



Steven "Steve" Forrest James

December 22, 1959 - December 1, 2020

Steven "Steve" F. James Age 60 of Cedar Hill, MO.

Steven Forrest James was born on December 22, 1959 in St. Louis MO the third child to the union of the late Joe Edward and Verlee (Roberds) James. He was preceded in death by his brothers, Mitchell and Carl "Peanuts".

Steve was educated in the Hazelwood School District and Graduated from North County Tech. He accepted Christ as his Savior while attending Morse Mill Baptist Church. He later married the love of his life Cheri L. Haley on January 26, 1990. To this union his daughter Victoria (John) Christiansen was born.

He was employed by McDonnell Douglas/Boeing as a Sheetmetal Fabricator.

Steve "Big Steve" was a delight to be around. He could talk all day long about his passion for cars and had many stories about "burning rubber" with his GTO and his Volkswagon GTI. He loved his CB talk and his music. He was very charming and could light up a room when he stepped into it. He could do anything, work on cars, build a house, electrical, plumbing and on and on.

He leaves cherish his loving memory; his loving wife Cheri, his daughter Victoria, granddaughters; Haley and Hannah, step-daughters, Tarae Skurat

and Deidre Mercer and 8 grandchildren with 2 great grandchildren; his Sister, Belinda Milan, Uncle; Jim Roberds, Aunt; Alice Viehman and host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and many dear friends and of course, his beloved wiener dogs.

Steve will be deeply missed.

Due to the pandemic flowers are ask to be restricted to direct family delivery only (Please call first), donations may be made to a charity of your choice.

Cemetery Details

Chapel Hill Cemetery

6300 MO-30
Cedar Hill, MO 63016

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 5. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Morse Mill Baptist Church
6955 State Road B
Morse Mill, MO 63023

Limited Attendance Funeral Service

DEC 5. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

MM

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Michael Glen Miller - November 18, 2023 at 07:05 PM

MM

“ Michael Glen Miller lit a candle in memory of Steven "Steve" Forrest James



Michael Glen Miller - November 18, 2023 at 07:03 PM



“ Healing & Hope Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Steven "Steve" Forrest James.



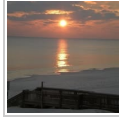
December 06, 2020 at 09:11 PM



“ Paulette Worley lit a candle in memory of Steven "Steve" Forrest James



Paulette Worley - December 04, 2020 at 09:44 PM



My dear Steven, this world was better with you in it. Last time I saw you was at the Deli here at the lake. Rip God Bless you and your family

Paulette Worley - December 04, 2020 at 09:47 PM

KM

“ Uncle Steven, from spending summers at your house riding four wheelers and going to six flags, having bomb fires, cutting grass in the summer together, driving in fast cars. Helping me get through high school, helping me get on the right the track and always giving me positive advice. You never judged or looked down on anyone. You were truly one of a kind. Could call you anytime of the day or night and you would answer. Enjoyed our time together as I was younger and til now. You will always hold a special place in my heart forever. Love ya dj unk!



kevin milan - December 03, 2020 at 08:39 PM

KM

“ Kenneth G. McGhee lit a candle in memory of Steven "Steve" Forrest James



Kenneth G. McGhee - December 03, 2020 at 04:10 PM

VJ

“ *Dad, I miss you so much already. Even though we knew you were going I still can't wrap my mind around the fact that you're really gone. I will cherish our last weeks together. We had some good times hanging out and getting our weenie pups. Listening to all of our music is helping me get through. Miss you, I know you're not suffering anymore which puts me and mom at peace. I'll love you forever, ❤️ Gobbles*

Victoria James - December 03, 2020 at 02:16 PM

CR

“ There are too many memories to mention. But here are a few of them. Having the same school teacher in the third grade and having to spend a lot of time in the hallway in front of the Principal office. (Bad Boys) Having to write a few hundreds times we will not talk in class or acted up in class. From show and tell in class and you knew Steven A.K.A. Beaver would be bringing and talking about his Turtle or Turtles. We lose contact for a few years until we see each other at Super America when we started to drive. We met again at Mcdonald's at Cross Keys, He has his GTO and i had my Chevelle. He was so excited about his car he had to give me an ride in it and i had to return a favor. Then we had to see who was faster and we raced on Hwy 270, i had a right front tire that blew out when we were racing and i seen him fly by me. A few minutes later he pulled up behind me to see if i needed any help to change my tire. We did a lot of hanging out at scotty and cruising the St. louis area. He was the Chauffeur for my wife and i wedding night in his Brown Cadillac. His Proudest moments were getting his GTO, Getting Married, working for Boeing Aircraft, him and Cheri having their daughter Vicky and becoming a Grandpa to all of his Grandkids. I can go for hours writing about our memories, like we talked on the phone for hours. To my brother from a different mother, my family and i will miss u. To Cheri, Vicky, step daughters, grandsons, granddaughters and Belinda and the rest of the family. I'm truly sorry for your loss and may God be with u. He will be missed by all that knew him. R.I.P. Beaver



Curtis P. Rodery - December 01, 2020 at 11:53 PM

PM

I remember a float trip we all took together and we all had, had few too many but Steven (Beaver) arrived late but we had BBQ earlier before he ever got there, but when he did he was hungry, but the sauce had sat outside for quite a while, but there were some kind of cheese crackers (cheese its) and he was dipping them in the sauce but he said to us man these bacon bits are good in this sauce but there was no bacon bits, they were bugs, lol.

We all had a wonderful laugh even Beaver.

But the next day for the float trip him and shared a bottle of good old Pepto before we ever floated and I believe his partner was Ronnie O'Connor. Great Great memories.

Paula Menzel - December 03, 2020 at 07:19 PM

DH

Stevie the first time I met you I remember you were 3 and I was 4 we were sitting on the concrete step outside the back door of our garage. You were telling me a turtles. Your mom and mine were coffee clatching. from your long time best friend Debbie Siegler Houston

Debbie Houston - December 04, 2020 at 02:47 PM

MS

Steve was such a good friend. We all had so much fun as kids growing up together on Florland drive. Boy I miss those days! What great memories! Michelle Siegler Sturgeon

Michelle sturgeon - December 24, 2020 at 01:02 PM

MM

Hey Beaver, we think about you often, you were one of a kind, Kim and I miss you very much. The world was a better place with you in it. I will never forget how we met at a party at Stabenow's on Keeven Ln. You were a great guy. I remember when you and Cheri had Victoria, and you were always so proud of her. We were talking about you yesterday and trips over the old Alton bridge to get beer. You know my Dad and Mom thought the world of you, I hope you are stopping by to see them up there. You were like a member of the family bud. You could go anywhere and make a friend, or find someone you know. Like that time in 2009 you came to our family reunion in Fredericktown, and it turned out you were acquainted with, my cousins Jess and Betty Pogue. You are and remain in our hearts forever. Love ya brother...

Mike Miller

Michael Glen Miller - November 18, 2023 at 06:57 PM