



David Lee Jarvis Jr.

August 2, 1974 - August 17, 2022

David Lee Jarvis Jr, 48, of Salem, Missouri, was born August 2nd, 1974 to David Sr and Donna Jarvis. David entered into eternal glory welcomed by Jesus, and his daddy on August 17th, 2022

David was preceded in death by his father, David Jarvis Sr, paternal grandparents Frank and Virginia Jarvis, maternal grandparents Roba and Gladys Payne. Uncles Frankie, Phillip, Benny, Clarence, Joe, Gene Jay, Harold, Roy; Aunts Beverly, Cindy, and Pauline.

David is survived by his loving wife Elizabeth Jarvis of Salem, MO; children Samuel, Kathryn, and Jaxson of Salem, MO; mother Donna Jarvis of Salem, MO; siblings: Earl Jarvis II of Salem, MO, Amy Pursifull and husband Ben of Salem, MO, Angela Jarvis, of Springfield, MO, mother-in-law Pam Harney; sister-in-law Brandi Jarvis; nephews Jeremy, Earl Jr, Tyler, and Brayden; as well as a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, and many dear friends.

David loved being the big brother, to his three younger siblings. He enjoyed teaching them all kinds of things, especially his favorite wrestling moves, by performing them on his younger siblings. He was extremely proud of them, and would often brag of their accomplishments.

David was a people person, and loved to visit. He always had a kind word to

share with anyone he would meet. For more than fifteen years, David wore the badge of 814, and dedicated those years to the service of his community with Dent County Fire Protection District. David loved every part of the fire service, especially showing the fire trucks to all the little kids.

On August 2nd, 2014, David married his forever love, Elizabeth. He was ecstatic, and looked forward to the lifetime ahead. David's life long dream was to be just like his daddy, and David was so excited about his "bonus" kids Sam, and Katy, whom he loved and considered his own from the beginning. Just a short time later, David and Elizabeth welcomed Jaxson into their loving family. David enjoyed every minute he spent with his family, and especially enjoyed spending their time in church at Grace.

After leaving the fire service to spend more time with his family, David felt the call to public service yet again. His familiar face that all were so used to seeing roaming the aisles at Country Mart for almost 30 years, he became a correctional officer at the new Dent County Jail. He loved every minute of it, and often would show his video of being tazed or maced to anyone who would watch it. He enjoyed it thoroughly, and excelled so well, that within a short time was promoted to shift supervisor.

As Proud as he was of all his accomplishments, his greatest accomplishment was when he gave his life to Jesus Christ. David was a devout Christian, and a godly example for all to follow. As much as David loved Jesus, he loved teaching his children about Jesus. David was a faithful member of Grace Community Church, and loved volunteering on the audio/visual team, where you could find him and Sam running the sound board on Sundays.

We are deeply saddened with the passing of David, but we rejoice in the promise of Calvary. Because of Davids unwavering faith, we know that through Jesus, we don't have to say goodbye forever, but just see ya later!

Funeral Services for David Lee Jarvis Jr. were held Monday, August 22, 2022 in the Wilson Mortuary Salem Chapel with Pastor Terry Davis officiating. Ben Pursifull and Rick Letchworth each shared a special eulogy. Song selections played were "If I Had Only Known" and "One Day, When We All Get To Heaven" with special music provided by Chelsey Brakefield, Tatumn Bailey, and Haley Mackley singing "Amazing Grace". Pallbearers were Ben Pursifull, Earl Jarvis II, Rick Letchworth, Jerry Myers, George Lajoie, Earl Jarvis Jr., Tyler Jarvis, and Brayden Cotner. Honorary Pallbearers were Jeremy Pilkington, Jimmy Dale Brakefield, Sam Jarvis, and Jaxson Jarvis. Burial was in the Cedar Grove Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Wilson Mortuary of Salem, Missouri.

Memorial Contributions may be made in memory of David Jarvis and left at Wilson Mortuary. Memorial Envelopes will be available.

Online condolences may be entered at www.wilsonmortuary.com

Cemetery Details

Cedar Grove Cemetery

Salem, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 22. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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1000 West Scenic Rivers Blvd.
Post Office Box 45
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Tribute Wall



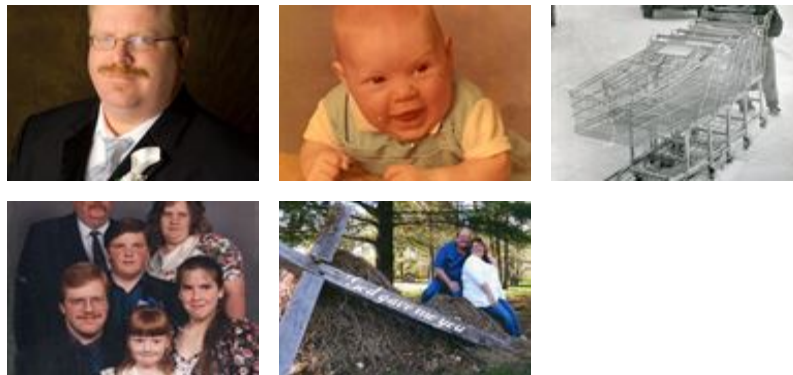
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What a loss. He was a good man

Arika McCall - August 21, 2022 at 11:05 PM

SP

“ So sorry he passed and just have to remember the good memories. We had alot of them from the bowling alley days. He was a great man and very kind and I am so saddened to hear this. Rest in peace. I will see you again some day my friend. Prayers to your son and your wife and your family.



Stacy Peak - August 19, 2022 at 12:33 AM

NG

“ Amy I am so sorry to read about the passing of your brother. God must have needed an angel. Noreen Gale

Noreen Gale - August 19, 2022 at 12:07 AM

BC

“ So sorry to hear of David's passing my prayers for all the family
!Bobby Lou Camden

Bobby Lou Camden - August 18, 2022 at 07:28 PM