



## Gary Arlen Morris

November 24, 1948 - August 25, 2017

Gary Morris, Holden Missouri, passed away August 25, 2017 at his home surrounded by his family.

Gary was born November 24, 1948 in Kansas City, Missouri to Verner Wayne Morris and Gladys M. (Koehler) Morris. Gary married Sherald Phelps October 1, 1967 and worked as a truck driver for A-1 Rental delivering and setting up mobile offices.. Gary was a handyman with many talents, always willing to help anyone in need, always touching peoples lives with kindness.

One of Gary's last accomplishments was building a house for a close family friend. Gary and Sherald moved to the Holden area from Raytown, Missouri thirteen years ago.

Gary was preceded in death by his parents, and by two sisters, Beverly Smith and Laura Starr. He is survived by his wife Sherald of the home, One son, Gary Wayne Morris and wife Melanie, Holden, Missouri; One daughter, Teresa Ann Knapp and husband Daniel, Tonganoxie, Kansas; Two brothers, Wayne Morris and wife Beverly, Blue Springs, Missouri, Larry Morris and wife Janice, Raymore, Missouri; one sister, Sharon Block and husband Jeryl, Raytown, Missouri and Five Grandchildren, Gaige, Jacob, Kelsi, Logan, and Chase. Many Nieces and Nephews and a host of many friends.

Memorial contributions can be made to the Wounded Warrior Project in memory of Gary Morris.

Visitation will be Tuesday August 29, 2017 at 10:00am at Ben Cast & Son-Wood Funeral Home.

Funeral services will be Tuesday August 29, 2017 at 11:00am at Ben Cast & Son-Wood Funeral Home

Interment will be at the Gilbert Cemetery, Holden, Missouri following the service.

# Cemetery Details

## Gilbert Cemetery

SW 600  
Holden, MO

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 29.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Stewart Family Funeral Home Inc. DBA:Campbell-Cast Funeral Home  
407 South Pine Street  
Holden, MO 64040  
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## Service

**AUG 29.** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gary Arlen Morris.*



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August 28, 2017 at 02:12 PM



“ *Sherald, I am so very sorry to hear your loss of Gary . My heart goes out to you and your Family and that God gives you comfort at this very difficult time. Your lifelong friend Lana Kraxner*

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**Lana King Kraxner** - August 28, 2017 at 11:48 AM



“ *Though I did not see or have contact with Gary over the last 40 years, we were close friends growing up in the Wildwood Lakes area of Raytown. We were probably 5 or 6 when we became friends and spent a lot of time together through high school. After I returned from my military service, I worked for a few years for Gary and his brothers. I left the Kansas City area in the late 70s and as I said, we lost contact. But I will always consider Gary as one of my closet and oldest friends. My prayers go out for Sherald and his entire family. GOD BLESS.....love ya, Gary.*

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**Kenny Gray** - August 27, 2017 at 08:10 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Gary Arlen Morris.*



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August 26, 2017 at 09:10 PM