



## Woodson "Woody" Gates

November 24, 1951 - November 12, 2021

Gates, Woodson "Woody", of St. Louis, Missouri, was born November 24, 1951 in Evansville, Indiana to George and Martha (nee Daniels) Gates and entered into rest Friday, November 12, 2021 in Fenton, Missouri at the age of 69 years, 11 months, and 19 days.

He is preceded in death by, his parents,

One (1) grandchild, Jason,

two (2) sibling, George L. (Bonnie) Gates and John (Cheryl) Gates,

one (1) brother-in-law, Sonny Remington,

He is survived by, loving wife, Cathleen (nee Huels) Gates

three (3) children, Gregory (Kelly) Gates, Christopher (Jessica) Gates, and Andrew (Cheryll) Gates,

eight (8) grandchildren, Makenzie (Luke), Kenzie (Brandon), Gracie, Drew, Aidan, Leigha, Connor, and Bryar,

two (2) great grandchildren, Noel and Henry,

two (2) sibling, LoEva Remington and Herbert (Marie) Gates,

along with numerous extended family and friends.

Woodson was a strong man. He loved hunting, fishing, and woodworking. His friends and family could always count on him. He will be fondly remembered and dearly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Visitation Thursday, November 18, 2021 3:00 p.m. until the time of the service at 7:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers memorial donations can be made to Alzheimer's Association at 9370 Olive Blvd St. Louis, MO 63132. 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

## Visitation

NOV 18. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Chapel Hill Mortuary - Cedar Hill  
6300 Highway 30  
Cedar Hill, MO 63016  
(636) 274-4100  
info@stlfuneral.com  
<https://www.stlfuneral.com>

## Memorial Service

NOV 18. 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *When I was transferred from the Data Documents Denver Co plant in 1979 to the St. Louis plant, Woody taught me an extreme amount of maintenance on the presses. Just a great person, RIP my friend.* ”

Gar Mewell - June 27, 2024 at 02:08 PM

GN

*Sorry...Name is Gar Newell.*

Gar Newell - June 27, 2024 at 02:09 PM



“ *Woodson "Woody" Gates* ”

January 06, 2023 at 10:46 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Woodson "Woody" Gates.* ”



November 17, 2021 at 09:42 AM

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“ *Jim & Diane Worstenholm purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Woodson "Woody" Gates.* ”



Jim & Diane Worstenholm - November 16, 2021 at 07:55 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Woodson "Woody" Gates.*



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November 16, 2021 at 07:05 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Woodson "Woody" Gates.*



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November 16, 2021 at 04:42 PM



“ *Cathy,  
We have so many memories of being at Fellowship with friends and watching our kids growing up. We had a lot of great times and we are so sorry for your loss. You and family are in our prayers.  
Dale and Sally Huitt*

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**sally huitt** - November 16, 2021 at 07:35 AM

RS

“ *Cathy,  
Ron and I remember being at your house warming get together. Woody was so proud of your house and all the hard work you had done. He was happy and proud. We are so sorry to hear of Woody's passing. He was a great man and oh so much fun calling me "grandma" and me calling him "grandpa." I know you are missing him terribly, but rest assured that he is out of pain and now with Jesus with everlasting love. We will sure miss him and hearing of his antics. We are praying for you and the rest of the family during this most difficult time. Love you!*

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**Ron & Mary Ellen Seal** - November 15, 2021 at 08:55 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Woodson "Woody" Gates.*



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November 15, 2021 at 08:44 PM

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“ To my sweet Cathy we both know how difficult it is to watch those we love suffer. The times we all spent at Fellowship were priceless. I remember when Woody decided to go forward and accept Jesus as his personal savior. The battle within him ceased when he made that awesome decision and when I heard him shut that hymnal I knew Jesus had a new follower. And John will always remember the time they spend together at Cedar Hill putting together the house that brought so many people to the Lord. My heart breaks for you because I know I will be facing the same scenario. Cathy John and I love you and we loved Woody -- such a sweet man. Fly high dear Woody -- it's your turn to know the peace and love that Jesus gives to those who follow him.

*John and Sherry Plowman*

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**Sherry Plowman** - November 15, 2021 at 03:58 PM