



Shelby Hamilton

May 5, 1943 - August 29, 2024

Shelby Hamilton, 81, of Kansas City, Kansas passed away August 29, 2024 at Overland Park Regional Medical Center, surrounded by family. Shelby was born May 5, 1943 in Norfolk, Arkansas. A memorial visitation will be held from 2:00-4:00 PM Friday, September 6, 2024 at Maple Hill Funeral Home.

Shelby served as the police chief of the Ferrellview, Missouri Police Department before retiring. In addition to his law enforcement career, he worked for over 20 years at the Wonder Bread Bakery. If you knew Shelby well, you knew him for his brutally honest remarks and his dark sense of humor that could make even the most serious moments a bit more entertaining. Shelby had a need for speed and a knack for cars—he'd buy, fix, and sell them like it was his full-time hobby. He also had a healthy appreciation for the ladies, making sure his life was as full of excitement off the road as it was on it. Above all, he was a devoted father and an even more loving grandfather. Shelby cherished his family deeply and will be greatly missed. He is preceded in death by his grandson, Robert Smith. He is survived by six children, Brittany Hamilton, Shelby Hamilton, Bonnie Street (Don), April Parker, Cheri White (Kent), and Sue Smith; grandchildren, Joshua, Aleah, Jayden, Arianna, Armani, Corey, Ashlynn, Elyssa, Elizabeth, Destyni, Miranda, Shannon, Richard, and Michelle; twelve great grandchildren; and his siblings and their families.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

SEP 6. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Maple Hill Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall



“ *Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery created a Tribute Video in memory of Shelby Hamilton*



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - September 05, 2024 at 09:27 AM

MF

Sorry for the loss of such a great man. He truly will be missed deeply.

Misty Fletcher - September 07, 2024 at 07:44 AM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shelby Hamilton.*



September 06, 2024 at 12:02 PM

BS

“ *Dad and his girls for his 80 th birthday*



bonnie street - September 05, 2024 at 11:34 PM

MD

“ He was a man of many stories
The good and bad in all it's glory
He chose to see the good in everything
Always looking forward to what tomorrow would bring

He knew everything lasted
But for a season
He'd never waste his time
Trying to find a reason

The man that I speak of
Was a man among men
One of the firsts of this families
Long line of legends

He loved his family
And placed his kids above all
As long as he had them
He knew he'd never fall

He walked with a faith
That couldn't be shattered
Because he knew in his heart
What really mattered

For 81 years
His heart beat strong
It's hard to believe
That he's really gone

We saw him last
When we laid down uncle Eldon to rest
Now they're in heaven
Arguing over who did it best

We love you uncle Shelby.



Mary Hamilton Davis - September 05, 2024 at 10:17 PM

SL

“ *Shelby Lee purchased the Divine Light for the family of Shelby Hamilton.*



Shelby Lee - September 05, 2024 at 08:48 PM

MA

“ *Much Love, Alyssa. purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Shelby Hamilton.*



Much Love, Alyssa. - September 05, 2024 at 01:57 PM

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“ *Much Love, Alyssa. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shelby Hamilton.*

Much Love, Alyssa. - September 05, 2024 at 01:57 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shelby Hamilton.*



September 04, 2024 at 08:46 PM



“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



kristy - September 04, 2024 at 08:15 PM



“ *Davis Family purchased the Rose Garden Heart for the family of Shelby Hamilton.*



Davis Family - September 04, 2024 at 08:11 PM