

Roy George Matheikal Goes To His Eternal Home

Roy George, Matheikal, Arikuzha breathed his last at 18.15 hrs on 16 Oct 2026 and belongs to the Matheikal Tharawad Branch, his grand parents being Varkey Joseph aka Varkey Iype, also known as Kochapu and Rosa and Parents Iype George and Thressiamma George.



George Roy, born August 14, 1967, was into agribusiness and married Shanty D/o Joseph and Thressiamma of Thottumkal from Payyavoor. Roy and Shanty have two children - Teena and Nevin. Roy and Shanty resided in their ancestral home in Arikuzha.

Born to Iype George (1924-2003) and Thressiamma daughter of Thomas of Thottungal family from Nediakad, Thodupuzha, Roy is survived by wife Shanty, children Teena and Nevin and Nine siblings - Jose (1956), Mary (Molly 1957), Thomas (Tomy 1960), George (1962), Rosely (1964), Jessy (Anna 1965), Kochuthressia (Rani 1970), Lisa (Brigit 1971), Alphonsa (Tenzy 1974) and remains the largest Matheikal Family among his generation.

Excerpts from the Matheikal Family Journal

Grand Parents : M4250 Varkey Iype Matheikal Arikuzha

Varkey Joseph aka Varkey Iype, also known as Kochapu and Ros of Alappattu Aarikuzha, Kochapu is the youngest son of Chacko Varkey and Mariam of Matheikal Tharawad Branch. Kochapu married Rosa, daughter of Varghese of Alappattu (Knakuzhy) family in Arikuzha. Kochapu had one sister and two brothers - Mariam, married to Kuriako son of Chacko of Pulparambil family from Kalloorkad, Vazhakulam; and brothers Varkey Ulahannan (1898-1919), Varkey Kuriakose (1900-1983) - born

M4250 Varkey Iype Matheikal Arikuzha . Varkey Joseph aka Varkey Iype, also known as Kochapu, the youngest son of Chacko Varkey and Mariam, married Rosa, daughter of Varghese of Alappattu (Knakuzhy) family in Arikuzha and settled in Alappattu (Knakuzhy).

Iype and Rosa have 2 children - George and Mary. Iype died in 1930. George and Mary were looked after by their grandmother Rosa.

Mary was married to Xavier of Thurutthumalil family from Mannanam and has 6 children - Jose, George, Mercy, Rani and Philo and Jessy. Mary passed away on July 14, 1987. Jessy passed away in 1979.

Mercy, the eldest of the daughters, joined the religious order of Daughters of Mary. Rani and Philo are married and settled. Jose, who was headmaster of Shobana English Medium School, Kothamangalam has a son and is no more. George, the youngest son is settled with his family in Malabar.

Parents: M4250 Iype George Matheckal Arikuzha and Thressiamma Thottungal, Nediakad.

Iype George (1924-2003), the only son of Varkey Iype and Rosa, is married to Thressiamma daughter of Thomas of Thottungal family from Nediakad, Thodupuzha and has ten children - Jose (1956), Mary (Molly 1957), Thomas (Tomy 1960), George (1962), Rosely (1964), Jessy (Anna 1965), Kochuthressia (Rani 1970), Roy (Emmanuel 1967), Lisa (Brigit 1971), Alphonsa (Tenzy 1974).

Iype George (1924) passed away on 11th September 2003 and Thressiamma passed away on 1st December, 2012. Both Iype George and Thressiamma were bed-ridden for more than a year prior to their passing away.

The family of Iype George is known to be an abode of love, prayer and learning. Iype George was known to be actively engaged in family apostolate activities.

Excerpts from Bed Time Stories on Iype George (1924-2003) and Family

PIN A777 Matheckal Alappatt Knakuzhy -MMT Arikuzha

“Where the Triune of Love Spirituality and Knowledge Shaped Destinies”

Iype George was primarily an agriculturist who was a master of the profession. Reading was his other passion. His collection of over 4000 books covering Malayalam and World Literature, Psychology, Religion, Philosophy, Agriculture and Spirituality is legendary.

George and his spouse Thresiamma from Thottumkal family provided riches of a different kind to their ten children - riches of wisdom, knowledge, love and spiritual values and constantly encouraged them to strive for high learning and simple living and to be in sync with the family and surroundings steering clear of the various social malaises that prevail around.

In the true tradition of Matheckal Kudumbam, George and Thresiamma involved all their children in all the activities of daily living and trained them to strive for better living through hard work. It is a matter of admiration that the environment in the family of George and Thresiamma sparkled with vitality and spirit of infectious happiness and joy all around. That spark of happiness one can see in each and every child of George and Thresiamma wherever they are. It is sheer joy to meet any one of them - they spread happiness and radiate contentment in what state they are in and in what they do and wherever they are.

The family of George and Thresiamma is known to be loving and affectionate to all and the neighbourhood very much like other Matheckal families.

