



Steven Loren Harrell

August 3, 1957 - June 13, 2024

Steven (Steve) Loren Harrell of Kansas City, Kansas lost his courageous battle with cancer on Thursday, June 13, 2024. Steve was the eldest son born to Loren and Delores Harrell On August 3, 1957. Steve was raised with his two sisters Bev and Lorna and those twins, Mark and Marvin. Steve attended Wyandotte High School and attended Open Door Baptist Church in Kansas City, Kansas. This church is where at the age of 11 Steve made the decision to have God as his Lord and Savior, he was saved and baptized there. Steve served his country when he enlisted in the Air Force in 1975. Unfortunately, his time was cut short due to medical reasons. Steve was preceded in death by his parents, Loren and Delores Harrell and a Bonus Son, Dustin Jackson. Steve leaves behind his wife of 22 years Kim Harrell, daughter Shauna Thompson (Ryan); son Steven M. Harrell (Jessica); 2 Bonus sons Travis Onsen (Melissa) and Christopher Onsen (Melissa) and 1 Bonus daughter, Nickie Onsen. Ten grandchildren Alexis (Dru) McFarland, Andrew Onsen, Kaitlynn Onsen, Cameron Spalding, Leslie Onsen, Blaine Thompson, Payton Harrell, Alexander Onsen, Natalie Harrell and Maddie Mae Onsen, 2 great grandsons Bennett, Luke and still cooking Kruze. Siblings Beverly Sanderson (Cal), Lorna Thompson (Rafik), Marvin Harrell (Toni) and Mark Harrell (Val), many nieces and nephews, several bonus grandchildren, and bonus nieces and nephews, his first wife and mother to his children, Louise Keeton, his golfing buddies, David, Dennis, Corey, Clay (sorry if I missed anyone guys), his "Partner" in crime, Dolores and finally his protector and honey, Ellie Mae.

There will never be another like you, Steve. We will miss that smile, laugh, huge heart and beautiful blue eyes. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations to the American Cancer Society or to the Kansas Friends of Talking Books for the visually impaired. There will be a celebration of life on Wednesday, June 19 at 6 PM, with a visitation before from 4 - 6 PM all at Maple Hill Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **19**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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Celebration of Life

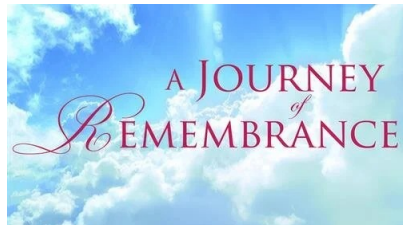
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Tribute Wall



“ *Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery created a Tribute Video in memory of Steven Loren Harrell*



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - June 18, 2024 at 03:51 PM

CN

“ *I sure I'm missing you Uncle Steve! I haven't watched a Chiefs game since you've been gone, they're just not the same anymore..... Friday, the drive shaft fell apart on my car and was just sitting up there. It's lucky we didn't die with that thing coming loose.He could have flipped the car! It was as funny as it was scary when we got to take a look at it.But you're the first person I thought of, I thought I wonder if Uncle Steve has ever seen anything like this, you wouldn't believe it!*

I sure do miss you, things just don't seem to be getting easier without you here. I know you're in heaven, having a blast & sometimes that's the only thing that can get us through a few hours, or the day down here.

I sure miss grandma too, I'm really glad that you are up there to keep her company at least. Please tell her how much I love her, how much I talked about her all the time, the pain just doesn't go away with you two {You & Grandma}, like they say it's supposed to. Well you take care up there, I love you & I miss you dearly!

Christopher Norris Sr {Your favorite nephew, of course! 😊}

Christopher Norris - November 17, 2025 at 07:51 PM



“ Well, I just got word this morning your buddy, David Langford has joined you for a few hundred holes of golf with his new knees. I hope you boys are having a good time up there. Did they put you in the choir with Elvis and all the other great voices up there in heaven. FOUR!!! Miss you. Kim

Kim Onsen-Harrell - June 29, 2024 at 12:31 PM



“ What I wouldn't give to hear his voice again and see him playing around with the kids ❤️



Tiffany Ward - June 18, 2024 at 11:11 PM

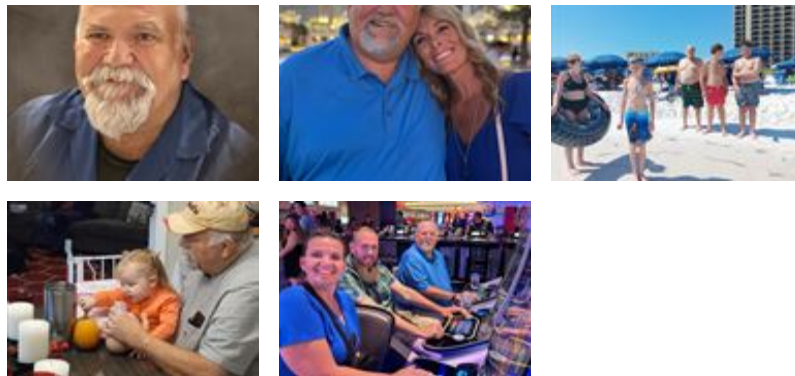


I love these so much!

Valerie - June 19, 2024 at 03:14 PM



“ 109 files added to the album LifeTributes



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - June 18, 2024 at 11:46 AM

EB

“ Edna Willis & Jason Bowden purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Steven Loren Harrell.



Edna Willis & Jason Bowden - June 17, 2024 at 11:10 PM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Steven Loren Harrell.



June 17, 2024 at 10:53 AM

MS

“ Mary S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Steven Loren Harrell.

Mary S. - June 17, 2024 at 10:53 AM

LL

“ Linda & David Langford purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Steven Loren Harrell.



Linda & David Langford - June 17, 2024 at 10:31 AM

SS

“ Oh my, I have soooo many memories. You were in our lives since we were very little. I'll never forget your love for Tim McGraw. I will forever think of you when I hear “Where The Green Grass Grows” I will miss your amazing hugs. I hope you and my dad are up there side by side, having the best time.

Sarah Saindon - June 15, 2024 at 10:58 PM

DC

“ Harrell Cousins at our Cabin at Lake Pomme de Terre! Just one beautiful memory. I always looked up to Steve. He was always the sweetest. Our loss is truly Heaven's gain.



Debbie Cantrell - June 15, 2024 at 06:40 PM

KO

“ Steve was one of the most loving, funny and selfless men I knew. He took my son and I in when I was a young adult with nowhere to go in the process of building my life. He treated me like his own. His big lively spirit will forever be remembered.
-Krystal ONeal

Krystal ONeal - June 15, 2024 at 09:18 AM