



John William Vogel

July 17, 1934 - March 13, 2025

John William Vogel Sr. age 90, of St. Augustine was born in Jacksonville, Florida July 17, 1934. He went to eternal rest on March 13, 2025

John was blessed to be married to Carolyn Vogel for 34 years. Together they enjoyed six children, seventeen grandchildren, and twenty great grandchildren.

John was a proud Marine veteran who served his country in the Korean War. His service lasted ten years in the Marines and three in the Air Force reserves. When he was honorably discharged from the Marines, he started a career in plumbing and owned Vogel & Sons Plumbing in Jacksonville Florida. His interest shifted to flying where he earned his private and commercial pilot licenses as well as instructor. This opened the door to owning a flight school and charter business at Craig Field Jacksonville and Flight School at St. Augustine Airport. He also flew for various private companies. John being a lifelong learner decided to focus his interest on the construction industry in St. Augustine and began building homes all over St. Johns County. Together with his son Chris, they had Village Plumbing & Construction, which is now a third-generation company for over 40 years in the St. Augustine area.

John enjoyed many hobbies throughout his life including flying, stock car racing and classic car collecting and restoration. He could fix anything and liked to collect and restore classic cars in his later years. He also served as a Shriner and transported patients from Jacksonville area to Tampa for hospital care at the Shriners hospital. John was a member of the South Jacksonville

church of Christ and then Julington Creek church of Christ at his passing. He loved God deeply and his faith was evident to all who knew him from the smile on his face that radiated from his inner soul.

John is survived by his wife Carolyn and four children; sons, Johnny Vogel Jr. (Lisa), Robert Vogel, Chris Vogel (Julie); daughter, Joyce Robinson (Michael). Two stepchildren, Michael (Monica) Jones and Lorrie Jones. Sixteen grandchildren; Jennifer, Stephanie, Matthew, Luke, Joshua, Robert, Brett, Mark, Cason, Cara, Hannah, Meagan, Adam, Alexandra, Kyle, and Jake. Nineteen great grandchildren; Gavin, Emma, Logan, Conner, Max, Maeve, Violet, Grey, Rosella, Caitlyn, Ava, Everly, Mazian, Mason, Lucas, Chase, Benjamin, Elijah, and Arden.

In addition to his immediate family, he has three siblings, Russell Vogel, Carol Foster, Lorraine Leitner, and numerous family members in the St. Augustine area.

He was preceded in death by his late wife Shirley Ponce Vogel of 35 years, his parents Clayton Vogel and Lorine Fowler. Also, great grandson Brandon Kendall and granddaughter Chelsey Robinson.

Flowers are gratefully accepted or donations can be made to Bailey Family Center for Caring Community Hospice of Southeast Florida.

Funeral services will be held at 11 am at St. Johns Family Funeral Home & Crematory on Friday, March 21, 2025. Visitation will be 10:00 -11:00 a.m.

Burial will be at Sampson Cemetery with military honors.

Those unable to attend may view a live stream of the service by going to:

<https://iframe.dacast.com/live/2a7a09ae1c0559a83ef537e05e6a14a6/2aae7d5f-98fd-a9e6-32a7-b774547cf42c>.

Flowers are greatly appreciated or memorial contributions can be made to The Bailey Center Hospice at:

<https://www.communityhospice.com/info-for/donors/bailey-family-center-for-caring>.

Cemetery Details

Sampson Cemetery

C.R. 210
St. Augustine, FL

Previous Events

Public Viewing

MAR 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

ST JOHNS FAMILY FUNERAL HOME
385 State Rd 207
St. Augustine, FL 32084

Funeral Service

MAR 21. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *St. Johns Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of John William Vogel*



St. Johns Family Funeral Home - March 18, 2025 at 02:14 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



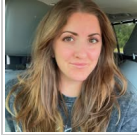
Meagan West - March 20, 2025 at 09:18 AM



“ *America the Beautiful was purchased for the family of John William Vogel.*



March 20, 2025 at 08:45 AM



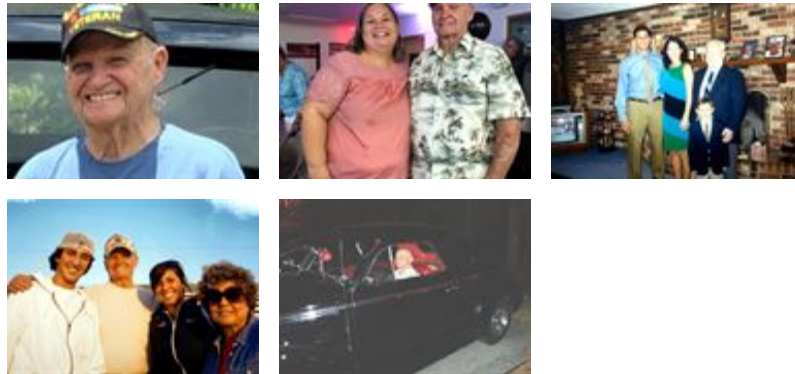
“ *Four Generations of Vogel Men* ❤️



Lydia Vogel - March 19, 2025 at 05:59 PM



“ *100 files added to the album LifeTributes*



St. Johns Family Funeral Home - March 18, 2025 at 01:56 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John William Vogel.*



March 17, 2025 at 10:08 PM

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“ Kathy ary purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of John William Vogel.



Kathy ary - March 14, 2025 at 03:35 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of John William Vogel.



March 14, 2025 at 12:51 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of John William Vogel.

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“ Dear Vigel family, I want you to know how much Jack and I loved brother John. We only knew him a few years, but he and Jack had common interests of Marine Corp and flying and shared a few laughs. We loved his big hugs and warm smiles. May he rest peacefully now and wait for his great reward.

Helen Frost - March 14, 2025 at 10:43 AM