



George Cherry

May 9, 1928 - April 13, 2020

George Cherry, 91 passed away April 13, 2020 at his home in Carthage, MO. George was born May 9, 1928 in Kendricktown, MO to Walter and Minnie “Simpson” Cherry. George was a lifetime Carthage resident and worked for the Joplin Globe in the composing room floor for 30 years.

George was united in marriage to Barbara Dickson October 18, 1958 at Pleasant Hill Church near Carl Junction, MO. She survives.

George is survived by one daughter; Pattie Hastings (Kenny) of Mt.Vernon, two sons; Stan Cherry (Sharron) of Carthage and Jim Cherry (Debbie) of Nixa, MO, eleven grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

George is preceded in death by his parents, one sister Irene Huff and one brother Frank Cherry.

Services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Saturday April 18, 2020 at Ulmer Funeral Home. A come and go visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. prior to services to comply with the covid-19 mandates. Contributions can be made to the charity of the donor’s choice in George’s memory. Online condolences can be made at www.ulmerfh.com. Arrangements are under the direction of Ulmer Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

CM

“ I will forever remember Uncle George and my Grandpa sitting in the kitchen giving my Grandma and Aunt Barbara grief! Those two together were the ultimate Grumpier Old Men! I love you Aunt Barbara!

Crystal Hurlbert Miller - April 19, 2020 at 12:26 PM

MS

“ Paula and I, her parents, Cecil and Jean Ditch, and Paula's sister Charlotte and husband Bob McFarlin considered George Cherry as way more than co-worker to Cecil, Bullet, and me. I am sure I speak for our little family in describing George as a true friend and dear member of our Globe family.

George was a dedicated and loyal member of his craft as a newspaper compositor, or printer, and an energetic, devoted, and proud employee of the Joplin Globe.

But he also was more than that during his long career in the composing room, where he was the self-appointed keeper of all things lively. He, along with a band of merry men and women that made up the nightside crew, definitely contributed to making the paper a fun place to work. A master of mischief, George Cherry undoubtedly was the prince of printer pranks.

I am sure I also speak for the Globe family in conveying deepest sympathy to Barbara and the rest of her family, and in saying that those of us who worked with George are better for having had that time.

Sincerely,
Michael Stair

Michael Stair - April 18, 2020 at 01:53 AM

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Michael Stair - April 18, 2020 at 01:01 AM

BC

“*I remember becoming acquainted with George several years ago when we were across-the-street neighbors! I will never forget his sense of humor. Heart felt condolences go out from my family to the Cherry family.*

Bill Cobb - April 17, 2020 at 02:46 PM



“ Garden Accent Stone - *"Wherever a Beautiful Soul..."* was purchased for the family of George Cherry .



April 16, 2020 at 04:13 PM



“ *I had the pleasure of working with George for 10 years at the Globe in the Composing Department. He was truly a joy to work with and so much fun to be around. I loved playing ping-pong with him and Doc and the others. I can say that we ALL Loved it when he brought his meatball sandwiches to work. So many memories that I cherish after all these years. My deepest condolences to the family.*

Chad Abram - April 16, 2020 at 12:53 PM



“ *My Deepest Sympathy To You Stan And Your Family,May You Find Joy In Having your Dad For So Long,And The Wonderful Memories You Have Made,God Bless You All*

Linda Lee Klinzman - April 16, 2020 at 10:54 AM



“ *Wish we could've done the casinos with you and Grandma Cherry! RIP. Kaden carries you on with your name.*

Sam DeLaney - April 15, 2020 at 08:52 PM