



## William Samuel Thomas

July 31, 1951 - April 29, 2013

William Samuel Thomas, 61, of Bolivar passed away Monday, April 29, 2013 at his residence with his family at his side. Bill was one of 4 children born to Leroy and Ann Thomas in Springfield, Missouri. Bill moved to the Bolivar area from Neosho approximately 10 years ago. He worked as a truck driver for the majority of his working career. He was of the Baptist faith and a member of the Harold Baptist Church at Walnut Grove. Bill was artistically talented and mechanically inclined as well. He enjoyed playing the trumpet and the piano. He was a talented artist who enjoyed drawing, painting and photography. He loved to tinker in the shop and he was able to build a hydrogen generator for his car. He liked to drive and sightsee, often choosing to take the long way to a destination rather than the fastest way. He dearly loved his children and grand-children and was a great tease. Bill was preceded in death by his father. He is survived by his mother, Ann Thomas of Nixa, Missouri; his wife Noella Thomas of the home; sons Charlie Thomas and his wife Melanie of Aldrich, twin sons William and Samuel Thomas of the home; daughters Jessica Thomas and Victory Thomas both of Bolivar; step-son David Ybarra of St. Louis, Missouri; grandchildren Bradley, Kileigh, Brayden, Blake Thomas and Tyler Gann; brother James Thomas and his wife Kaye of Aldrich; sisters Kathy Duncan of Springfield and Laura Nolan and her husband Glen of Nixa. Memorial services for William Samuel Thomas will take place 2:00 PM Friday, May 3rd at the Harold Baptist Church, Farm Rd.34, Walnut Grove, Missouri. Inurnment will take place at a later date. Online condolences may be

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“ *William Samuel Thomas*

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ *William Samuel Thomas*

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *Billy & I grew up playing baseball & going to school together. My sincere condolences to the entire family. Mike*

**Mike Williams** - May 03, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Bill was a great guy and friend. Sorry to hear of your loss.*

**Rex & Becky Holman** - May 02, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *My Dear friend of 30 years will be missed beyond words. A fellow musician and one we considered part of our family. God Speed Bill.*

**Mark & Linda Baltimore** - May 02, 2013 at 12:00 AM