

Colesville, Md., Joe Scanlon and Jim Scanlon, both of Jackson, and Ashton Scanlon of Corona, Calif.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 tonight at the Cathedral of St. Peter the Apostle, with a vigil service at 7 p.m. A Mass will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday at the cathedral, with burial in Greenwood Cemetery.

The family prefers memorials to one's local parish church or as Mass offerings.

Wright and Ferguson Funeral Home in Jackson is in charge of arrangements.

### **The Rev. John M. Scanlon**

■ The Rev. John M. Scanlon, 69, of Jackson, died Friday, June 16, 1995, in Jackson.

The Rev. Scanlon was a Catholic priest and a native of Jackson. He was a graduate of St. Joseph's High School in Jackson, a graduate of St. Joseph's Seminary at St. Benedict, La., and Notre Dame Seminary in New Orleans. He was ordained a priest on June 9, 1951, and received the title of the Rev. Monsignor. His first assignment in 1951 as a priest was as assistant pastor of Nativity BVM Cathedral in Biloxi.

In 1955, he was made principal of St. Joseph's High School in Jackson and was priest in charge of St. Michael Church in Forrest. In 1967, he was pastor of St. Patrick Church in Meridian and in 1971 he was pastor of St. Stephen Church in Magee and pastor of St. Clare's in Waveland.

He was preceded in death by his parents, William J. and Melanie Hart Scanlon.

Survivors include two sisters, Miriam Lutze of Santa Maria, Calif., and Melanie Foster of Houston, Texas; and four brothers, Bill Scanlon of

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