



James Vincent "Nikolas" Wingo

October 3, 1968 - September 3, 2025

James Vincent "Nikolas" Wingo, 56 Years, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri died at his home.

He was born October 3, 1968 in Cape Girardeau, MO to Dr. E. Otha and Ann (Hardy) Wingo.

His vocation was chantor at St. John the Theologian Orthodox Church. Vincent was an amazing musician and artist. He very well versed in the liberal arts of history, philosophy, and theology. He took great personal pleasure in ancient church hymns and melodies. Despite having physical disabilities, he showed excellence in continuing to serve his community. He was truly a friend you could always count on.

He was a respected member of St. John the Theologian Orthodox Church.

Survivors include son, Elijah Wingo; sister, Lynn (Al) Koerber; brother, Eric (Candy) Wingo; godson, Aric Euphrosynus Johnson; two nieces, Vanessa Cuellar, Jaina Koerber; five nephews, Yosef Goldberg, Yoram Koerber, Devin Wingo, Escher Wingo, Corey Wingo; cats, Momo and Milo; several cousins, grand-nephews, and grand-nieces.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

The Orthodox Funeral Rite will be at 10:00 am Tuesday, September 9, 2025 at St. John the Theologian Orthodox Church, 304 Daisy Ave., Jackson, MO 63755 with the Father Daniel Morton officiating.

Burial will be at Cape County Memorial Park in Cape Girardeau.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given towards family use for funeral expenses.

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com.

Ford & Sons Funeral Home - Mt. Auburn is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Cape County Memorial Park

2315 Highway 61 N
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Previous Events

Orthodox Funeral Rite

SEP 9. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. John The Theologian Orthodox Church
304 Daisy Ave
Jackson, MO 63755

Tribute Wall

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“ Vince exhibited his art with the Cadmium River artists Group at the Global Cafe on Broadway street here in Cape Girardeau. I loved seeing what he was going to bring in next!

Randy Hays. - September 26, 2025 at 07:46 PM

MZ

“ From deep conversations to trading dad jokes, Vince was a good friend in any kind of mood. He was also an encouraging and patient mentor at the chanter’s stand, and perhaps the kindest, gentlest and most hospitable person I have ever known. I will miss him in so many different ways. May his memory be eternal!

Michael Ziegler - September 07, 2025 at 11:38 AM

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“ Vince was a true and loyal friend to my cousin Mary, his love for her was undeniable. I met him only once, however I could immediately discern his gentle soul. And his beautiful artwork made an impact on my soul. May Mary’s best and most loyal friend rest in peace.

Kiersten Sharp - September 07, 2025 at 04:22 AM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



photios Brian Phillips - September 06, 2025 at 05:09 PM

VA

“ Still speechless. I love you, Uncle Vince ❤️



Vanessa - September 06, 2025 at 02:01 PM

PP

*Will miss my godson very much. I love you Nicholas.
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photios Brian Phillips - September 06, 2025 at 05:06 PM

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*Blessed be the way on which you walk today. There is prepared for you
a place of eternal rest. We will miss you, dear brother.*

Fr. Achilles Karathanos - September 07, 2025 at 12:15 AM