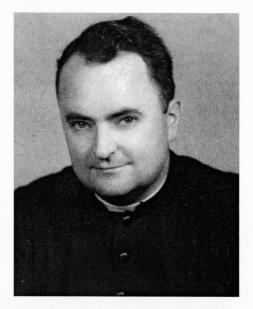
## Legacy Project

## December 11th

## **Brother John George Quigley, C.S.C.**

born: 17 November 1916

died: 11 December 2003



John was born in East Cleveland, Ohio. He attended elementary school and went to Shaw High School. He earned a Bachelor's Degree in Business at Niagara University. When World War II began, John entered the Army and rose to the rank of staff sergeant, serving in the European Theater until 1945. He returned home and went into business for himself as the proprietor of an auto court. He also worked as a machine operator and field clerk for construction firms. Sensing a religious vocation, at the age of 36, John entered the prenovitiate program and was professed in 1953. John's first teaching assignment was for 2 years at St. Edward's High in Austin, Texas. He then taught at Cathedral in Indianapolis, and for 11 years in Monroe. In 1968 he began a lengthy and productive career of 35 years of teaching and service at St. Edward High in Lakewood. The last 15 years of his tenure was in retirement, but he continued to be available for many kinds of work in the school. John compensated for his short stature with an always ready combination of Irish wit and wisdom. His congeniality was legendary. There was very little that could distort his placid, smiling personality.

"A glad heart lights up the face, for a lighthearted man has a continual feast -- Proverbs 15:13

"The way to be happy is to make others so."

-- Robert Ingersoll