



James Ernest Stabler

December 17, 1958 - December 18, 2024

James Ernest Stabler, beloved husband, father, brother, friend, and craftsman, passed away on December 18, 2024, at the age of 66. Born on December 17, 1958, in St. Louis, Missouri, to Ernest Franklin and Gloria Jane Stabler. James was a lifelong resident of St. Louis. James is survived by his devoted wife, Linda Stabler, with whom he shared 41 years, and many treasured moments filled with love and laughter. Together, they built a life rich in adventure and creativity, always encouraging each other to pursue their passions. An avid outdoorsman, James found joy in camping and exploring nature's beauty. He had a deep appreciation for craftsmanship, dedicating countless hours to woodworking and furniture-making. His hands were skilled, and his heart was passionate; each piece he created bore his signature touch. James's warmth and kindness will be remembered fondly by all who knew him—he was a friend to all. His spirit will remain alive in the beautiful creations he left behind and in the cherished memories shared with family and friends.

He is survived by his wife, Linda Stabler of St. Louis, Missouri; daughter, Shannon (Derek) Kendall of St. Louis, Missouri; son, Devon Stabler of St. Louis, Missouri; brother, Joe Stabler of St. Louis, Missouri; sisters: Janell Stabler of St. Louis, Missouri, and Julie (Richard) Caples of St. Louis, Missouri; as well as many nieces and nephews. A celebration of James's life will be held on Saturday, December 28, 2024, at 2:00 p.m., at Lighthouse Baptist Church, 3025 N. Lindbergh Blvd. St. Ann, Missouri, 63074.

Cremation has been accorded by Valhalla Funeral Chapel, Crematory and Cemetery, 7600 St. Charles Rock Road, St. Louis, Missouri, 63133.

Tribute Wall

FP

“ *Ferdinando P. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Ernest Stabler.*

Ferdinando P. - December 27, 2024 at 04:59 PM

MB

“ *Marissa B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Ernest Stabler.*

Marissa B. - December 27, 2024 at 02:50 PM

MP

“ *Mark P. purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of James Ernest Stabler.*



Mark P. - December 27, 2024 at 01:45 PM

MP

“ *Mark P. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Ernest Stabler.*

Mark P. - December 27, 2024 at 01:45 PM

PS

“ *Jim was a good man and Fraternity Brother. He will be missed.*

Paul Schaffer - December 25, 2024 at 08:53 AM

SS

“ South Carolina Stablers purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of James Ernest Stabler.



South Carolina Stablers - December 23, 2024 at 12:18 PM

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“ South Carolina Stablers planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Ernest Stabler.

South Carolina Stablers - December 23, 2024 at 12:18 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of James Ernest Stabler.



December 23, 2024 at 09:48 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of James Ernest Stabler.

December 23, 2024 at 09:48 AM

MG

“ Jim was the sweetest, kindest person anyone could hope to meet. The river photo is from about 40 years ago. Linda is sitting on the red quad. The picnic table is a tribute to our friends who have passed before us. Jim’s name will get added to this table. He helped build it. Rest in peace Jimmy. I will miss you.



Margaret Graham - December 22, 2024 at 12:37 AM