



## Paul Gene Harper Sr.

November 30, 1962 - January 28, 2021

Paul Gene Harper Sr. 58 of Brunswick passed away Thursday, January 28, 2021 at the University Hospital in Columbia, MO.

A Celebration of Life Visitation will be from 6:00pm. to 8:00pm. Tuesday, February 9, 2021 at the Rhodes Funeral Home, Brookfield, MO. We recommend social distancing and to wear a mask. Memorials have been suggested to the Family for funeral expenses and can be left at or mailed to the Rhodes Funeral Home, 216 Linn Street, Brookfield, MO. 64628. On-line condolences can be made at [www.rhodesfh.com](http://www.rhodesfh.com)

Paul Gene Harper son of Marvin Lee Harper Sr. and Betty Ann (Hicks) Harper was born on November 30, 1962 in Brookfield, MO. On July 4, 2015 he married Joanna Sue Sayers in Sedalia, MO. Paul enjoyed fishing and hunting. He loved spending time with his family and grandkids.

Paul is survived by his wife Joanna of the home; six daughters, Heaven Phillips of the state of Georgia, Tina West of Mercer, MO; Brandy Hullinger of Lineville, IA; Larissa Harper of Leon, IA; Dianna Harbert and Wayne of Bedford, MO; and Pamela Myers of St. Joseph, MO; five sons, Paul Gene Harper Jr. of Mercer, MO; Tyler Harper and Brianna of Brunswick, MO; Ronnie Hines and Jenni of Hale, MO; Richard Boley and Beck of Branson, MO; and Veron Hines of Brunswick, MO; four brothers, Marvin Lee Harper Jr. of Macon, MO; Kenneth Dean Harper of Macon, MO; Ronnie Harper of Springfield, MO; and John Harper from the Philippines; thirty four grandchildren, ten great-grandchildren, and many other relatives.

He is preceded in death by his parents; four brothers, David Harper, Donnie Harper, Dennis Harper, and Larry Harper; one sister, Glenda Horton; one son William "Tweety" Hines, one grandson, Izzy Phillips; and previous wife Julie Harper.

# Previous Events

## Celebration Of Life Visitation

FEB **9**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Rhodes Funeral Home  
216 Linn St.  
Brookfield, MO 64628  
(660) 258-7221

# Tribute Wall



“ Missed seeing you when Jay and I visited back in August 2020. We spent every night at Ricky and Julie Pickens house reminiscing about the old days. Talking about how you boys entertained us with your back flips and jumps back in the day. Listening to the church bells ring in the distant and our bike rides to the tastee freeze. I didn't realize you had so many kids and grandbabies. Would love to meet them all someday. They can hit me up on Facebook (Kay Apfelbeck). I'm balling my eyes out at work...so I better end it by say.

*Tell everyone Hello from from us.*

*RIP Love  
Katie Witch*

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**Kay Apfelbeck** - February 09, 2021 at 10:07 AM



“ *Paul gene harper was a great uncle I loved spending time with himr*

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**Gunner** - February 06, 2021 at 01:02 PM

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“ Paul is my father in law. He was an amazing man. We spent many days and some nights at Truman dam. We caught so many fish. I never really liked fishing growing up but that man made fishing fun. Leah and I loved it when we took the boat out. Although sometimes we broke down or didnt get far from land we still had fun. Our first time ever snagging was freezing cold but dad said it would be fun. He wasnt wrong it was a blast. Leah and I loved it. From then on every time the boat left land we was on it. Leah loved helping papa reel in his fish. Them 2 were like 2 peas in a pod. Dad loved fishing and Leah loved spending time with him. If dad was messing with the fishing poles Leah was quick to grab hers and say Im ready papa.



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**Briana Harper** - February 06, 2021 at 02:12 AM