



Matthew Joseph Held

January 29, 1955 - June 16, 2012

Matthew Joseph Held, age 57, of Hillsboro, Missouri, passed away suddenly on June 16, 2012, in St. Louis, Missouri. He was born January 29, 1955, in St. Louis, Missouri. He was the Co-Owner of Held Brothers Construction Company, proud member of the N.R.A., faithful parishioner of Good Shepherd Catholic Church. Matthew was an expert carpenter and an avid hunter.

He is survived by,

Mother-Ermina E. Held (nee Wynn) of Hillsboro, Missouri

Daughter-Brandie E. (Jim) Tieken, of Hillsboro, Missouri

Daughter-Bernadette E. (Michael Brandon) Held, of Arnold, Missouri

Brother-Michael (Belinka) Held, of Hillsboro, Missouri

Brother-Arlon (Ginny) Held, of Bismark, Missouri

Sister-Mary Ann Rudy, of Festus, Missouri

His grandchildren,

Marissa, Paige, Tyler Tieken and Alivia Brandon.

His nieces and nephews,

Gabe Whaley, Elissa Bradford, Luke Held, Celia Koory, Joe Schott, and Bjorn Held.

Also survived by a host of great nieces and Nephews.

Preceded in death by,

Father-Bernard E. Held

Brother-in-law-Robert F. Rudy

Visitation-Wednesday, June 20, 2012, from 5 to 8 p.m. at Robert D. Brown
Funeral Home, Hillsboro, Missouri

Funeral Mass-Thursday June 21, 2012, at 10 a.m. at Good Shepherd Catholic

Church, Hillsboro, Missouri.

Interment-Peaceful Meadows Cemetery, Hillsboro, Missouri

Memorials to-Masses or Bikers for Babies, would be appreciated.

Tribute Wall

TD

“ Sreeja glowed. Such a bright, strong, beautiful soul. An incredible light inside of her. She won't ever be forgotten.

Teresa Dorshorst-Dorlac - October 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ I knew Sreeja briefly, but the few times I got to be around her were memorable. I was instantly moved by her energy. Her poetry and ability to share it with strangers was inspiring. She always had a beautiful spark in her eyes. I keep her family and friends in my thoughts.

Kit (Christofferson) & Paul Lammert - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ I love u so much sreeja! What makes me really sad is the fact that u couldn't see the beauty in ur own life. You put so much good into the universe, and touched so many lives with ur beautiful smile, eyes, and prsonality. I wish I coulda done something 2 make u feel lonely in those last moments. I love u and see u later, not goodbye

Sherry Roth & family - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Our condolences to Sreeja's family, we really enjoyed getting to know her through her art & energy!!

Jim and Andrea Suedkamp - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

NA

“ *I'm still in a daze. I cannot believe that the girl that always made me smile is gone. I hope you could see the amazing amount of people that came to celebrate your life today. I will love you forever and always.*

Nancy(White)Doering - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ *I love you beautiful girl. Your smile had the power to light up the world. Our trips to the park, our long rides, and adventures in the city are memories that are seared in my heart. The hurt and emptiness I feel I can't even express. My only wish is that you found the peace you needed. I hope your soul is soaring. This isn't good-bye, I'll see you on the other side.*

Karen Snear - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MT

“ *TO THE FAMILY, MY PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY IN THIS TIME OF NEED. MY CONDOLENCE IS WITH YOU.*

Matthew Taylor - October 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ Grandma Betty will be greatly missed; I have many fond memories of her. I can hear her telling all those interesting stories about me from my childhood. The way she would tell me, "That"s not very lady-like." Her opinions about all my different hair color over the years, but she would says, "...still beautiful anyway." And in February 2009, I was happy that she came to Mexico for our destination wedding and I know she was too. She was the best Grandma and an awesome human being. I know that she is reunited now with both Grandpa Bills" and my Dad. And she will be with me tonight and always because I have all her quilts on my beds and the couch. I know she loved me dearly and I know she was ready to go, I will love her and miss her always. Corynne

Karen King Huntington - October 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ Sreeja- you were such an amazing person and friend. we are all better because you were in our lives. a big piece of my heart is missing now, I take comfort in knowing you are now peaceful and at rest in a better place. i will try to carry on your accepting, loving attitude you had towards everyone.

Jeannie Ewing - October 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ My deepest sympathy goes out to the fammily of Uncle Joe.

My thoughts and prayers are with each and everyone in their time of sorrow.

I am a Grandaughter of Glyna Choate Branum. And daughter of Peggy Payne

clayton (bo) roland - September 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TD

“ *I was deeply saddened to hear of your loss.*

Please accept my deepest sympathy on the passing of Benjamin Choate.

My thoughts are with you.

Natali

Tbilisi, Georgia.

teresa douglas - September 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ *Our deepest sympathies and prayers are with your family.*

Jo Ann Tieken - September 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RR

“ *I'll miss you*

Rhonda Roesch - September 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ *Our thoughts go out to Don and his family during this time. Know our prayers are with your entire family. Remember the good times during his brief life.*

Carrie Christofferson Handy - September 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ Please accept our heartfelt sympathy on the passing of Joe. We are deeply saddened by your loss. Joe kept us all laughing, & we will cherish the memories of the times we spent together. Peace, prayers and blessings.

Sara Jane Wells - September 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ It was a pleasure knowing you Joe. You are a kind man with a great sense of humor, thank you for being so nice to me and my family while going through Tracey's passing,It meant alot to me. I know you and him are in heaven now stiring things up:) your loved by so many.

The Linkul Family - September 12, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ My prayers are with all the Hogan"s in this unexpected time of pain. My the Peace that only the Lord can bring be yours.

Kathy Gottschalk Berry - September 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KK

“ I am so sorry for your loss. No words can take away your sorrow, only with time, can we heal from the pain and loss we are feeling. May God comfort you and carry you through this time of great sorrow. You all are in my prayers.

Kim Kirkpatrick - September 01, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ We are all devastated by the loss of our friend and co-worker. We have been blessed to be a part of his talents and humor on a daily basis. As a lead carpenter Tom was a hard worker who took pride in his craftsmanship. Tom will always be a part of Madden Construction from past projects which are standing among us to future projects through his ability to teach others what he truly loved. Thank You Tommy for touching our lives!

Jeff and Joan Abney - August 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ Tommy was one of the kindest gentlest souls I have ever known. My condolences to his family.

(Author Not Available) - August 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SO

“ I will remember Tommy as we played and talked at the family reunions in Hillsboro at your mom's house. She always had alot going on and everything from cooking and bakingw. We will always love you and remember you as my dear friend and cousin... Love always, Nancy and Jim Jones

Seth Oliver - August 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM