

## **THOMPSON, JOHN PATRICK**

### Birth

January 25, 1962 in Des Moines,  
Iowa



### Death

November 26, 2012 in Des Moines,  
Polk Co., Iowa

### Cause of Death

They changed his defibrillator battery and couldn't get it to going again so the heart just couldn't work.

### Cemetery Lot

Buried on Lot 177, space 5 of lot owned by Robert Burch

### Father

LeRoy Julane Thompson

### Mother

Frances Mary Burch

### Obituary

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John Thompson  
West Des Moines

John Thompson, 50, passed away November 26, 2012. A funeral service will be held Friday, November 30 at 1 p.m. at Brooks Funeral Care, 7975 University Blvd, Clive. Visitation will be Thursday from 5 to 7 p.m. at the funeral chapel.

John was born January 25, 1962 in Des Moines. He is survived by his mother, Fran Thompson; siblings: Robert Thompson, Steve (Mariahelda) Thompson, Mark Thompson, David Thompson, and Mary (Richard) Overton; son, Christian Thompson; and many nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his father, LeRoy Thompson.

John was a big part of many lives and he will be missed by all.

Arrangements handled by  
Brooks Funeral Care

From the Memorial Card

Celebrating a Life

John Patrick Thompson

Entered into Life

January 25, 1962 ~ Des Moines, Iowa

Entered into Eternal Life

November 26, 2012 ~ Des Moines, Iowa

Funeral Mass

1 p.m., Friday, November 30, 2012

Brooks Funeral Care ~ University Chapel

Celebrant

Father Michael Hess ~ Sacred Heart Catholic Church

Musical Selections

"Amazing Grace" ~ "On Eagles Wings"

Pallbearers

Mike Burch, Brandon DeBord, Shane Peacock, Todd McBurney,  
Justin McBurney and Jordan McBurney

Honorary Pallbearers

Jim Burch and Zachary Peacock

Interment

Pleasant Ridge Cemetery ~ Orilla, Iowa

Verse

Afterglow

I'd like the memory of me

To be a happy one,

I'd like to leave an afterglow

Of smiles when life is done.

I'd like to leave an echo

Whispering softly down the ways,

Of happy times and laughing  
Times and bright and sunny days.  
I'd like the tears of those who grieve, to dry before the sun  
Of happy memories that I leave  
When Life is done.

John passed away at 50 years, 10 months and 1 day.