



James Painter

April 3, 1957 - May 9, 2020

James Loren Painter age 63 passed away on May 9th, 2020 at his home surrounded by his loving family, after an almost 2-year battle with cancer. James was born in Morrisville, Mo. on April 3rd, 1957 to Tobe and Leota (Long) Painter. He was saved at a young age. He graduated from MCE in 1975. He retired from Kirberg Roofing after 24 years as a Journeyman Roofer\Crane Operator. He was a member of Union Local 20. He was a jack of all trades and always had an idea of how to make something better. He enjoyed spending time with his family and friends. Especially his grandchildren. He also enjoyed hunting and fishing and anything that would allow him to be outdoors. He never met a stranger. He was a friend to everyone.

James is preceded in death by his parents Tobe and Leota (Long) Painter, Brother, Tobe Painter Jr., sister Cynthia Painter, and granddaughter Kelsie Bingham.

James is survived by his loving wife Sue of 29 years. Children: Marty (Amy) Painter, Travis (Brenda) Painter, Lori Painter, Niki (Zach) Smith.

Grandchildren, Tucker, Cody, Brooke, Gloria, Skyler, Sean, Bryce, T.J., Ryan, Emily, Jacob, Shawn, and Michael. Siblings; Beatrice Blades, Mike (Ellen) Painter, Rex (Leora) Painter, Jeanie Painter, and Bill (Laura) Painter. Also, many extended family members and friends.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the Carrie J. Babb Cancer Center, Bolivar, Missouri.

A Memorial service for James will be at Butler Funeral Home, Tuesday, May 26, at 11:00 a.m. with a visitation one-hour prior at 10:00 a.m. Burial to follow at Morrisville Cemetery.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAY 26. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Butler Funeral Home - Bolivar
407 E. Broadway
Bolivar, MO 65613
(417) 326-5233
<https://butlerfuneralhome.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ *James Painter*

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ *James Painter*

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *Lori, Sweet girl I am so very sorry about the loss of your dad...I know how you loved him and he KNEW THAT !!!.....I know it is tough to lose someone we love....mine and Ralph's prayers are with you at this most difficult time...love Mary*

Mary Adams - May 25, 2020 at 07:00 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James Painter .*



May 20, 2020 at 11:25 AM

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“ Hi it's Karen. I worked with Sue for years and spent time and had loads of laughs with them on many occasions. I remember fishing and cooking out and the kids running around. He's the only one who could cook deer steaks that didn't taste funky. Love those two and their family. It's hard to think of James not being on this earth. His calming voice and smiling eyes will be missed by so many. My heart breaks for his family. Love and big hugs to all. Karen & Mike~

Karen Schacht - May 16, 2020 at 10:39 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of James Painter .



May 14, 2020 at 10:33 PM



“ I have many memories of brother James as we spent more time together on countless roofs than we did with our own family. James and I graduated roofing school together and had many laughs together. I miss my brother from another mother and have sent prayers to my Gods to send the Valkyrie to guide him home and send comfort to his family.

DuWayne Johnson - May 11, 2020 at 11:50 AM

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My condolences to the family

Jeremy Robinson - May 14, 2020 at 10:40 PM