



## Larry Brown

September 10, 2012

Larry Dean Brown, 73, of Cape Girardeau, died Monday, September 10, 2012 at Ratliff Care Center. He was born November 21, 1938 at St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau to Walton William and Inez Mary Spalding Brown. Larry attended Catholic Schools in Cape Girardeau and was a Boy Scout. He was an electrician and a member of IBEW Local No. 1 for 45 plus years. Before that he worked for The Brown Co. and Rufus Kluesner Construction. He was a member of the Army Reserve for 15 years, enlisted June 1952, discharged June 1967 and had basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. He held the rank of Staff Sargent. He was a member of Elks Lodge 639 for 48 years and served as Past Exalted Ruler (1992-1993) and Lodge Trustee. He was a past member of the Knights of Columbus. He was preceded in death by his parents, 3 brothers, a sister and a nephew. Survivors include a sister, Doris Roberts of Bonne Terre, Mo.; a sister-in-law, Jeanie Brown of Cape Girardeau; 11 nephews; and five nieces. He enjoyed deer and elk hunting, fishing, traveling with friends and visiting friends in Colorado. Friends may call 4 to 8 PM Thursday, September 13, 2012 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home. Parish prayers will be at 7:00 PM. Elks service will follow at 7:30 PM. Funeral service will be 10:00 AM Friday, September 14, 2012 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home with Msgr. Richard Rolwing officiating. Burial will be at Cape County Memorial Park Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Missouri Elks Benevolent Trust, In Care of Elks Lodge 639, 639 Elks Lane, Cape Girardeau, MO 63701-8407 or Elks National Foundation, 2750 N.

Lakeview Ave., Chicago, IL 60614-2256.

# Tribute Wall

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“ My deepest sympathy for the loss of your loved one! I am Rufus and Kathleen Kluesner's youngest daughter. I remember Larry when I was a young child; he used to visit our family home on Brookwood Dr. My fondest memory of Larry was that he used to play Santa for us three girls, when we were too young to know any different. I remember one year at christmas when santa came to visit- I said to my father "Santa sounds a lot like Larry Brown". Though I don't recall exactly what my fathers' response was, I do remember the look of dispare on my mother's face; 'how do i respond to that". He was always such a jolly gentleman, and although it has been years since I last came in contact with Larry, I remember him well from my childhood. Once again, my deepest condolences!

Cecelia Kluesner- Kee - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ In the 45 years I have known Larry he was always fun to be around and a great guy. One of a kind, he will be remembered and missed.

Roy Gunter - December 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with each of you and we are all sorry for your loss. We do appreciate you giving us the opportunity to assist and serve.

Comfort Keepers At Home Help - Sherry James and St - December 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Uncle Larry has been such an important part of my life. As a child I loved his patience and fun loving spirit. As an adult I could always count on his strength, his love and his honest advise. I will deeply miss him.*

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**Sharon Roberts** - November 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM