



# Rev. Deacon Franklin Sumner Kohlhund

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**R**ev. Deacon Franklin Sumner Kohlhund, 90, of DeRidder, LA, passed from this life on Tuesday, September 18, 2018 in DeRidder, LA. Sumner, the son of Franklin Butler and Grace (McDonough) Kohlhund was born on November 3, 1927, in Audubon, New Jersey.

Rosary services will be held Friday, September 21, 2018, at 9:30 AM, at the St. Joseph's Catholic Church in DeRidder, LA, Mass will start at 10:00 AM, with Father Jude Brunnert, M.S. and Monsignor Danny Torres officiating. Reception will immediately follow at Kern Hall.

Sumner was a deacon at St. Joseph's Catholic Church for 40 years. He performed numerous weddings, baptisms, and funerals. Other services he provided include catechism instruction, visitation of the sick and shut in.

Many will remember Mr. Kohlhund from his service to DeRidder High School band boosters as well as his volunteer work at K.R. Hanchey Elementary.

He was a United State Navy veteran, serving at Naval Air Station, North Island, Coronado, CA.

Left to cherish his memory are his beloved wife of 71 years, Evelyn; five daughters, Karen Howsley and husband, Mike of DeRidder, LA, Candy Cox and husband, Ralph of Vernon, TX, Kathy Hainley and husband, Joe of DeRidder, Elizabeth Kohlhund of Thibodaux, LA, Maria Sanchez and husband, Randy of DeRidder; 16 grandchildren; 28 great grandchildren; and 2 great-great grandchildren.

Preceded in death by his parents, Franklin Butler and Grace (McDonough) Kohlhund, and brother, David Kohlhund.

Honorary Pallbearers will be three generations of his grandchildren.



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In lieu of flowers, the family request donations to St. Joseph's Religious Education Fund.



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GC

**Glenn Cahilly** posted:

~ Glenn Cahilly, Breinigsville, Pennsylvania

September 13 at 7:00 PM

AS

**Angela Schoenfeld** posted:

I was so sorry to hear of the passing of Deacon Kohlhund. He visited my family's home many times when my father was ill. He was so kind and considerate. My family appreciated how he went beyond the call to officiate at my father's funeral. Deacon Kohlhund will be greatly missed at St. Joseph's Church. My deepest sympathy goes out to his family.

October 3 at 7:00 PM

CC

**Celia Crull** posted:

I am so sorry to hear that Mr. Sumner has passed. I still remember his wonderful backyard and bird sanctuary. My prayers are with Ms. Evelyn, Elizabeth and family.

September 22 at 7:00 PM

SM

**Sharon Moore** posted:

May God bless you and be with you and your family during this time of sorrow and the days yet to come. My thoughts and prayers are with you each and every day!

September 21 at 7:00 PM

BG

**Bill Green** posted:

So sorry for your loss. The time we spent together with the DeRidder band will always be the best I have ever known.

September 19 at 7:00 PM

CM

**Christine Mcnamara** posted:

In loving memory of a wonderful second dad. I will love you and miss you always.

September 18 at 7:00 PM



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JA

**Janice Austin** posted:

You walked quietly into that new life having spent the one on this plain honoring your love family and community. Thank you for the example you have shown the hard work and lessons taught.

September 18 at 7:00 PM

WF

**Williams Family** posted:

GOD BE WITH YOU IN YOUR LOSS

September 18 at 7:00 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Deacon by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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