



Ora J. "Jim" Gibson Jr.

August 22, 2010

Ora James (Jim) Gibson, Jr., 67, of Cape Girardeau, MO, died Sunday, August 22, 2010 at Southeast Missouri Hospital. He was born November 15, 1942 in St. Louis, MO son of the late Dr. Ora James and Edna M. Miller Gibson Sr. of Cape Girardeau, MO. He and Nancy Jean Price were married February 2, 1963 at Greenville, South Carolina. Mr. Gibson was a 1961 graduate of Central High School in Cape Girardeau, MO. From Southern Illinois University he earned both a Bachelor's degree and a Masters degree in political science. At Salmon P. Chase School of Law at Northern Kentucky University he earned a Juris Doctorate degree. Over the years he had a private practice, worked as Assistant Prosecutor and was currently working as Senior Counsel in the Department of Revenue, State of Missouri. Survivors include: Wife - Nancy Jean Gibson, Cape Girardeau, MO Son - Edward James Gibson, Cape Girardeau, MO Grandson - Karter James Gibson Aunt - Lorene Killion, Highland, IL Cousin - Al Killion, Champaign, IL He was preceded in death by Parents Private Graveside Services will be held at Cape County Memorial Park Cemetery. Ford & Sons Funeral Home in charge of arrangements

Tribute Wall

GC

“ *My sincere sympathy goes to Jim's family. Jim and I were classmates at Central High School.*

G. Paul Corbin - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *I am deeply sorry for your loss. Jim handled lots of DWI hearing cases for me over the years. We debated politics.....agreed most of the time. Saw him at the gun shows. He was a good man. You and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers.*

James M. McClellan - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ *We lost a good neighbor and friend. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family*

Barbara Schwepker and Johb Sachen - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ *O.J. was a fine lawyer and friend. He will truly be missed by all that new him. O.J. was widely respected, particularly among members of the legal community. As a hearing examiner, he was always fair, did what he thought as right. As a human being, he was generous with his time and advice, caring, and loved his family, his friends, politics, and guns. I will miss our discussions. We have lost a fine gentleman, a great lawyer, and our friend. My sincere condolences to Nancy, Edward, and the rest of O.J.'s family.*

Carl Ward - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ Nancy, I am so deeply sorry to hear of Jim's departure. I have such fond memories of our few, but lingering visits. . .with warmest of thoughts across the miles. Jane

Jane Mitchell Klapproth - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ Nancy: We were sorry to hear of Jim's passing. Our sincere condolences go out to you and your family. David B Knight & employees of Ole Hickory Pits

David B Knight - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ Mr. Gibson was a collegial lawyer and a fine gentleman. Many times before administrative hearings we would discuss the current political happenings, and the fundamental principles of liberty. My sincere sympathy on your loss. May His Memory Be Eternal.

David Roth - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AP

“ Our condolences Nancy. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Abe Funk, PharmD - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JH

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GJ

“ SO SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT JIM. WE WERE LAW PARTNERS TOGETHER MANY YEARS AGO. JIM WAS A WONDERFUL PERSON, HUSBAND, FATHER AND SON. MAY GOD BLESS HIS FAMILY.

GERALD JOHNSON - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ we are so sorry to hear about jim. we had a lot of fun together in our younger years, our prayers are with you

john and karen baker - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ So Sorry to hear about Jim leaving this world. He was a good friend and companion in years past.Hopefully we will meet up again.

Allan Bellamy - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM