



Lawrence "John D" J. Griffith

December 1, 1959 - November 7, 2024

Lawrence J. Griffith "John D" of Hannibal, MO passed away on Thursday, November 7, 2024. John D was 64 years old and born on December 1, 1959 in Louisiana, MO to the late Pauline Griffith and Lawrence Crowder. He attended Louisiana High School. He worked at Hannibal Regional Hospital for a number of years. Once he found out he had cancer, he would tell everyone don't put off having your screenings done. Even if they were tired of hearing him say it.

John D loved being with family and being the number one fish fryer at our family events. He traveled a lot to football, basketball, and track meets to watch any family member he could. He was a big Kansas City Chiefs fan, as he would say a "Ride or Die Fan". He was the only one who watched his mom Pauline make her famous spaghetti and chili. Then he would always send an ice cream container of it to everyone. It would take them all day to prepare, so you knew it was made with so much love!

He is survived by 1 daughter Tinea Dixon; 3 sons Adrian Campbell, Craig Dixon, and Kane Mayfield; 4 brothers Kenny (Cathy) Griffith, Kevin Griffith, Ronnie (Shanette) Griffith, and Donnie (Mary) Griffith; 5 sisters Rosetta (William) Powell, Roberta (Michael) Watts, Edna Griffith, Rugenia Hill, and Selenia Dryden; 8 grandchildren; 2 great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends that were truly dear to him.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 P.M. on Saturday, November 16, 2024 at the First Presbyterian Church in Louisiana, MO. Pastor Robert Bell, Jr

officiating. Burial will be at the Riverview Cemetery in Louisiana, MO. Visitation will be held from 11:00 A.M. until time of service Saturday at the church. Collier Funeral Home in Louisiana MO was in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Riverview Cemetery

N. B Street
Louisiana, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **16**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

First Presbyterian Church
121 S. 8th Street
Louisiana, MO

Funeral Service

NOV **16**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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121 S. 8th Street
Louisiana, MO

Tribute Wall

CW

“ So very sorry for your loss. My thoughts & prayers are with you all. ❤️



Chrystal Walker - November 26, 2024 at 11:07 AM

CS

“ Mr. Griffith was a nice man. I knew him from the Hannibal Wal Mart. Prayers to his Family.

Carla Stone - November 19, 2024 at 11:08 AM

PS

“ Paula Stevenson lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "John D" J. Griffith



Paula Stevenson - November 15, 2024 at 09:15 PM

CO

“ Cindy Poyser Osborne lit a candle in memory of Lawrence "John D" J. Griffith



Cindy Poyser Osborne - November 15, 2024 at 12:12 PM

RB

“ Went to school with John D



Rita Bland - November 12, 2024 at 08:20 AM

RB

Condolences to the family for your loss

Rita Bland - November 12, 2024 at 08:21 AM

S.

“ Sending love and prayers to the Griffith family.
He will be truly missed by all that love him.



S.Campbell - November 11, 2024 at 10:38 AM

MR

“ Margaret R. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lawrence J. Griffith.

Margaret R. - November 10, 2024 at 09:12 AM

BM

“ Bill Minor lit a candle in memory of Lawrence
"John D" J. Griffith



Bill minor - November 09, 2024 at 07:45 PM

HG

“ Henry Griffith purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Lawrence "John D" J. Griffith.



Henry Griffith - November 09, 2024 at 02:44 PM

CC

“ Sending my love and condolences to the family, 1 ❤️



Cynthia Campbell - November 09, 2024 at 05:28 AM

CF

“ Awww this really breaks my heart 😭 I can't remember when or how you and I became as close as we did, but all I know is we had love and respect for each other 🙌🏻^{ATFA} 100 ❤️, never will I forget our talks and shared laughs together, you always got me and never judged me and I love and will forever appreciate all of our good times together ❤️ 🙌🏻^{ATFA}

Close Family friend - November 09, 2024 at 05:23 AM

CC

Cynthia Campbell

Cynthia Campbell - November 09, 2024 at 05:29 AM

KF

“ My sincere sympathy and condolences to the entire Griffith family , also other family and friends of John D .



Kristi Freeman - November 08, 2024 at 07:34 PM

SM

“ To my Griffith family I am truly truly sorry for our loss he will be forever missed but not forgotten I love my cousin so much and I made sure he knew that I'm not going to say no names but this is just to make you laugh just a little bit he would forever tease me him and Kenny and they know what about that's all I'm going to say 😊🤔 I'm going to miss him dearly can't stop crying I know you're not in no more pain get your rest babyyy



Sheri Morris - November 08, 2024 at 02:55 PM

JB

Hello, this dean or sleep, the good lord don't make mistakes, when he comes, he takes best that God has to offer. and it hurts,

Jerry Dean Burse - November 08, 2024 at 10:02 PM

SM

Sorry for your family's loss

Sammy meyers - November 12, 2024 at 02:27 PM

VF

“ *Sending condolences and sympathy to the entire Griffith family in this difficult time of grief and loss. Prayers for comfort, peace, happy and reflections of his life.*



Vivian Farris - November 08, 2024 at 02:53 PM