



## Arnold "Arnie" Otto Oswald

February 26, 1946 - April 1, 2023

Arnold "Arnie" Otto Oswald, 77, of Perryville, Missouri passed away Saturday, April 1, 2023 at Independence Care Center in Perryville, MO.

He was born February 26, 1946 in Perry County, MO to Leo and Hilda (Moeckel) Oswald.

He and Sharon Kay Esselman were married on October 5, 1967. She survives in Perryville, MO.

He was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church in Perryville. He was the Owner/Operator of S & A Remodeling Company. He loved fishing, and four wheeling. He would lead the side by side rides where he earned the name "Captain."

Survivors include son, Jeff Oswald in Chester, IL, daughter, Dana (Jason) Schmelzle of Ste. Genenvieve, MO; sister, Wilma Esselman of Perryville, MO, eleven grandchildren, thirteen great grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.

He was preceded in death by his parents, son, Mark Oswald; four brothers, Herman, Ben, Ruben and Alfred Oswald; two sisters, Norma McIntyre and Olga Oswald.

Visitation will be from 8:30 am to 10:00 am on Saturday, April 8, 2023 at Ford & Young Funeral Home in Perryville.

Memorial Service will be at 10:00 am Saturday, April 8, 2023 at Ford & Young Funeral Home in Perryville with Rev. Matthew Marks officiating.

Burial will be at Immanuel Lutheran Cemetery in Perryville.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to American Cancer Society or American Diabetes Association.

Online condolences may be made at [www.fordandyoungfuneralhome.com](http://www.fordandyoungfuneralhome.com).

Ford & Young Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Immanuel Lutheran Cemetery Perryville

Perryville, MO

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 8. 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Ford and Young Funeral Home  
110 S. West St.  
Perryville, MO 63775

## Memorial service

APR 8. 10:00 AM (CT)

Ford and Young Funeral Home  
110 S. West St.  
Perryville, MO 63775

# Tribute Wall



“ Arnold "Arnie" Otto Oswald

October 20, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ Arnold "Arnie" Otto Oswald

October 20, 2023 at 01:44 AM



“ Sharon, and Family,  
I am dearly sorry for the loss you have to endure. It is definitely a struggle to go through. But, be assured he will always be at your side! I always feel that Roger has been there for me, helping me through difficulties. Love is a strong bond that transitions past this world! Condolences to you and Family, take care!  
Love, Mary Blandford Schimpf



Mary Blandford Schimpf - April 20, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ Jeanice L Baker lit a candle in memory of  
Arnold "Arnie" Otto Oswald



Jeanice L Baker - April 07, 2023 at 11:42 AM



Sharon and Dana my heart is with you prayers for all the family

Jeanice L Baker - April 07, 2023 at 11:47 AM

LM

“ Lynn And Terri Murray lit a candle in memory of Arnold "Arnie" Otto Oswald



Lynn and Terri Murray - April 05, 2023 at 08:44 AM



“ SHARON AND DANA AND THE REST OF THE FAMILY. I AM SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. I HAVE VERY SPECIAL MEMORIES OF YOU GUYS. ARNIE IS NOT IN PAIN ANYMORE. MAY HE REST IN PEACE. DONNA GUEMMER

Donna Guemmer - April 03, 2023 at 10:47 PM

DG

“ With our Deepest Sympathy to you Sharon; Dana and Family. He always had a smile and kindness. So sorry in your loss. With Prayers & Sympathy and Love-forever- Dale & Diane Grogg. Diane & Dale Grogg.

Dale & Diane Grogg - April 03, 2023 at 09:13 PM

DK

“ Sharon and family, so very sorry for your loss and thoughts and prayers out to each of you!  
Deanna kline

deanna kline - April 03, 2023 at 07:56 PM

HM

“ So very sorry for your loss Sharon. I remember the vans he did many years ago. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. 🙏🙏🙏🥹

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**Harold Mott** - April 03, 2023 at 06:46 PM

DE

“ Sharon, Dana and family., I am so sorry for your loss. Sending prayers for all of you!

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**Debbiegerler** - April 03, 2023 at 04:43 PM