



Arnold L. Edwards

December 31, 1926 - November 16, 2020

Arnold L. Edwards, 93, of Cape Girardeau died Monday, November 16, 2020 at Southeast Hospital.

He was born December 31, 1926 in Cape Girardeau to James and Pearl Brown Edwards.

He and Nina Cruce were married in 1947 in Cape Girardeau. She preceded him in death on June 14, 2017.

Arnold served in the Navy during World War II from 1944 to 1946.

He owned and operated Edwards 66 Gas Station in Cape Girardeau for 40 years.

He attended the Cowboy Church.

Survivors include son, Bruce (Ida) Edwards of Saint Charles, Missouri; three daughters, Vicki (Dee) Welker of Jackson, Missouri, Rebecca (Leo) Casey of Gordonville, Missouri and Patti Wilson of Springfield, Missouri; five grandsons, Todd (Kristie) Rayburn of Jackson, Andy (Wendy) Helton of Lake St. Louis, Missouri, Gabe (Becky) Helton of Gordonville, Jonathan (Heather) Wilson of Wrightstown, Wisconsin and Jeff (Kim) Edwards of St. Charles; four

granddaughters, Jennifer (Jerry) Headd of Noblesville, Indiana, Kyndra Benson and Sara Holland of Springfield, Missouri and Natalie Newton of Wentzville, Missouri; step-granddaughter, Kim Younce; step-grandson, Kevin Welker; and 18 great- grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, wife, four brothers and one sister.

Friends may call noon to 1:00 pm on Monday, November 23, 2020 at Ford Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel in Cape Girardeau.

Graveside funeral services will be private at Missouri Veterans Cemetery in Bloomfield.

Memorial contributions may be given to Wreaths Across America, Missouri Veterans Cemetery - Bloomfield, 17357 Stars and Stripes Way, Bloomfield, MO 63825.

Cemetery Details

Missouri Veterans Cemetery

17357 Stars & Stripes Way
Bloomfield, MO 63825

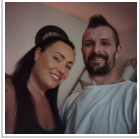
Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **23**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

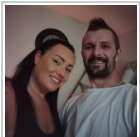
Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel
1001 N. Mt. Auburn Rd.
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Tribute Wall



“ Hi Daddy, I'm just laying in bed thinking about you!! You were such a good dad to me and Matt. We both miss you so much. I think about you and all of our memories everyday. You were such a good man and I couldn't have asked for a better father. You never failed us. You took very good care of us. I just want to pick up the phone and call you so bad. I know your peaceful now and no longer in pain. My love for you is everlasting.

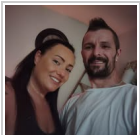
Tara Farrow - December 21, 2020 at 02:24 AM



“ My father with his son Matthew Lawrence Edwards Farrow



Tara Farrow - December 17, 2020 at 05:32 PM



“ I don't know who took downy posts about my father. But this is absolutely disgusting of who is doing this. Arnold MY FATHER, had 2 children. Myself and my brother. His other children already took away from me and my brother to say our final goodbyes. Don't touch my posts I post about my father. He our father too. Matt and I love you dad and I'm very sorry your other grown children want to act like children and not grown old adults they are.

Tara Farrow - December 17, 2020 at 05:29 PM

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“ *My sincere condolences to the family and friends of Mr. Edward's. He and our dad were great friends. We grew up knowing and respecting him. We always went to his station for anything to do with our cars, or just to visit. Paula O'Kelly-Brown and William O'Kelly Jr.*

Paula O'Kelly-Brown - November 21, 2020 at 03:34 PM

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“ *Bruce....Know that we care about you and feel your loss. Our prayers are with you and the family. Dick & Kathy Prah*

Dick & Kathy Prah - November 21, 2020 at 01:55 PM

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“ *We are so very sorry for your loss. We know he had a huge impact on Jonathan's life and are thankful for that and him. You all are in our thoughts and prayers, Steve and Tammy Turk*

Tammy Turk - November 21, 2020 at 10:29 AM

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“ *Vicki, Becky, Patti and Bruce,*

My thoughts and prayers are with you and your families. May God's loving arms surround you and give you peace. I know you have many wonderful memories. God Bless you all.

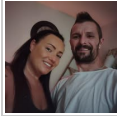
Karen Webb McClendon

Karen Webb McClendon - November 20, 2020 at 12:30 PM

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“Dad was a kind and generous father-in-law. He loved his family deeply. When visiting he would engage me in a conversation to find out what was going on in my life. He never forgot those talks and picked up ideas on what I might need and made sure he took care of it. I recall talking about a Bible bookstand and the next time he saw me he had one for me; I still have it, 45 yrs later. I will always think of dad when I see that bookstand. God speed dad until we meet again! Love always - Ida

Ida Edwards - November 20, 2020 at 11:03 AM



Any of you touch my posts I post about my father again and I will call the funeral home myself. I already have an attorney for my father's will. I know it was not turned into the courts yet. I tried to be nice once, don't test me. Your hear me.

Tara Farrow - December 17, 2020 at 05:35 PM