



## John Wilson Vance III

June 25, 1951 - August 18, 2018

John Wilson Vance III, 67, of Chanute, KS, passed away at his home on August 18, 2018. He was born in Belleville, IL to John Vance, Jr. and Etta Jane (Hisey) on June 25, 1951. John graduated from Toronto, KS. He married the love of his life, Connie Sue (Ferguson) in Buffalo, KS on December 3, 1967 and they celebrated 50 years of marriage. She survives at their home.

John was a loving husband, dad, and grandpa. He worked as an electrician and as a machine operator in cabinet construction. He loved watching the Kansas City Chiefs and NASCAR, and enjoyed hunting. Watching his grandson's race and his granddaughter play softball were two of his favorite pastimes.

Survivors include:

Wife:

Connie Vance of their home

Children:

Clint Vance and wife, Karen, of Chanute, KS

Marsha Stipp and husband, Shawn, of Chanute, KS

Siblings:

Darel Stuart and wife, Vickie, of Glen Elder, KS

Eddie Stuart of Texas

Shelly Stuart of Texas

Grandchildren:

Ethan and Cayden Vance

Ashlyn and Trey Stipp

Cousin:

Marsha Nieswender and husband, Robert, of Topeka, KS

John was preceded in death by his parents and daughter, Melissa Marie Vance.

A visitation will be held at Countryside Funeral Home – Gibson Chapel in Chanute, KS on Tuesday, August 21, 2018 from 5-7:00 p.m. A service will be held on Wednesday, August 22, 2018 at Gibson Chapel at 2:00 p.m.

Cremation will follow. Online condolences may be left at: [www.countrysidefh.com](http://www.countrysidefh.com). Memorials have been suggested to Michelle's Angels Relay for Life and may be left with or mailed to the funeral home. Services have been entrusted to: Countryside Funeral Home 16 N. Forest, Chanute, KS 66720.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG **21**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Countryside Funeral Home - Gibson Chapel  
16 N. Forest  
Chanute, KS 66720  
(620) 431-2660  
<https://www.countrysidefh.com>

## Service

AUG **22**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

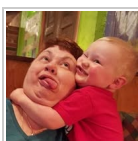
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“ *Connie and family. Sorry to hear about the your loss of John. Sue and I had a lot good times with you and John. Are thoughts and prayers are with you. Sue & Dan Clifford*



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**sue & dan clifford** - August 23, 2018 at 08:26 PM



“ *Connie & family,*

*I am so sorry for the loss of John. He will be missed by so many, but you guys most of all.*

*Hugs & Prayers to all of you.*

*LOVE YA*

*Kathy (Umbarger) Sehorn*

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**Kathy Umbarger Sehorn** - August 22, 2018 at 06:47 PM

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“ *Dane, Marla, & Trey Wilson lit a candle in memory of John Wilson Vance III*



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**Dane, Marla, & Trey Wilson** - August 22, 2018 at 10:48 AM

MN

“ *Butch, my special brother, I love you so much. My goodness we sure were rotten. I'm glad that it wasn't you that shot me in the belly button with the bb gun. We had such a great time at the farm. We were ornery ones. I have memories ... I will treasure you and our memories for as long as I live. I know you are walking with Jesus now and that's really comforting for me. Until we meet again. I love you.*

*Sr.*

*Thank you for my namesake. I love her too. Nothing else for now.  
R.I.P.*

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**Marsha Neiswender** - August 21, 2018 at 11:05 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of John Wilson Vance III.*



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August 21, 2018 at 11:16 AM



“ *Connie and family...I am saddened by this news! I love you all very much and hope I can see you sometime soon. John and Jack are having a good time...together! My thoughts are with you all! (Jeanne Riley)*

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**Jeanne Archambeault** - August 21, 2018 at 10:31 AM

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“ Rex and i are so very sorry for your loss. We will miss seeing him at the races. We send our prayers for you and your family in this difficult time.

*Cindy and Rex Phillips*

Rex - August 21, 2018 at 10:19 AM

TM

“ Connie, so sorry to hear this. John and you hold a special place in my heart. I cannot believe you didn't post his love of rasslin LOL. Prayers for peace and understanding and comfort during this time.

*Terry "Tank" Myer*

Terry Myer - August 20, 2018 at 07:49 PM



“ Our hearts are heavy for your loss of John. You are in our thoughts and prayers that the Lord will give you the strength to help you through this. Bill has wonderful memories of their hunting trips together. John is now in peace.

Susan Mitchell - August 20, 2018 at 06:58 PM



“ Susan Mitchell sent a virtual gift in memory of John Wilson Vance III



Susan Mitchell - August 20, 2018 at 06:50 PM



“ *Susan Mitchell lit a candle in memory of John Wilson Vance III*



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**Susan Mitchell** - August 20, 2018 at 06:48 PM



“ *Connie I am so sorry. I loved when you and John would come into the office to get deer tags.*

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**Teresa Frydendall** - August 20, 2018 at 05:53 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John Wilson Vance III.*



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August 20, 2018 at 04:36 PM



“ *I worked with John for many years! He was a wonderful friend and co-worker. He loved his family as big as life. Connie and Marsha I cannot imagine your grief. My heart is very heavy, John was always very good to me. My thoughts and prayers are with you and the entire family..*

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**Pat Barnhart** - August 20, 2018 at 03:45 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of John Wilson Vance III.*



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August 20, 2018 at 10:24 AM