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SEATTLE, Wash. — A funeral mass for Robert E. McHugh Jr., 53, a senior aeronautics engineer for the Boeing Co. and a former Sedalian who died Dec. 7, was read at St. Mark's Catholic Church here Dec. 11.

Burial was in Seattle.

Mr. McHugh was born in Sedalia and studied at the University of Missouri, graduating in civil engineering from Washington University.

Survivors include his wife, Mary, of the home; two daughters, Theresa Shaw, Seattle; Margaret McHugh, a student in Brussels, Belgium; three sons, Gregory J., Timothy G. and Robert E. McHugh III, all of Seattle; his mother, Mrs. Robert E. McHugh, Port Townsend, Wash.; two sisters and a brother. He was the nephew of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Case, 700 South Carr, Sedalia.

Requiem Mass for Robert E. McHugh, Jr., 53, a senior aeronautics engineer for The Boeing Co., was said today in St. Mark's Catholic Church.

Mr. McHugh, who had worked for Boeing since 1953, died in a hospital Saturday after a long illness. A former civil engineer, he was a member of the research team which designed the new Tacoma Narrows Bridge. He also had been a research engineer for the University of Washington.

Born in Sedalia, Mo., he studied at the University of Missouri and graduated in civil engineering from the U. W. He also received a master's degree from the university. He was a member of Sigma Xi, science honorary.

Survivors include his wife, Mary; two daughters, Theresa Shaw, of Seattle, and Margaret McHugh, a student in Brussels, Belgium; three sons, Gregory J., Timothy G. and Robert E. McHugh, the 3rd, all of Seattle; his mother, Mrs. Robert E. McHugh, of Port Townsend; two sisters, Alice Edwards, of Port Townsend, and Kathleen Larison, of Vict. Okla. and a brother, Charles, of Delevan, Wis.

The family suggests remembrances to the Washington Lung Association, 216 Broadway E., Seattle, 98102.

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