



## Roy William "Bill" Helvey

July 1, 1943 - May 31, 2016

Roy William "Bill" Helvey of Ironton, MO passed away May 31, 2016 in St. Louis, MO, at the age of 72 years, 10 months, and 20 days.

He was born July 1, 1943 in Bismarck, MO, a son of the late Rual and Hazel Lewis Helvey.

On Oct. 20, 1967 he was united in marriage to Patricia Huitt, who survives.

To this union was born three children; Beth Rhoades and husband Michael of Hillsboro, Bruce Helvey and Wife Lisa of Ironton, and Dawn Mounce and husband Scott of Ironton. Also surviving are two brothers, Jerry Helvey of Bismarck and Keith and wife Jean Helvey of Jacksonville, FL, one sister Betty and Husband Benny Bradley of Bismarck; six grandchildren, Madison, Morgan, Hayden, Hannah, Dustin and Peyton; his faithful hunting partner Mike Mahurin and special cousin Joe Lucas.

He worked for General Motors, Pilot Knob Pellet, the FMA Plant and retired as a correctional officer at Farmington and Bowling Green Correctional Centers.

Mr. Helvey was an avid outdoorsman, he loved hunting and fishing, golfing, bowling, playing softball, He belonged to the NRA. He served his country in the United States Army serving in Alaska.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, June 3 at 11 AM from Cole Family Funeral Home with Rev. Brad Crocker officiating. Visitation will begin Thurs. from 5 to 8 PM. Interment will be in the Caledonia Methodist Cemetery.

Online condolences may be made at [www.colefamilyfuneralhomes.com](http://www.colefamilyfuneralhomes.com)



# Cemetery Details

## Caledonia Methodist Cemetery

Caledonia, MO 63631

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 2. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

## Service

JUN 3. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Roy William "Bill" Helvey

August 31, 2022 at 12:46 PM



“ Pat and Family: I am shocked and saddened to learn of the passing of Bill. My thoughts and prayers are with you during this time of sadness and grief. Joyce (Furry) Mitchell from St. Peters, Missouri

Joyce P Mitchell - June 12, 2016 at 01:44 AM



“ Dick and I were so sorry to hear of Bill's passing. He was a good friend to us both in our "youth". Our sincere love and sympathy to you all. Eleanor McCord

Eleanor McCord - June 04, 2016 at 12:49 PM



“ Beth so sorry to hear of your families loss. I will keep you in my thoughts and prayers. Becki Barker



Becki Barker - June 02, 2016 at 02:55 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Roy William "Bill" Helvey.*



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June 02, 2016 at 01:10 PM



“ *Love, Chris and Jenny Rayfield purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Roy William "Bill" Helvey.*



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**Love, Chris and Jenny Rayfield** - June 02, 2016 at 12:11 PM



“ *60 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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**Cole Family Funeral Home** - June 02, 2016 at 10:47 AM

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“ *Scott, Pam, & Natalie Kowalkowski purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Roy William "Bill" Helvey.*



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**Scott, Pam, & Natalie Kowalkowski** - June 01, 2016 at 10:57 PM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Roy William "Bill" Helvey.*



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June 01, 2016 at 08:29 PM

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“ *We were so sorry to hear of Bill's passing. He was a good guy. We had some good times over the years at all the family gatherings. Cherish all your memories - they will be extra special now. Our thoughts & prayers are with all of you, Patsy, Beth, Dawn, Bruce & all of your children. Love you all, Debby & Lynn Rider.*



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**Deborah Rider** - June 01, 2016 at 08:25 PM