



## Jim Rathburn

October 20, 1943 - April 24, 2021

RATHBURN, Jimmie Lee of House Springs, Missouri, was born October 20, 1943 in Vandalia, Missouri to John William and Lula B. (nee Lea) Rathburn and entered into rest Saturday, April 24, 2021 at his residence at the age of 77 years, 6 months and 4 days.

He is preceded in death by, his parents,

one (1) granddaughter, Allysa Dunnegan and

four (4) siblings, Everett Theodore Rathburn, Ellen Marie "Sis" Flynn, William Ashley "Buz" Rathburn, John Leroy "Roy" Rathburn,

He is survived by,

his loving wife, Elmary Yvonne (nee Haggard) Rathburn, married February 4, 1971,

one (1) daughter, Angela (Douglas) Dunnegan, of Cedar Hill, Missouri,

one (1) grandson, Cody James Dunnegan,

along with numerous extended family and friends.

Jim was a proud Navy Veteran, serving his country 1961 – 1964. He enjoyed working in his yard, gardening and mowing the lawn. He took great care of his family, friends and neighbors. He would keep an eye out in his community making sure everyone was taken care of. He had a personality and sense of humor that brought smiles and laughter to everyone he met. Some of his fondest memories are those of his family's camping trips throughout the years. He and his wife, Elmary, spent much time traveling together. He was a loving husband, wonderful father, devoted grandfather, proud uncle and a dedicated friend and neighbor. He will be fondly remembered and dearly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Memorial visitation will be held Saturday, May 22, 2021 from 1:00 p.m. until the time of the service at 2:00 p.m. at CHAPEL HILL MORTUARY, 6300 Highway 30, Cedar Hill, Missouri. Family and friends can review and share stories, photos and condolences online at [www.stlfuneral.com](http://www.stlfuneral.com) and follow details of this event and others in the community at [www.facebook.com/stlchapelhill](http://www.facebook.com/stlchapelhill).

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

MAY **22**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Chapel Hill Mortuary - Cedar Hill  
6300 Highway 30  
Cedar Hill, MO 63016  
(636) 274-4100  
info@stlfuneral.com  
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## Memorial Service

MAY **22**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Jim Rathburn*

January 06, 2023 at 10:46 PM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. I worked with Jim for eight years at Wetterau. He had a great sense of humor and always seemed very happy. I had many good times with Jim, especially playing softball for the Wetterau IT team.*

**Mark V Havermann** - May 10, 2021 at 11:00 AM



“ *Rae Robison purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Jim Rathburn.*



**Rae Robison** - April 27, 2021 at 05:54 PM



“ So so sorry to hear of Jim's passing. I just spoke with Jim and Elmary when my dad passed a few months ago. I remember so many nights of my folks and them laughing and playing cards when I was little. My dad just loved him so much, he was even the best man at their wedding. I just know, like Elmary said on Facebook, "they're up in heaven telling whoppers and drinking a beer together". I'm holding that close right now.



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**Rae Robison** - April 27, 2021 at 05:46 PM