



## James Joseph Ketcher

May 19, 2012

James Joseph Ketcher, 69, of Cape Girardeau, MO, died Saturday, May 19, 2012 at his home. He was born November 29, 1942 in St. Louis, MO to John E and Charlotte E. Bacott Ketcher . James graduated from Southeast Missouri State University with a B.A. Degree. He was of strong Christian belief. . Survivors include, Sons - Mark (Danette) Ketcher, Cape Girardeau, MO. Dr. Reid Ketcher, Hood River, OR. Daughters - Laura (Joe) Proffer, Cape Girardeau, MO Jamie Ketcher, Columbia, MO Brothers - Pastor Jack (Alice) Ketcher, Cape Girardeau, MO Ken (Deanna) Ketcher, Paragould , AR Sisters - Mary (John) Ruskin, St. Louis, MO Rose Barr, Florissant, MO Special Friend - Linda Woods, Brunswick, GA 7 grandchildren and 1 great-grand. He was preceded in death by his parents: Visitation will be from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM on Monday, May 21, 2012 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel. Memorial service will be at 11:00 AM Monday, May 21, 2012 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel with Pastor Jack Ketcher officiating. Memorial contributions may be given to Lutheran Home - Home Health Services or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

# Tribute Wall

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“*Laura, Mark and Reid You have our condolense for the loss of your father. We will miss him as a neighbor! We will continue to keep you in our prayers. God Bless Carl*

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**Carl and Lori Wenskay** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MR

“*I cannot find the words to express the deep sorrow that I feel for the loss of my dear brother. I could always count on Jim - on many occasions he would come to St. Louis to take care of my Mom and Dad at their home for a month at a time. Jim had a strong faith in God and believed in the power of prayer. I will miss you Jim.*

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**Mary Ruskin** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LW

“*Jim and I have been the best of friends since 1995. A church friend introduced us at a very oportune time in each of our lives. We have laughed together and cried together and shared some of the toughest times in each of our lives together. We could count on each other very much, no matter how far apart we were from one another. Jim had a very important place in my and my life; and I believe he felt the same. I will miss him so much and never forget how he was really so sweet and soft-hearted on the inside even though not everyone knew that about him. He is a very special person whose cannot be replaced in the lives of those of us who knew and loved Jim. Jim I'm glad you are with your Mom and Dad; and we will all see you when the right time comes.*

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**Linda D. Woods** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Jim was not only my brother but one of my best friends as well. We had many good times together running around in Cape Girardeau, and going to see our father while he was alive.*

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**Kenneth Ketcher** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ *I will miss my sweet brother Jim so much. He's in Heaven now and at peace.*

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**Rose Barr** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM