



## Laurence "Larry" A Leshner

August 18, 1943 - June 15, 2016

Laurence A. "Larry" Leshner, 72, of Carthage passed away at 5:45 p.m. Wednesday June 15, 2016 in Overland Park, Kansas. Larry was born August 18, 1943 in Los Angeles, CA. He was the son of Frank Leshner and Elaine "Peter" Leshner. Larry has lived in Carthage for the past 10 years, moving from Alaska. Larry was a veteran of the United States Army during the Vietnam Era. He was a retired plumber. Larry owned and operated Leshner Plumbing in Santa Barbara, CA. He was a member of The Congregation of the Mother Co-Redemptrix Church and loved to hunt and fish. Laurence was united in marriage to Huong Thi Thu Dinh on December 10, 2011 in Vietnam. She survives. Other survivors include two daughters; Valerie Leshner and Kelly Leshner both of Santa Barbara, CA, his brother's family Gai Leshner sister-in-law, Larry Leshner a nephew, wife and children, Laura Leshner a niece, husband and child, his step-mother Addy Leshner of Neosho, MO, one cousin Mike of Big Lake, Alaska and his best friend Robert Carlton and family of Carthage, MO. Memorial Services will be 10:00 a.m. Saturday June 25, 2016 at The Congregation of the Mother Co-Redemptrix Church in Carthage. Visitation will be 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. Friday June 24, 2016 at the Ulmer Funeral Home. Contributions may be made to The Congregation of the Mother Co-Redemptrix Church in care of the Ulmer Funeral Home. Online condolences maybe sent at [www.ulmerfh.com](http://www.ulmerfh.com). Arrangements are under the direction of the Ulmer Funeral Home.



# Tribute Wall

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“ My condolences to Larry's wife & children. Though his was my cousin, I always thought of him as an older brother I never had. We had a lot of memorable times in Alaska. Lots of adventures. He once backed me up on a bear hunt that save my butt. On his 50th birthday we took a trip into the back country, found a stream with grayling, Larry caught & released 50 grayling that day. I was with him when he shot his first moose & caribou. I have the moose antlers on my cabin. One of the toughest guys I ever new. Weather in Alaska can sometimes be miserable, it never seem to bother Larry. He was always ready to go on a trip in the bush at a moments notice.He will be missed.

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**Mike St.Onge** - June 23, 2016 at 12:37 PM