solved must of the world problems with a few drinks of our favorite beverage.He will be missed greatly.Rest in peace Brother.Sonny and Cheryl

November 6 at 10:36 AM



**Bill & Linda Smith** posted:

Patty, our hearts break for you at your loss. Linda and I met you and Frank when we purchased your beloved Gold Wing a few years ago. After visiting each other at our homes since then, we feel like we've known you for ages. We became instant friends and will remain friends forever.God Bless and look after you.Bill and Linda Smith

November 5 at 5:13 PM



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MC

**Megan Cagle** posted:

Frank will be dearly missed! Such a wonderful man and I am so happy we crossed paths. I loved seeing him every 4 weeks and listening to his stories... especially about how much he loved Callie's visits. Frank will always hold a place in heart. ❤️

November 4 at 8:55 AM

DH

**Diana Hurd** November 4 at 9:39 AM

Frank was a wonderful, kind and generous man. The love he has for his wife Patty was inspirational. He will always remain in my thoughts and heart. God bless.

LH

**Linda Heppner** posted:

I will always remember Frank. A kind man, loved my old cat Callie who spent time with Patty and Frank. I will hold dear to my heart our porch conversations with a very special gentleman. God Bless.

November 4 at 8:18 AM

LH

**Linda Heppner** lit a candle in honor of Frank.



November 4 at 7:19 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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