



Edgar J. Lawrence

May 11, 1943 - December 29, 2019

Edgar J. "E.J." Lawrence, 76, of Perryville, Missouri died Sunday, December 29, 2019 at Perry County Memorial Hospital in Perryville, MO.

He was born May 11, 1943 in Perryville, Missouri to Wilbert and Ottana (Michaud) Lawrence.

He had been a coal miner. He was a member of American Legion Post 133 Booster, Elks Lodge 2701 and UMWA.

Survivors include his lifelong partner of 58 years, Diana (Adams), two daughters and one son, Denise (Dave) Batchler of Wentzville, MO, Tracy (Randy) Elliott of Imperial, MO, Keith Lawrence of Perryville, MO; eight sisters, Reva (Thomas) Boxdorfer of Bethalto, IL, Virginia (Paul) Lowes, Valma Hayden, Wilma Kline, Mary (Kim) Flentge all of Perryville, MO, Verna DePaul of Marion, IL, Wileen (Gary) Frost of Gary, IN, Evelyn (Raymond) Detjen of Perryville, MO; three brothers, Roger Lawrence of Perryville, MO, Ronald Lawrence of St. Louis, MO, Jimmy Lawrence of Perryville, MO; eight grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one sister, Rena Lawrence; two brothers, Rodney Lawrence, Ralph Lawrence; and one great-grandchild.

Friends may call at Ford & Young Chapel on Friday, January 3 from 4:00 pm until time of memorial service at 7:00 pm with Pastor Michael Friese officiating.

Memorial contributions may be given to COPD - American Heart Association or American Lung Association.

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

Ford & Young Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 3. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Ford & Young Chapel
110 S. West St.
Perryville, MO 63775

Service

JAN 3. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Edgar J. Lawrence*

October 20, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ *Edgar J. Lawrence*

October 20, 2023 at 01:44 AM



“ *Jennifer Lawrence lit a candle in memory of Edgar J. Lawrence*



Jennifer Lawrence - March 08, 2022 at 11:03 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of Jerry's passing. He will be missed. Prayers for the family.*

Mary Kiefer - January 03, 2020 at 10:17 PM



“ *Kerry Whitaker and Deb Sugarman purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Edgar J. Lawrence.*



Kerry Whitaker and Deb Sugarman - January 03, 2020 at 10:40 AM

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“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Tracy Elliott - January 02, 2020 at 11:37 PM

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“ 5 files added to the album Memories Album



Tracy Elliott - January 02, 2020 at 11:29 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Edgar J. Lawrence.



January 02, 2020 at 01:20 PM

KM

“ *My condolences to Tracy and the entire family. My prayers are with you and your family as you go through this difficult time. May God bring you peace through the wonderful memories of your loved one.*



Kathy McAlpin - January 01, 2020 at 07:53 PM

MA

“ *My sympathy to Diane and all the children, grandchildren. Jerry's brother, Ron and all his sisters and brothers. My prayers will be for all of you through this loss. Jerry was a hard working man who loved his family. He had a good heart.*

Mary - January 01, 2020 at 06:27 PM

LN

“ *I met Edgar (Jerry) though his daughter, Tracy. He always seemed to be full of friendly chatter. I remember one time Tracy and I had gone down to see her parents. I brought a cherry pie. Jerry said he didn't usually like cherry pie, but he liked the one I had brought. His words made me feel very good. Jerry will be missed. My sympathy, thoughts and prayers go out to and for his family. Liz Newbern St Louis, Mo*

liz newbern - January 01, 2020 at 06:12 PM

CD

“ *RIP Jerry! You were really good to my mom and I when there came a point in our lives we were struggling. So full of piss and vinegar and full of love. I'm so sorry for your loss Dianna. 2019 was filled with many losses for me. So I feel your pain right along with you. Hugs.*



Cassandra Dippold - January 01, 2020 at 03:54 PM

MH

“ *Diana and family so sorry for your loss. Many prayers for you and your family 🙏*

Mina Hoehn - January 01, 2020 at 09:04 AM

JN

“ *So sorry to hear of your family's loss, sending prayers and condolences. Love from Billie and Jerry N.*

Jerry and Billie Nenninger - December 31, 2019 at 08:49 PM

CL

*Thank You Aunt Billie and Uncle Jerry. Love you both!
-Chantel*

Chantel Lawrence - January 03, 2020 at 02:39 PM

KC

“ *RIP uncle Jerry. Your smile has touched the lives of many and will be forever embedded in our memories.
My sincere condolences,
Kerry Crain-niece*

kerry crain - December 31, 2019 at 06:02 PM