



James Earl Graves

June 4, 1943 - November 22, 2014

James E. Graves, 71, of Humansville passed away Saturday, November 22, 2014 at the Northwood Hills Care Center in Humansville. He was born in Akron, Colorado as one of 5 children to Russell and Eva Graves. James and his wife Katherine moved to the Humansville area in 2008 to be near his brother and sister-in-law. He worked as a painter and carpenter for most of his working career. He was also engaged in farming while living in Colorado. He enjoyed building things, tinkering, and working in his yard. James was preceded in death by his parents; brother Buck Graves; sisters Alice Herzberg and Vera Estep. He is survived by his wife Katherine of the home; daughter Pennie Lea Wagner and her husband Kurt of Buffalo, Wyoming; granddaughters Lillie May, Krissie, and Katie; 8 great-grandchildren; brother Norman Graves and his wife Kathy of Humansville, Missouri; numerous nieces, nephews, and friends. In keeping with James' wishes no funeral services are planned. Online condolences may be submitted at www.murrayfuneralhomes.com.

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“ *I always miss Uncle Jim, He was a great man. I was blessed to have spent the early part of my adult life painting houses with Jim, we worked everyday together for about 4 years, he taught me the importance of hard work, gave me a break when I needed a job, and was the funnest and smartest guy I ever worked for. He was very funny too, we always laughed all day, he taught me not to take things to seriously and to see the bright side. He was a great craftsman, painter, drywaller, and mechanic, he could figure anything out. I will always miss you Uncle Jim.*

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