



## Joe M . Favier

September 2, 1950 - June 10, 2023

Joseph M. Favier, age 72, was received into the arms of Christ on June 10, 2023.

Joe lived a life that he loved. He will long be remembered as a loving son, brother, husband, father, grandfather, veteran, volunteer, coach, leader and friend.

At 18 months old, Joe was adopted by the Wallace (Si) and Augusta (Gussie) Gagnepain family of Perryville. From them he learned of unconditional love, acceptance and the blessing of family. He went through life reaching out to others, accepting others, supporting, comforting and giving, knowing that the Lord had given him many blessings.

Joe was a practicing Catholic with a strong devotion to Mary.

He graduated from St. Vincent High school in 1968. Through the years he was very active in the SV Alumni Association. Upon graduating high school Joe went to trade school to become a certified electrician.

Joe served our country in the United States Army from 1970 - 1972.

Joe married his soul mate, the former Patricia Walter on May 23, 1975. They were blessed with 48 years of marriage. She survives along with Joe's pride and joy, his two children; Natalie and Ben.

As a successful entrepreneur, he loved working with his son Ben in their family wholesale distribution business. He loved spending time with his daughter Natalie. He was delighted to welcome Jon White into the family and had a special relationship with him and his three grandchildren; Jocelyn, Jordan & Jackson White.

Survivors include his wife, Pat (Watler) Favier of Perryville; daughter, Natalie (Jon) White of Chesterfield, MO; son, Ben Favier of Perryville; three grandchildren, Jocelyn White, Jordon White, Jackson White of Chesterfield, MO; brother, Father John Gagnepain, C.M. of Perryville, MO; sister, Lucy Brenner of Morrison, MO; sister-in-laws, Sue Pierce of Perryville, Frankie (Jim) Erlacker of Kansas City, MO, Pam (Denny) Cattoor of Perryville, MO, Lisa (Jim) Best of Perryville; brother-in-law, Mel (Barb) Walter of St. Albans, MO; fifteen nieces and nephews and many great nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Eugene Gagnepain; sister-in-law, Peggy Gagnepain; brother-in-law, Tony Brenner; father-in-law, Glennon "Bud" Walter; mother-in-law, Stella Walter.

With his adventurous spirit and kind heart, Joe was many things to many people. From former Little League baseball players to high school football players they will say they have lost the man who inspired them. Friends will say they have lost their leader of fishing and golf outings as well as trips to Mizzou football games. Family and extended family members will say they have lost their shepherd while God has said, Alleluia, Joe your home!

Visitation will be from 9:15 am to 11:00 am, with Rosary Recital at 11am on Saturday June 17, 2023 at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church in Perryville.

Funeral Mass will follow at 11:30 am with Fr. John Gagnepain, C.M. & Fr. Pat

Mullin officiating.

Military Honors will be provided by the Delta Team and American Legion Post #133.

Burial will be at Mt. Hope Cemetery in Perryville.

Memorial Contributions may be given to The Association of The Miraculous Medal or The St. Vincent Alumni 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

## Mt. Hope

Perryville, MO 63775

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 17. 9:15 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St Vincent de Paul Church  
1000 Rosati Ct  
Perryville, MO 63775  
(573) 547-4300

# Tribute Wall



“ Joe M . Favier

October 20, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ Joe M . Favier

October 20, 2023 at 01:44 AM



“ Joe will be greatly missed - never got much time due to locations but when with with him I was always better when I left ... thank you Joe for blessing my life as you did all !!! Know your spirit will live with all ... Jim Nasser and family.

jimmy nasser - June 17, 2023 at 10:26 AM



“ Pat, Natalie, & Beb. We are so sorry for your loss of Joe. we have many wonderful memories when your family lived on LaWanda Dr. in Cape. You will be in our thoughts and prayers. With Sympathy, David & Cathy Kapfer

david Kapfer - June 16, 2023 at 10:17 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joe M . Favier.



June 16, 2023 at 07:37 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joe M . Favier.*



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June 16, 2023 at 05:17 PM



“ *Pat, Natalie and Ben,  
I was very sorry to hear that Joe passed away. He was a great guy. An outstanding businessman, a tough negotiator, a great golf partner, an enjoyable lunch companion and most important a man of high moral character. I know your family is proud of him and I was fortunate to call him a friend. He will be missed.*

*Charlie Wiegars*

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**Charles Wiegars** - June 16, 2023 at 05:02 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of Joe's passing, he was always the fun cousin to be around. May he rest in peace. Cari Skain*

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**Cari Skain** - June 16, 2023 at 02:05 PM



“ *A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Joe M . Favier.*



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June 16, 2023 at 10:50 AM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Joe M . Favier.



June 16, 2023 at 10:48 AM



“ Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Joe M . Favier.



June 16, 2023 at 08:58 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Joe M . Favier.

June 15, 2023 at 08:31 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Joe M . Favier.



June 15, 2023 at 08:31 AM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Joe M . Favier.*



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June 14, 2023 at 02:14 PM



“ *Joe was for a lack of better term my “step uncle” but the label wasn’t relevant.*

*During the summers as a kid , I spent a good amount of time with my step-mom Lisa and dad Jim Best. It was always a little out of sorts not being around your school friends during the summer and being away from your typical activities.*

*Joe made me feel like I was loved, seen and appreciated every time I saw him. When he spoke to you, you knew every single word was intentional. From golf cart rides, watching football games, raiding his candy boxes or just having a simple conversation, Joe intentionally showed you he loved you and he cared.*

*What I would give to smell his pipe or hear his warm voice one more time.*

*In our final conversation, he was lobbying for me to make more time to visit my dad. That’s just the kind of man he was; he was always looking out for someone else.*

*Joe gave so much more to this world than he took from it and I have 0 doubt that God has a special place for him in Heaven.*

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**Zane Best** - June 14, 2023 at 12:39 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Joe M . Favier.*



June 14, 2023 at 11:34 AM



“ *From Chuck and Jody Gelsheimer purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Joe M . Favier.*



**From Chuck and Jody Gelsheimer** - June 13, 2023 at 10:36 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Joe M . Favier.*



June 13, 2023 at 05:29 PM



“ *Sympathy to Pat and her family.....Joe was a great guy and we cherish our many great memories....  
Julie & Tom Sauer*

**Julie & Tom Sauer** - June 13, 2023 at 02:56 PM

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“ Good-bye cousin. While we did not see each other much after childhood, we spent many wonderful days together with our other cousins wandering the woods and fields, fishing, homemade ice cream and playing horseshoes. May you rest in peace.

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**Mick Stohr** - June 13, 2023 at 02:30 PM

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“ Pat so sorry to here that Joe had passed away!!! Prayers for the family!!!

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**Tom Hart** - June 13, 2023 at 01:35 PM