



Luther William Blankenship

October 28, 1945 - June 11, 2019

Luther William Blankenship of Graniteville, MO passed away at his home on June 11, 2019 at the age of 73 years, 7 months, 14 days. He was born October 28, 1945, a son of the late Archie and Bessie (McAlister) Blankenship. On July 28, 1972 Luther was united in marriage to Ann Louise (Nash) Blankenship who survives.

Surviving Luther is a son, Justin (Heidi) Blankenship; three grandchildren, Haley, Ethan, and Leigha; one brother Ricky (Dorothy) Blankenship of Graniteville; one sister, Bessie (George) Nash also of Graniteville, and a host of other loving family members and friends. Luther is preceded in death by his parents; a daughter, Andrea, five brothers, Jerry, Daniel, David, Homer, and Rodney Blankenship; six sisters, Catherine Hughes, Josephine Polin, Lois Ellis, Thelma Crocker, Elsie Hughes, and Zelda Blankenship.

Luther retired as a construction worker for the Locals Laborers Union 1104 of Cape Girardeau. He had a passion for hunting, and was an expert at trapping. He will be truly missed and will never be forgotten.

A Celebration of Life for Luther will be held on Saturday, June 15, 2019 at 11:00 am from the Cole Family Chapel. Visitation will begin Friday, June 14, 2019 from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Officiating the services will be Pastor Darrell Jones. Interment will be in Graniteville Cemetery.

Online condolences may be made at www.colefamilyfuneralhomes.com

Cemetery Details

Graniteville Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **14**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Cole Family Funeral Home
210 E Reynolds St
Ironton, MO 63650
(573) 546-0742

Life Celebration

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Tribute Wall



“ *Luther William Blankenship*

August 31, 2022 at 12:46 PM



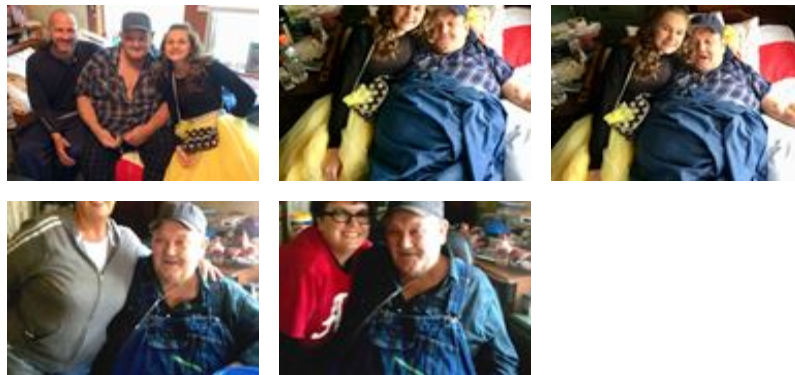
“ *Andrew & Breanna Kennedy lit a candle in memory of Luther William Blankenship*



Andrew & Breanna Kennedy - June 14, 2019 at 11:30 PM



“ *41 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Cole Family Funeral Home - June 14, 2019 at 09:51 AM

PN

“ *Phil Nachor lit a candle in memory of Luther William Blankenship*



phil nachor - June 14, 2019 at 12:00 AM

LE

“ *Leigha lit a candle in memory of Luther William Blankenship*



Leigha - June 13, 2019 at 10:52 PM

SW

“ *Sheilah Halbrook, & Waylon lit a candle in memory of Luther William Blankenship*



Sheilah Halbrook, & Waylon - June 13, 2019 at 08:12 PM

LB

“ *Leigha Blankenship lit a candle in memory of Luther William Blankenship*



Leigha Blankenship - June 13, 2019 at 07:27 PM

EB

“ *Ethan Blankenship lit a candle in memory of Luther William Blankenship*



Ethan Blankenship - June 13, 2019 at 07:24 PM



“ *so very sorry for your loss aunt ann he was a great man for sure and my favorite he will be missed*



Lisa Nachor - June 13, 2019 at 06:41 PM

LN

“ *Lisa Nachor lit a candle in memory of Luther William Blankenship*



lisa nachor - June 13, 2019 at 06:29 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Luther William Blankenship.*



June 13, 2019 at 01:51 PM

HB

“ *Haley Blankenship lit a candle in memory of Luther William Blankenship*



Haley Blankenship - June 13, 2019 at 01:21 PM

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Haley Blankenship - June 13, 2019 at 01:16 PM

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Haley Blankenship - June 13, 2019 at 01:08 PM

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“ *Haley Blankenship lit a candle in memory of Luther William Blankenship*



Haley Blankenship - June 13, 2019 at 01:02 PM

BW

“ *Brenda Crocker Wilson lit a candle in memory of Luther William Blankenship*



Brenda Crocker Wilson - June 13, 2019 at 07:30 AM

MF

“ *Deepest Sympathies for Ann, Justin and the whole family. They are a wonderful family and Luther will be missed. Love and prayers to all of you.*



Melinda S. Fox - June 12, 2019 at 11:07 PM

TB

“ *We at the Union Pacific DeSoto Car Shop offer our sincere condolences to Justin Blankenship and his family with the passing of his father. You remain in our thoughts and prayers during this sorrowful time.*

Terrena Butenschoen - June 12, 2019 at 02:07 PM