



## James O. Evans Jr.

September 27, 1953 - May 25, 2017

James O. Evans Jr., 63 of Cape Girardeau, Missouri died Thursday, May 25, 2017.

He was born September 27, 1953 in Farmington, Missouri to James and Betty Jean (Jackson) Evans Sr.

He and Michelle Evans were married February 14, 1984 at Park Hills, Missouri. She survives and resides in Farmington.

James was a graduate of Farmington High School and graduated from Mineral Area College with an associate's degree in drafting. He was a self-employed contractor.

Survivors include life companion of eight years Carol Christopher of Cape Girardeau; five daughters, Ashley Evans of Cape Girardeau, Brandi Johnson of New York, Laura Wright of Cape Girardeau, Amy Coleman of Cape Girardeau and Erin Bradley of Cape Girardeau; four sons, Sean Evans of Austin, Texas, Noah Winch of Farmington, Matthew Wright of Farmington, Nathan Wright of Farmington; five brothers, Pierre Evans of Forrest City, Arkansas, Lance Evans of Africa, Keith Evans of Atlanta, Georgia, Charles Evans of Farmington and Courtney Evans of Farmington; sister, Donna Belle of Atlanta, Georgia; fifteen grandchildren, Rianna Anthony, Octaevion

Anthony, Temarvion Anthony, Jaron Magaña, Honovi Johnson, Ziva Johnson, Kayla Hueghey, Noah Wright, Mason Wright, Brenna Evans, Dylan Wright, Karsyn Wright, Keliegh Wright, Kendall Wright and William Meador.

He was preceded in death by his parents; son, Matt Christopher; sister, Marti Evans.

Visitation will be Thursday, June 1, 2017 from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel.

Burial will be at a later date.

Memorial contributions may be given to Ford and Sons to help defray funeral expenses.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 1. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home  
1001 N. Mt. Auburn Rd.  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701  
(573) 334-1313  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ Please know that Jim and the entire Evans family is in my families prayers. Jim was an individual like no other and this world is a lesser place without him in it. Pierre, if there is anything that I can do, please let me know.

*Brian Boyd*

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**Brian Boyd** - June 01, 2017 at 07:09 PM



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“ I would like to offer my heartfelt condolences. May God bless you and keep you during this time of sorrow.

*I have nothing but fond memories of Jimmy, he was my brother Charley's best friend in high school and a great friend to me also. I will forever be grateful for him teaching me how to dance. A whole group of us spent many a Friday and Saturday dancing the night away. What a great time and wonderful memory!*

*Sincerely,*

*Linda (Johnson) Miller*

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**Linda L Miller** - June 01, 2017 at 08:40 AM



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“ Enjoyed watching music and talking with Jim. Great guy he will be missed.

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**Kevin Priester** - June 01, 2017 at 08:37 AM