



## Gary Linn Cox

November 16, 1952 - October 4, 2015

Mr. Gary Linn Cox, 62, of Louisiana, Missouri, passed away on Sunday, October 4, 2015 at the Pike County Memorial Hospital in Louisiana, Missouri. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Thursday, October 8, 2015 at the First Baptist Church in Louisiana, Missouri. The Rev. Bill Maupin, assisted by the Rev. Don Kelly, will officiate. Visitation will be held from 4:00 P.M. until 7:30 P.M. on Wednesday, October 7th at the First Baptist Church. Burial will be at Riverview Cemetery in Louisiana, Missouri.

He was born on November 16, 1952 in Warrenton, Missouri, the son of Cecil O'Dell Cox and Pamela Barrow Cox. He was married to Sherry Lynne Morton on July 2, 1976 at the First Baptist Church in Louisiana, Missouri.

He is survived by his wife, Sherry Cox of the home, 2 sons, Gary Cox, Jr. (Suzanne) of Wilmington, NC, and Cody Cox of Louisiana, MO, one grandson, Michael Cox, 2 granddaughters, Ashley Granger and Sydney Cox, and one great grandson, Christopher Granger all of Wilmington, NC, one sister, Sharon Mills (Charles L.) of Louisiana, MO, 3 half-sisters, Melody Cox of Ashville, NC, Angela Cox (Lee) of Arizona, and Twila Schuler (Jerry) of Bowling Green, MO, 2 half-brothers, Paul Cox of St. Joseph, MO, and Joe Cox, and Nieces and Nephews.

He graduated from Louisiana High School in 1970. He had served with the Army National Guard in Kosovo, Serbia, Honduras, Panama, Germany, and Italy. He worked as a Corrections Officer for the Northeast Correction Center in Bowling Green, MO until ill health forced him to retire.

He attended the First Baptist Church in Louisiana, Missouri. He was a member of V.F.W. Post 2610 in Clarksville, Missouri. He loved music and in his spare time, he played with the band "No Regret".

Memorials may be given to the First Baptist Church in Louisiana, MO.

# Cemetery Details

## Riverview Cemetery

N. B Street  
Louisiana, MO

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 7. 4:00 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

First Baptist Church  
Louisiana, MO

## Funeral Service

OCT 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church  
Louisiana, MO

# Tribute Wall



“ Gary Linn Cox

November 08, 2022 at 10:35 AM



“ Gary Linn Cox

November 08, 2022 at 08:46 AM



“ I want to send my Sympathies to Sherry and Family and friends. I will keep all of you in my prayers!

Kathy Lesley-Smith - October 08, 2015 at 04:34 PM



“ Kathy Lesley-Smith lit a candle in memory of Gary Linn Cox



Kathy Lesley-Smith - October 08, 2015 at 04:31 PM



“ I remember Gary singing to Sherry at our picnic last year. He sang "You are so beautiful" and it was a beautiful thing to see. Gary and Sherry have been involved in my life in one way or another for a long time. Sherry and family, my thoughts and prayers are with you. Gary was loved by many and will be missed.

Carletta Sutton - October 07, 2015 at 09:19 AM

CS

“ *Carletta Sutton lit a candle in memory of Gary Linn Cox*



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**Carletta Sutton** - October 07, 2015 at 09:16 AM

JG

“ *To Sherry, Sharon, and all Gary's family.  
I will always remember Gary playing the drums at church, with his Dad playing the guitar and David Hagar playing guitar, also Bro. Hagar playing the banjo I can still see Gary singing " Rock of Ages, Hide Thou Me" with all of his heart. Also remember the first time he brought Sherry to church with him and bashfully introduced her to the other church members. We will have you in our prayers and we know that God will give you the comfort and the strength you need to get you through this sorrowful time. You will also always have many good memories and they will help you .  
God Bless you always. Janice Gardner Hasty*

*I remember Gary in Sunday School along with David Hagar. I also remember when we went to Mexico contest for choir and band. He represented Louisiana and I went for Bowling Green with many other students. It was at the Military school and nerve racking but fun. I also remember church picnics and young people meetings at church. He will be missed by many and our thoughts are with the families. God will always be there helping you remember all the fun times and laughs. Earlene Gardner*

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**Janice Gardner Hasty Earlene Gardner** - October 06, 2015 at 06:59 PM

MC

“ *One of the good ones. My brother, you will be missed by all who knew you. Tell dad and all hey for me.*

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**Melody Cox** - October 06, 2015 at 06:38 PM

JS

“ *Sending love and prayers at this difficult time.*

*Janice Slominsky*

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**Janice Slominsky** - October 06, 2015 at 06:37 PM

JE

“ *Janet Elliott lit a candle in memory of Gary Linn Cox*



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**Janet Elliott** - October 06, 2015 at 03:21 PM

KP

“ *Sherry our thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family. We are so sorry for your loss.*

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**Ken & Lil Peabody** - October 06, 2015 at 11:07 AM

TS

“ Gary was always so enthusiastic to see Zac and was such an encouragement to him. He always took the extra time to talk to him, which was special to me and made Zac feel important. He was kind and I will remember how I looked up to him because of that. I remember seeing him run along UU when I was a kid or biking into town wearing a backpack full of weights. I was always proud we were related. Prayers for Gods hand of comfort and strength that only He can give. Twila

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**twila schuler** - October 05, 2015 at 04:35 PM

SM

“ sherry and family very sorry for your loss gary was avery good person and friend we worked together at the prison and I had the chance to see him a few times lately he will be missed

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**sammy meyers** - October 05, 2015 at 04:13 PM

DC

“ I want to extend my sympathy to Gary's widow, family and friends. He tried his best to do things well and he will be missed. D. Randall Cone, Louisiana

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**D..Randall Cone** - October 05, 2015 at 04:04 PM