



Celestine "Patrick" Elder

December 21, 1932 - September 25, 2018

Celestine "Patrick" Elder, 85, of St. Mary, died on September 25, 2018 at his son Brian's residence in St. Mary, MO at Lac Difani.

He was born December 21, 1932 in Perryville, MO son of Thomas Joseph and Mary Evelyn (Tucker) Elder. He was previously married to Anita Alsup who survives in Ste. Genevieve, MO.

He was owner/operator of Elder's Barber Shop in St. Mary and Perryville, MO. He was a former member of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in St. Mary, MO. He was a member of St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, Knights of Columbus Council 1263, American Legion Post 133, VFW Post 4282 and a US Army veteran of the Korean War.

Other survivors include three sons and one daughter, Scot J. Elder of Jackson, Brian P. Elder of St. Mary, Greg W. Elder of Ste. Genevieve, Patrice M. Richardet of Perryville; one daughter-in-law, Michelle Elder of St. Louis; one brother and three sisters, Rita Aunspach of Perryville, Doris Graff of Shelbyville, IL, Leroy "Willie" (Lois) Elder and Evelyn (David) Unterreiner all of Perryville; five grandchildren, Erica (Dennis) Siebert, Amanda (Chad) Winkler, Megan Richardet, Waylon (Kaci) Richardet and Rachel Elder; and 8 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a son, Michael D. Elder and a daughter, Ann M. Elder.

Visitation will be held at Young & Sons Funeral Home on Thursday, September 27 from 3:30 to 8:00 pm and on Friday, September 28 from 6:30 to 9:30 am with rosary recited at 8:30 am. He will then be taken to St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church for Mass at 10:00 am with Rev. Charlie Prost officiating. Entombment in the Mary Queen of Heaven Mausoleum at Mt. Hope Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers memorials preferred for a future Memorial for Celestine Patrick Elder. Young & Sons Funeral Home, Inc. in Perryville, MO provided the arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Celestine "Patrick" Elder*

October 20, 2023 at 02:54 AM



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October 20, 2023 at 01:44 AM



“ *Greg and family. I am sorry sorry to hear about your dad. He was truly a great man and will be missed by many. May GOD wrap his arms around you all and give you comfort.*

Tina Tallevast - September 28, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *To Patrice, and to all the Elder Family... You are in our thoughts and prayers this week.*

September 26, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *When a loved one becomes a memory, a memory becomes a treasure. Treasure the memories.*

Delana Berkbigler - September 26, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *To all the Elder family, My love, thoughts and prayers are with you all! Blessings of peace....*

Fr. Rickey Valleroy - September 25, 2018 at 12:00 AM