



## Shannon E. St. John

May 18, 1969 - August 16, 2022

Shannon E. St. John was born on May 18, 1969 in Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri to John E. and Linda Lea (Kurtright) St. John. He was united in marriage to Laura Lee Smith on August 24, 2019. Shannon departed this life Tuesday, August 16, 2022 at home surrounded by his loved ones.

Shannon is survived by his loving wife Laura St. John of Salem, MO; stepson: Matthew Arts of Salem, MO; father: John St. John of Salem, MO; father and mother-in-law: Ron and Ivalee Smith of West Plains, MO; sister: Joey (St. John) Crossgrove and husband Roger of Salem, MO; beloved niece: Madison Grace Knight of Springfield, MO; brother-in-law: Bruce and wife Cathy of Beaverton, OR; sister-in-law: Ronda Vercher and husband Les of Gilmer, TX; other relatives and his tribe of friends.

Preceding him in death, mother: Linda St. John; paternal grandparents: Clyde and Ruby St. John; maternal grandparents: James and Maxine Kurtright.

Shannon loved life, his family, and his tribe of friends. He never met a stranger, had a servant's heart and was a gentle soul. He has left a void in our hearts and will be deeply missed by his family and their friends.

Celebration of Life for Shannon E. St. John was held Saturday, October 1, 2022 at the Spring Creek Golf Club, Salem, Missouri. Arrangements were

under the direction of Wilson Mortuary of Salem, Missouri.

Memorial Contributions may be made in memory of Shannon St. John to the Spring Creek Golf Club swimming pool fund or Warm My Heart and left with Wilson Mortuary. Memorial Cards will be available.

# Previous Events

## **Celebration of Life Gathering**

OCT 1. 5:00 PM.

Spring Creek Golf Club

# Tribute Wall



“ 193 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



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**Wilson Mortuary** - September 30, 2022 at 11:06 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Shannon E. St. John.*



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August 23, 2022 at 10:52 AM



“ *Shannon was a fun loving uncle to my 2 boys, Garret ( who he called “G Money”) and Aidan ( Aidy-cent). There were always lots of laughs when he was around and great food. My deepest sympathies to Johnny, Joey and all who knew and loved Shannon. He was a blessing lost too soon.*  
*Kim Dayringer and family*

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**Kim Dayringer** - August 18, 2022 at 08:40 PM

JN

*My heart is breaking for Joey and Johnny and all of his friends .  
Linda was pregnant with Shannon the same time I pregnant with Kim ,  
We used to play a game of who would deliver first and yes it was Linda  
Shannon was born on May 18th and Kim came on the 19th Kim and  
Shannon have been life long friends. I think it was their ninth birthday  
that Linda and I planned a birthday party for them in our basement we  
were living on Forest Hill drive then , I have so many pictures of that  
event hope to share them at Shannon's celebration of life. 🙏🙏🙏*

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**Jackie NuDelman** - August 20, 2022 at 04:26 PM

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*Prayers for the family*

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**Jackie NuDelman** - August 20, 2022 at 04:28 PM

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“ *Shannon was one of the brightest lights that I have ever known.  
While there are many sweet and happy memories, my two favorites  
are of him making mozzarella cheese sticks for my baby girl at  
Pasta Express in Springfield, when she was just a toddler and  
loudly reminding the streets of Chicago that the Blues were NHL  
champs. His heart and smile will be missed. Love. thoughts and  
continuing prayers go to his beautiful family. Thanks for sharing him.  
Teresa Porter*

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**Teres Porter** - August 18, 2022 at 05:26 AM