



James R. Bradshaw

June 30, 1941 - June 30, 2017

James R. Bradshaw, 75, of Sedalia passed away on Friday, June 30, 2017 at his home surrounded by his family. A graveside service will be held on Wednesday, July 12, 2017, at 11:00 AM at Crown Hill Cemetery in Sedalia.

James Robert Bradshaw 75 of Sedalia, Mo passed away Friday June 30, 2017 at his home.

The son of Paul and Catherine Bradshaw he was born August 26, 1941 in Marshall, Mo. He attended the Marshall Mo. Schools.

James was united in marriage to Faye Gearheart on October 29, 1977 and to this union a family

was formed. Tammy, Diana, and John. James is survived by his wife Faye of the home. Son

Tommy Bakert and wife Michelle of Pontoon Beach, Ill., daughter Diana Brummet of Springfield, Mo., son John Bakert of Eldridge, Mo., a sister Mary Etta Duffy of Sedalia, Mo. A

brother Don Bradshaw of Warsaw, Mo. Grandsons Samuel, Michael & John Jr. granddaughters

Christina, Heaven, & LaKrista, great grandchildren Aria, Brielle, Dominic & Kayden. Several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, one brother, Paul and one sister, Carol Ann. James and Faye spent all their married life in Sedalia, Mo. James worked at the Marshall State

School in the food service department. He also worked construction in several different areas.

He worked at Bothwell hospital for several years in the janitorial department until his health no longer permitted it.

James enjoyed watching football and basketball games. He was an avid Nascar fan!

When the

grandsons had their games, you could always bet James was right there camcorder in hand!

James was always excited to have the great grandchildren over to play cars and Barbies.

James

loved his pets also, rarely did you ever see James without his faithful companion "Bat Man" by

his side. James' favorite nightly ritual was saying his nightly prayers for his family, friends and

whoever needed a prayer.

Comments



“ For 20 years I was so lucky to know a man that not only a man that not only became a friend of the family but someone that I could look up to as a father. Jim was a man that always opened his arms up to anyone, a person that you could talk to about anything. He always had words of wisdom and always a story to tell. He was a person that if you ever needed anything and you didn't get ahold of him and he later saw you he would ask "Why didn't you get ahold of me", always a man ready to drop what he was doing to help others. The only time it would be difficult to get to spend time with Jim was when he was spending time with his Grandkids. They were his everything. Not a day goes by that I don't remember seeing Jim somewhere and there was one of his Grandsons right behind him. They were his world. Where Grandpa was you were sure to see the Grandkids and even their friends. He was a man to always entertain the kids. Another thing I remember is his love for his wife. They had a love like no other. They would joke with each other all the time. He always brought a smile to her face. It didn't matter what kind of day you were having he always had a way to make you smile. Years ago when he married Faye he not only gained a wife, but he gained an entire family. He loved them all as his own. Faye, Diana, John and Tom. Words won't even express the sympathy I have right now for your loss. You guys have lost a great man. Please remember he's with you guys now everyday watching over you. You guys have gained a wonderful Guardian Angel. You guys hold a special place in my heart. Love each and every one of you. Sending many prayers to you all!!!!

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