



Kenneth W. Prater

February 26, 1951 - April 3, 2019

Kenneth W. Prater, 68, of St. Mary died April 3, 2019 at Independence Care Center of Perry County in Perryville, MO.

He was born February 26, 1951 in Salem, MO, son of Howard I. and Bertha I. (Turner) Prater. He married Rose Ann Romay on June 18, 1976. She survives in St. Mary.

Kenneth was retired from Chester Mental Health Center as a security therapy aid II. He was a member of Prairie Du Rocher Sportsman Club, Vietnam Veteran and Southern Baptist Disaster Team in Kimberling City, MO. He enjoyed camping and gardening.

Survivors include one son, Alan W. Prater in St. Mary, two brothers and five sisters, Richard (Jane) Prater of Steelville, IL, Harold "Issac" Prater of Chester, IL, Ada Hill of Percy, IL, Janet Beecher of Rutland, IL, Linda (Dave) Offerman of Burksville, IL, Nancy (Andy) Cleiman of Perryville and Vanessa (Dean) Byer of Tennessee, three grandchildren, Chandler, Wyatt and Kolbi Prater and several nieces and nephews and great nieces and nephews

He was preceded in death by his parents, one daughter, Karen Ann Prater, three sisters, Betty Warren, Patricia Prater and Geraldene Pollard and one brother, Carl Prater.

Private Services were held with the family.

Memorials are preferred to Trinity Baptist Church in St. Mary.

Young & Sons Funeral Home, Inc. in Perryville, MO provided the arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Kenneth W. Prater*

October 20, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ *Kenneth W. Prater*

October 20, 2023 at 01:44 AM



“ *Rest In Peace Uncle Kenny!*

April 08, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *My condolences to Rose and the family.*

Larry McGuire - April 06, 2019 at 12:00 AM