



James Clarence Chilton

July 29, 1950 - September 20, 2021

James Clarence Chilton was born July 29, 1950 in Salem, Missouri and departed this life September 20, 2021 in Salem, Missouri at the age of seventy-one years.

James spent most of his life in the St. Louis area. He loved listening to music and liked playing the keyboard. One of the things he enjoyed the most was twirling a stick in and out of his fingers. James attended Full Gospel Church when his health permitted. He touched many lives with his gentle spirit, kindness, and love.

James is survived by his siblings: Marilyn Redman, Gary Chilton and wife Beulah, and Faye Koper and husband Butch; brother-in-law: Carl Plank; nephews: Mike, John, Brian, Keith, Larry, and Michael; nieces: Dee Dee, Rita, Treasa, Lisa, and Shelly; other relatives and dear friends.

Preceding him in death, father: Oscar Chilton; mother: Thelma Chilton Myers; sisters: Dorothy West and husband Kenneth, Glenda Plank, and infant sister Shirly Chilton, brother-in-law: Jack Redman; nephew: Doug West; and great-niece: Chelsea Nickles.

James will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved him.

Funeral Services for James Clarence Chilton were held Friday, September 24, 2021 in the Wilson Mortuary Salem Chapel with Pastor Bill Stack officiating and Gary Chilton sharing the eulogy. Special Music was provided by Sheri Stack. Serving as Pallbearers were Keith Plank, Larry Chilton, Carter Chilton, Carl Conway, Tommy McDaniel, and Wendell Schmitt. Honorary Pallbearers were Michael Chilton, Jimmy Walker, and John Roller. Burial was in the Miner Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Wilson Mortuary of Salem, Missouri.

Memorial Contributions may be made in memory of James Chilton to Shepherd's Nook Food Pantry and left at Wilson Mortuary.

Online Condolences may be entered at www.wilsonmortuary.com

Cemetery Details

Miner Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **23.** 4:00 PM - 6:00 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

SEP **24.** 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



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Wilson Mortuary - September 23, 2021 at 10:19 AM

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“ We loved and miss James here, he was so cheeky and loved women!!

*Miss you bud,
Monica Piles
South County Habilitation Center*

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“ We are sorry to hear of the loss of James. You all are in our thoughts and prayers

Ron and Beth Light

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