

Thomas Lee Wright

January 11, 1945 - January 5, 2024

Mass of Christian Burial

Friday, January 12, 2024 2:00 p.m.

Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church

China, Texas

Processional

“La Grace du Ciel” by Les Amies Louisianaises

GATHERING RITE

GREETING AND BLESSING OF THE BODY

As a reminder of Thomas’ Baptism, his casket has been sprinkled with Baptismal water. Then, a pall, recalling the white garment of his Baptism, is placed on the casket.

“If we have died with Christ, we are also to live with Christ in glory.”

Opening Prayer

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading

Wisdom 3:1-9

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 51

Response: *“Eternal rest, O Lord, and your perpetual light.”*

Second Reading

Romans 6:3-9

Gospel Acclamation

Gospel Reading

Homily

Prayer of the Faithful

Response: *“Lord, hear our prayer.”*

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Preparation of the Gifts

Eucharistic Acclamations Holy, Holy, Holy
Mystery of Faith
Great Amen

Communion Rite The Lord's Prayer
Sign of Peace
Lamb of God

Communion *"One Bread, One Body"*

Meditation

Prayer After Communion

FINAL COMMENDATION

Invitation of Prayer

Song of Farewell:

PRESIDER: Saints of God, come to his aid. Hasten to meet him angels of the Lord.

ASSEMBLY: RECEIVE HIS SOUL AND PRESENT HIM TO GOD THE MOST HIGH.

PRESIDER: May Christ, who called you, take you to Himself, and may the angels lead you to the bosom of Abraham.

ASSEMBLY: RECEIVE HIS SOUL AND PRESENT HIM TO GOD THE MOST HIGH.

PRESIDER: Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him.

ASSEMBLY: RECEIVE HIS SOUL AND PRESENT HIM TO GOD THE MOST HIGH.

Prayer of Commendation

PROCESSION TO PLACE OF COMMITTAL

Recessional

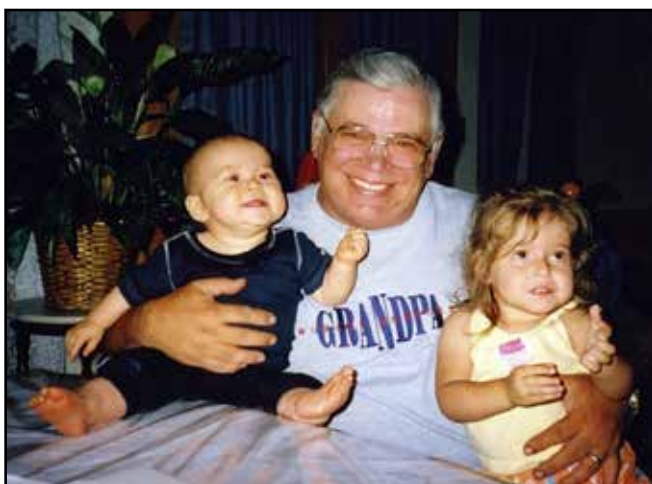
"Go Rest High on That Mountain"

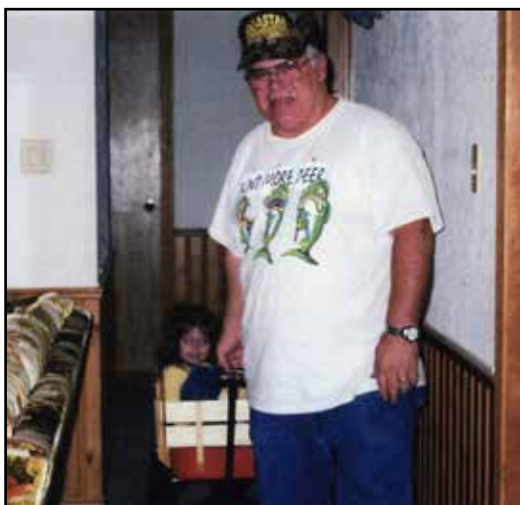


Thomas Lee Wright, 78, of Beaumont, died Friday, January 5, 2024. He was born on January 11, 1945, to Freda Jagneaux Wright and Wilson Joseph Wright, in Beaumont. Thomas was a 4th Degree member of Knights of Columbus Council 14473 in China.

Survivors include his wife, Delta M. Wright; daughter, Stephanie M. Wright-Estes of Kingwood, Denise K. Barrera and her husband, Juan, and Christina L. Wright, all of Beaumont; and grandchildren, Maddison E. Barrera of Beaumont, Garrett J. Estes of Kingwood, Maegan M. Barrera and Gianna R. Mastroti, both of Beaumont.

He is preceded in death by his daughters, Pamela A. Wright and Margaret L. Wright; as well as his parents and brother, Rayford W. Wright; sister, Deborah Mathew; and grandparents, Oscar and Lena Wright.









**Dedicated in Honor of
Sir Knight Thomas L. Wright
Former Beaumont Diocesan Deputy**



Thomas L. Wright is both an accomplished father and grandfather and also a Fourth Degree member of the Knights of Columbus. Thomas is the father of five children and grandfather to four grandchildren.

As a member of the Knights of Columbus in the Third Degree, he was appointed District Deputy for three years and an Assistant Diocesan Deputy for two years.

Thomas also served as a Diocesan Deputy for the Beaumont Diocese for six years in this capacity under the leadership of the following State Deputies – Tony Herreth, Javier Martinez, Jim Collins and Terry Simonten.

As a Fourth Degree member, Thomas served eight years (two separate terms) as the Faithful Navigator for the St. Martin Assembly #1139 in Winnie, Texas. In that capacity, he was instrumental in organizing past Fourth Degree Exemplifications in Vidor and Winnie.

He is a strong supporter of Special Olympics and helped in its many functions including fundraising activities for ten years. He also participated in the fundraising effort that helped provide an ultra sound machine to Hope Clinic in an ongoing effort to end abortion.









Celebrant	Reverend Joseph Kattakkara, C.M.I.
Placing of the Pall	Maddison Barrera, Maegan Barrera, Gianna Mastroti, Cossette Trahan
Gift Bearers	Maddison Barrera, Maegan Barrera, Gianna Mastroti
Lectors	Ida Soileau and Cossette Trahan
Pallbearers	Juan Barrera, Garrett Estes, Doug Mathew, Shelton Broussard, Alton Terro, Dwayne J. Wright

Interment

Forest Lawn Memorial Park
Beaumont, Texas

Memorial Contributions

Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church
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**“Never let anything so fill you with sorrow
that you forget the joy of the resurrection.”**

Mother Teresa

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Please sign Mr. Wright's guest book and share your memories at
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