



## Cleo James Shaw

March 10, 1940 - January 11, 2022

Cleo James Shaw was born March 10, 1940 in Eminence, Missouri to Howard Oakley and Floy Ann (Hiney) Shaw. He grew up and attended school in Salem, Missouri. At a young age, Cleo enlisted into the United States Army National Guard and served his country faithfully until his honorable discharge.

Cleo married the love of his life, Janice Ann Jordan, June 12, 1964 at Oak Grove Baptist Church in Salem and shared together fifty-seven years of laughter and memories. Cleo and Jan were blessed with two wonderful daughters, Sarah Elizabeth and Julie Ann.

As a young man, Cleo started his working career in the cord woods. Soon after he opened Shaw's Truck Sales, where he took great pride owning and operating his own business. Cleo never met a stranger and had a heart of gold. Throughout his career, he was able to gain many wonderful colleagues and friends.

Cleo enjoyed playing golf and watching NASCAR. He liked going on vacations with his friends. Cleo loved his family, his grandchildren and great-grandchildren were his pride and joy, and he cherished every moment he spent with them.

Cleo departed this life January 11, 2022 in Joplin, Missouri surrounded by

loved ones at the age of eighty-one years. He leaves behind to cherish his memory, loving wife Jan Shaw of Salem, MO; two daughters: Sarah Parker and husband Monte of Joplin, MO and Julie Baron and husband Jeffrey of Tucson, AZ; five grandchildren: Paige Ebbs and husband Aaron of Joplin, MO, Brooke Parker of Joplin, MO, Preston Parker of Joplin, MO, Jake Baron of Tucson, AZ, and Mia Baron of Tucson, AZ; two great-grandchildren: Addison and Avery Ebbs; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, and dear friends.

Preceding him in death, parents: Howard and Floy Shaw; brothers: Gary and Erman Shaw; nephew: Coy Shaw; and father-in-law and mother-in-law: Bud and June Jordan.

Cleo was one of a kind and leaves behind a legacy of love and devotion. He will be forever missed but never forgotten.

Funeral Services Cleo James Shaw were held Saturday, January 15, 2022 in the Wilson Mortuary Salem Chapel with Elder Dannie Patterson officiating. Loving Memories were shared by Jeffrey Baron. Song selections played were "I'll Fly Away", "Amazing Grace", and "He Stopped Loving Her Today". Serving as Pallbearers were Monte Parker, Jeffery Baron, Preston Parker, Brooke Parker, Paige Ebbs, Aaron Ebbs, Tommy Shaw, and Chris Passsalacqua. Honorary Pallbearers were Mia Baron, Lonnie Southards, and Jake Baron. Burial was in the Cedar Grove Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Wilson Mortuary of Salem, Missouri.

Memorial Contributions may be in memory of Cleo Shaw to Project Win Cancer Support of Salem and mailed to PO Box 901 Salem, MO 65560 or left at Wilson Mortuary.

Online condolences may be entered at [wilsonmortuary.com](http://wilsonmortuary.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Cedar Grove Cemetery

Salem, MO

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JAN 15.** 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Wilson Mortuary - Salem  
1000 West Scenic Rivers Blvd.  
Post Office Box 45  
Salem, MO 65560  
(573) 729-5555  
<https://www.wilsonmortuary.com/>

## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall

KW

“ So very sorry to hear of Cleo's passing . He was an own cousin to my dad Ed Hodge who was the son of Lavina Heiney Hodge, sister of Floy. Sending love and prayers.

Kathy Hodge Weaver - January 25, 2022 at 08:39 PM



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Wilson Mortuary - January 19, 2022 at 11:19 AM



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Wilson Mortuary - January 17, 2022 at 04:27 PM

MW

“ Jan, Sarah, Julie and families, Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time. May God bless you and keep you in his care. Bobby and Marilyn Walker

Marilyn Walker - January 15, 2022 at 10:59 PM

DE

“ Thinking of You and Your Family...May God Bless and be with You...Don & Sue Eudy

Don & Sue Eudy - January 15, 2022 at 11:45 AM



“ 394 files added to the album LifeTributes



Wilson Mortuary - January 14, 2022 at 09:26 PM



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



January 14, 2022 at 02:17 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Cleo James Shaw.



January 14, 2022 at 01:33 PM

DB

“ Dallas & Pam Holloway (Carroll Bedwell) purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Cleo James Shaw.



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**Dallas & Pam Holloway (Carroll Bedwell)** - January 14, 2022  
at 12:54 PM

KS

“ Kerry and Andrea Shy purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Cleo James Shaw.



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**Kerry and Andrea Shy** - January 14, 2022 at 08:45 AM

RH

“ Jerry and I are so sorry to hear of Cleo’s passing. He was a life long friend to both of our father’s. We send our deepest sympathy to his beautiful wife, Jan, his beautiful daughter’s and grandchildren. He was a wonderful man and will be missed by all who knew and loved him. Know that we are lifting you up in prayer. With much aloha,  
Jerry and Rena Hindman

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**Rena Hindman** - January 14, 2022 at 07:50 AM

BC

“ Betty Carmack lit a candle in memory of Cleo James Shaw



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**Betty Carmack** - January 14, 2022 at 12:42 AM

NN

“ I grew up just a few houses down from the Shaws. I knew Gary better but knew Cleo. The Jordan's lived next to my Grandma when Jan was still home and later they lived next door to us. Cleo and Jan have some lovely daughters and I offer my condolences to Jan and the family. I know how it feels because I just lost my husband Jim on the 12th.

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**Nancy Nelson-Stickels** - January 13, 2022 at 08:04 PM

RW

“ Condolences to Jan and family in the passing of Cleo. Our thoughts and prayers or with the family.

*Ronnie White (SHS 1959)*

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**RON WHITE** - January 13, 2022 at 07:37 PM