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Thomas Urban Leuschen, Sr., 63

March 26, 1944 - Jan. 14, 2008

FLOWER MOUND, TX — Thomas Urban Leuschen, Sr. died at his home, surrounded by his family, in Flower Mound, TX, on January 14, 2008, after a courageous battle with cancer. Tom was born on March 26, 1944, to Urban and Anna Mae (Blum) Leuschen. He spent his childhood in Panama, IA. He received his Bachelor's Degree in Civil Engineering in 1966 and his Master's Degree in Transportation Engineering in 1968 from Iowa State University. He was licensed by the National Society of Professional Engineers. Tom began his career in Washington, DC. After holding positions in Chicago, Omaha, Houston, and Dallas, he concluded his professional career as the Manager

of the Capital Projects Division for the Transportation Development Group for the City of Fort Worth. Tom was a long-time member of St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church in Grapevine, TX.

Tom was preceded in death by his father, Urban M. Leuschen. Tom will be greatly missed by Kathy, his loving wife of 41 years, his sons Cal and his wife Diane, Chris and his wife Marti, Carl and his wife Marci, and Tom and his wife Jenny, and his grandchildren Joe, Katie Beth, Will and Jacob. Tom is also survived by his mother Anna Mae Leuschen of Harlan, IA, and by his brother and sister-in-law Nick and Barb Leuschen of Norfolk, NE.

Tom's family and friends celebrated his life with a memorial service at 1:00 pm on Saturday, January 19, 2008, at J. E. Foust & Son Funeral Home, 523 Main Street in Grapevine, TX. Tom will be laid to rest at a later date next to his father in Harlan, IA. Friends who so desire may make donations to the American Cancer Society or to St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church in Grapevine, TX.

J.E. Foust & Son
Funeral Home
523 Main Street
Grapevine, TX