



Keith Golden

December 11, 1967 - December 22, 2024

Keith Golden was born on December 11, 1967, in St. Louis, Missouri. He was the only son born to Sherman Ray and Glenda “Glenna” (Pryor) Golden. Keith grew up in Salem and graduated with the class of 1986 from Salem High School.

Keith met the woman of his dreams, Lorie Ann (Barton) Goodbar, during training at US Foods. They fell in love and were united in marriage on August 10, 1997, in Black, Missouri. Keith and Lorie were blessed to share three children, Brett, Canyon, and Kirsten who later blessed them with seven wonderful grandchildren.

Keith worked hard to provide for his family, after his driving career with US Foods, he started working at the South Central Correctional Center as a correctional officer. He served for many years and was looking forward to retirement in February 2025.

In his spare time, Keith enjoyed spending time outdoors. He enjoyed deer hunting on his property and fishing at Montauk. He was a collector of many things and had a unique collection of coins, baseball cards, knives, fishing reels, and guns. Keith was an avid St. Louis Cardinals Baseball fan. He had a passion and love for all Pontiac cars, especially his 1978 Trans-Am. Throughout the years he has had several cars restored.

Keith was big into music, movies, and history. He was his families go to guy for any information they needed. His love for his furbabies, Buddy and Rudy, was evident. His family was his pride and joy, especially his precious grandbabies.

Keith departed this life December 22, 2024, in Salem, Missouri, at the age of fifty-seven years. He leaves behind his loving wife: Lorie Golden of Salem, MO; children: Brett Capps of St. Louis, MO, Canyon Goodbar and wife Tiffany of Salem, MO, and Kirsten Chapman and husband Jacob of Jefferson, City, MO; grandchildren: Serenity, Brentley, Braylee, Rylee, Carter, Piper, and Paxton; his special sister and brother-in-law: Lisa Roberts and husband Steve; as well as several aunts, uncles, cousins, other relatives, and dear friends.

Preceding him in death were his parents: Sherman and Glenna Golden.

Keith had a stubborn side, but his fun-loving, goofy nature always came through. He will be deeply missed by those who loved him most.

Funeral Services for Keith Golden were held December 26, 2024, in the Wilson Mortuary Salem Chapel with Pastor Randy Murphy officiating. Special music was provided by Brett Capps and additional song selections played were "Don't Let The Sun Go Down On Me" and "Yesterday When I Was Young". Serving as Pallbearers were Wade McCarter, Steve Pryor, Denny Clayton, Robert Hagen, Laverne Stricklin, and Chad Conway. Honorary Pallbearers were his loving grandsons Brentley, Carter, and Paxton. Burial was in the Cedar Grove Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Wilson Mortuary of Salem, Missouri.

Condolences may be left online at www.wilsonmortuary.com

Cemetery Details

Cedar Grove Cemetery

Salem, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **26**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Wilson Mortuary - December 27, 2024 at 11:46 AM



“ 81 files added to the album Life Tributes



Wilson Mortuary - December 26, 2024 at 09:09 AM

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“ Harold and I so sorry, Keith was a good and kind person, sorry for your loss!

connie rader - December 26, 2024 at 12:32 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Keith Golden.



December 25, 2024 at 08:58 AM



“ Dave (Sutterfield) and I are stunned and so sorry for your loss. Keith, one of the good guys. ❤️👍❤️👍❤️👍

Phyllis McKinley - December 24, 2024 at 08:57 AM



“ Lorie, I am so sorry for your loss, and at this time of year when we should be celebrating the birth of Jesus. God Bless you and comfort you at this time.

Lisa Turnbough

Lisa Turnbough - December 23, 2024 at 11:17 AM



“ Lorie I'm sorry for Keith passing. I am praying for you and your family.

Teri rowan - December 22, 2024 at 07:00 PM