



James Russell Olmsted

November 30, 1963 - June 3, 2023

James Russell Olmsted, age 59, of Aurora, MO passed away unexpectedly on Saturday, June 3, 2023. He was born in Weedsport, NY on Saturday, November 30, 1963; son of Duane and Elizabeth (Steele) Olmsted.

He is survived by three children, Jessica Murry or Billings, MO; Jenna Olmsted of Ozark, MO; and Jacob Olmsted of Ozark, MO.

Mr. Olmsted was preceded in death by his parents, Duane and Elizabeth Olmstead, and one son, Joshua Olmsted.

There will be a Celebration of Life on Saturday, June 10, 2023, at Wacky Jacks Grille and Saloon in Highlandville, MO (Hwy EE) at 12:00 PM. All are invited.

Arrangements are under the personal care and direction of Lakin Funeral Home in Pierce City, MO.

Tribute Wall



“ *James Russell Olmsted*

October 09, 2023 at 08:34 AM



“ *Please accept our deepest condolences for the loss of Mudman. Such a tragedy to lose a man of his compassion and drive. He will live in our hearts and memories forever. ...Ratchet*

John Mattox - June 07, 2023 at 10:20 AM



“ *I am so deeply sorry for your loss. He was an awesome man. He will be missed. Sending prayers to his children and grandchildren.*

Maria Banda - June 06, 2023 at 09:37 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with your family JR. I will miss you my friend! Always!*



Jan "Murphy" Halbach - June 06, 2023 at 08:25 AM