



## Edward James Cain Jr.

December 29, 1942 - November 21, 2025

Obituary for Edward James “Jim” Cain Jr.

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Edward James “Jim” Cain Jr., of Hillsboro, Missouri, passed away peacefully on November 21, 2025, at the age of 82, surrounded by his loving family. Born on December 29, 1942, in St. Louis, he was the beloved son of the late Edward Cain Sr. and the late Faye Cain (née Shelton). Jim retired after more than 30 years as a Derailment Emergency Responder with the Frisco–BNSF Railroad.

Jim enjoyed riding his motorcycle cross-country with his late wife, Diane, who was his best friend. He loved all things fishing—especially collecting lures, rods, and reels. He was an enthusiastic model-railroad hobbyist and had an impressive display in his basement. Jim enjoyed going to yard sales, spending time with family, and doing anything that involved being with his wife. One of his greatest joys was taking golf-cart rides with his great-grandchildren.

Jim leaves behind his loving children: Jim (Jennifer) Cain, Jeff (Debbie Shearer) Cain, Jackie (Doug) Nelson, and Greg Cain. He was a proud Papa to nine grandchildren—Mitchell, Maddie, Cy, Sarah, Nichole, Megan, Leah, Gregory, and Nic—and nine great-grandchildren.

He is also survived by his brother, Bill Cain; his sister-in-law, Joyce Vos (Rod); and his brother-in-law

He was preceded in death by:

His Wife, Diane Cain (nee Bauer)

His Parents- Edward Cain Sr. and Faye Cain (née Shelton)

His siblings- Mike Cain and Linda Carbone

Visitation: Friday, November 28, 2025, from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM at Chapel Hill Mortuary – Robert Brown Chapel, 103 4th Street, Hillsboro, Missouri 63050.

Funeral Service: Immediately following the visitation in the funeral chapel.

Interment: Peaceful Meadows Cemetery, Hillsboro, Missouri.

In honor of his lifelong love for animals, memorial donations may be made to the Humane Society of Missouri.

# Cemetery Details

## Peaceful Meadows Cemetery

4393 Jarvis Road  
Hillsboro, MO 63050

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 28. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Chapel Hill Mortuary, Robert Brown Chapel – Hillsboro  
103 4th St.  
Hillsboro, MO 63050  
(636) 789-4949  
[info@stlfuneral.com](mailto:info@stlfuneral.com)  
<https://www.stlfuneral.com/>

## Funeral Service

NOV 28. 1:00 PM - 1:45 PM (CT)

Chapel Hill Mortuary, Robert Brown Chapel – Hillsboro  
103 4th St.  
Hillsboro, MO 63050  
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## Committal Service

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NOV **28**. 2:15 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

Peaceful Meadows Cemetery  
4393 Jarvis Road  
Hillsboro, MO 63050

# Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Edward James Cain Jr..



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November 26, 2025 at 11:53 AM