



## Michael Garris

February 20, 1938 - January 20, 2021

Michael J. Garris, 82, of Crosstown, Missouri passed away Wednesday, January 20, 2021 at his residence.

He was born February 20, 1938 in Perry County, MO to Steve and Daisy (Roberts) Garris.

He and Alice May (Evans) Garris were married on June 18, 1960 in Sereno. She survives in Crosstown.

Michael was a Heavy Equipment Operator and Maintenance Technician for Operating Engineers Local 513 for 63 years. He loved bluegrass music, dancing, taking photos and scenic drives. He loved the woods, mushroom hunting, and mowing the lawn, singing, playing the harmonica and enjoying family times.

Survivors include three sons, Michael Steven Garris and Daniel Wayne (Wendy) Garris both of Crosstown, MO, Kurt Shane Garris and fiancé Jamie Miller of Perryville, MO; three daughters, Winona Renee (Don) Koetting, Yvonne Kay (Chris) Petzoldt and Kathy Faye Taylor all of Perryville, MO, thirteen grandchildren, Lindsey (Koetting) Edmonds, Landon Koetting, Abby Garris, Libby Garris, Michael Garris III, Misty Rolens, Dustin Rolens, Mark Taylor, Andrew Taylor, Brittany (Taylor) Bromhead, Myles Douglass, Rachael

Garris and Kolby Garris and twelve great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, three sisters, Fredi Abernathy, Anna Faye Noe, Winnie Lee Bradley and one grandson.

Visitation will be from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm on Sunday, January 24, 2021 and from 6:30 am to 10:00 am on Monday, January 25, 2021 at Ford and Young Chapel in Perryville.

Funeral Service will be at 10:00 am Monday, January 25, 2021 at Ford and Young Funeral Home in Perryville.

Burial will be at Bethlehem Baptist Cemetery in Crosstown.

Memorial contributions may be given to Crown Hospice or Bethlehem Baptist Cemetery.

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

Ford and Young Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Bethlehem Baptist Cemetery

Crosstown, MO

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **24**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

## Funeral Service

JAN **25**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Michael Garris*

October 20, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ *Michael Garris*

October 20, 2023 at 01:44 AM



“ *Alice I remember you not sure you will remember me. You have my deepest sympathy. And prayers for your whole family! God bless!*

**Pamela Cissell** - January 28, 2021 at 08:32 AM



“ *Alice, my sympathy to you and your family. I know that you will treasure the memories. God's peace,*  
*Rita Weber*

**Rita Weber** - January 25, 2021 at 10:12 PM



“ *Dear Alice,*  
*We were so sorry to hear about the passing of your husband. It is always hard to part from the people we love. Know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.*  
*Daniel & Jeanette (Buchheit) Klobe*

**Jeanette Klobe** - January 23, 2021 at 08:41 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Michael Garris.*



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January 23, 2021 at 07:03 PM



“ *Boyd, Sherry, Tyler, Jesse, Riley, Shelby Edmonds purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Michael Garris.*



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**Boyd, Sherry, Tyler, Jesse, Riley, Shelby Edmonds** - January 22, 2021 at 05:37 PM



“ *Alice, I am so sorry to hear of Mike's passing. I just lost my soulmate Lester on January 10. It hurts so much, but I know he is in the arms of Jesus and the pain and suffering is gone. My prayers and heartfelt sympathy to you and your family. God bless you!*

*Carol Wingerter*

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**Carol Wingerter** - January 22, 2021 at 05:31 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Michael Garris.*



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January 22, 2021 at 01:50 PM

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“ I know the pain and sadness you all are feeling, there are no words to take this away. But I always smile when I think of Uncle Mike, he was a picture guy, he had them hung all over the basement walls. In among all the family photos would be a picture of oatmeal because he said it looked good 😊 Family was important to Uncle Mike and I loved him for that, he will be missed! I will keep you all in my prayers 💕💕

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**vickie yount** - January 22, 2021 at 10:02 AM

DK

“ Our deepest sympathy on your families loss. Thoughts and prayers to find strength during this time.  
Jeff and Deanna Kline

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**Deanna Kline** - January 22, 2021 at 09:31 AM

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“ Accept our sincere sympathy with the loss of your loved one. Be assured of our prayers for you.

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**Eugene & Thelma Nations** - January 21, 2021 at 11:58 AM