

## Monte E. Spry

March 31, 1938 - April 21, 2019

Monte E. Spry, 81, passed away April 21, 2019 at his home in Jasper. Monte was born March 31, 1938 in Webb City to Monte L. and Doris “Klein” Spry. He was a lifetime resident of Jasper County. In addition to owning and operating Spry Ceramics for 20 years, he also worked at Big Smith, Jasper R-5 School District and 14 years at the Carthage R-9 School District. Monte served as a deacon and Sunday school superintendent at Center Point Christian Church. After he retired he collected and repaired bikes, many of which he donated to the Wyandotte Indian Nation.

Monte was united in marriage to Barbara Stump on June 27, 1964 in Carthage; she survives.

Monte is also survived by two sons, Douglas Spry (Susan) and Danny Spry (Vicky), both of Jasper; one daughter, Melissa Smith (David) of Carthage; three brothers, Jerry Spry of Carthage, Tom Spry (Robyn) of Mt. Zion, IL and David Spry (Cheryl) of Diamond; one sister, Mary Jane Talley (Bill) of Carthage; ten grandchildren, Weston, Justin, Landon, Salisha, Isaac, Sierra, Cheyanna, Jaxon, Brittany and Amaya; six great grandchildren, Emersyn, Aiden, Hunter, Madelyn, Leigha and Timothy.

Monte was preceded in death by his parents, one sister, Elaine Wheat, and one sister-in-law, Shirley Spry.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m. Friday, April 26, 2019 at Ulmer Funeral Home. Visitation will be held from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Thursday, April 25, 2019 at Ulmer Funeral Home. Burial will be at Fasken Cemetery.

Contributions in his honor may be to Ozark Christian College, Carthage Crisis Center or Cookson Hills Ministry in care of Ulmer Funeral Home.

Online condolences may be made to [www.ulmerfh.com](http://www.ulmerfh.com).

Arrangements are under the direction of Ulmer Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## Fasken Cemetery

Carthage, MO

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **25**. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Ulmer Funeral Home  
1208 S. Garrison  
Carthage, MO 64836  
(417) 358-2222  
ulmerfh@gmail.com  
<https://www.ulmerfh.com/>

## Service

APR **26**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Ulmer Funeral Home  
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# Tribute Wall

CH

“ *Our sympathy and prayers go out to all of Monte's family and friends!*

*Matthew 5:4*

*Love in the Lord Jesus Christ,  
Roger & Catherine Hibdon*



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**Catherine Hibdon** - May 01, 2019 at 12:02 PM

SG

“ *So sorry to hear about Monte. Our thoughts and prayers are with you Barb and family.*

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**Sharon Guest** - April 26, 2019 at 09:02 PM

RE

“ *Barb, we are sorry to hear that Monte passed away on Sunday. What a special day for the Lord to call him home! You are in our prayers. May God give you and your family peace and comfort during this time and always.*

*Mary & Ron Elliott  
Springfield*

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**Ronald/Mary Elliott** - April 25, 2019 at 02:11 PM

ML

*Barbara, was so sorry to hear of Monte passing away. Easter Sunday.....what a time to get to go!!!! Larry and I are having some little health issues right now and were not able to attend either service but know our thoughts and prayers are with you now and in the days ahead!! You have the peace of knowing he is with The Lord and in no pain now. God is with you always!!*

*Larry and Mae Marie Litle  
Your cuz in Greenfield*

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**Mae Marie Litle** - April 26, 2019 at 03:29 PM

EB

“ *We were so sorry to hear of Monte’s passing. We know you will miss him greatly but Heaven has gained another saint. Our prayers for comfort surround you & your family.*

*Ed & Carolyn Beck  
Greenfield*

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**Ed & Carolyn Beck** - April 25, 2019 at 01:13 PM

PR

“ *Barbara & Family:*

*Sending healing prayers and comforting hugs. We are sorry for your loss. Monte will be missed by his family and friends. Take one day time. It is extremely hard to lose a love one.*

*Love,*

*Ritchey's*

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**Pam Ritchey** - April 24, 2019 at 09:23 PM

RD

“ Dear Barbara and family, God bless each of you in this time.  
Love to all.  
Ron Dunaway

Ron Dunaway - April 24, 2019 at 09:28 AM

JT

“ Sorry to hear of your passing. We are friends  
of your brother Tom and his wife Robyn. May  
you rest in Peace.

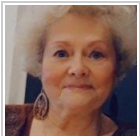


James Thieret - April 23, 2019 at 07:02 PM



“ What a amazing man. We all loved Monte he was a wonderful  
person loved his Family he will be deeply missed. God rest your  
Dear soul until we meet again.

Marie Long - April 23, 2019 at 01:31 PM



“ Our Deepest Symathy to a wonderful careing man. Whom we loved  
very much. God Bless the Spry Family. Monte may you RIP. All our  
Love Ron and Marie Long.

Marie Long - April 23, 2019 at 07:21 AM

PI

“ Our prayers are with the family. We will see you there.

Patricia and Dale Isenmann - April 23, 2019 at 06:11 AM

VM

“ Monte was a 2nd Father to me. He had huge love for his Savior, his wife, Barbara and his family. Though nothing can compare to his witty sense of humor. He loved picking on you, then laugh and give you a big hug afterwards. When I stayed with them for a few months years ago. I would make white cake (no frosting) & he would have it with a big glass of milk, it was his favorite. He could eat it every day! :-) To this day I usually take the frosting off cake and it reminds me of him & those times together. I could go on but for now I send my love to Barb, Melissa, Doug, Danny and their families. I know we will all see him again one day in Heaven and I wouldn't be surprised if while he waits for us to join him he is playing pranks on St Peter and the other apostles.

*Praying for y'all, Hugs & Love, Vicki Marsh*

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**Vicki Marsh** - April 22, 2019 at 07:43 PM

JD

*Prayers with you sorry we are unable to be with u. Monte was a wonderful cousin*

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**janice and jack dickey** - April 25, 2019 at 03:10 PM

VU

“ So sorry for your loss. Sending thoughts and prayers to the family at this difficult time.

*With Deepest Sympathy,*

*Rosa Cunningham*

*Jim and Vicky Ulmer*

*Ronnie and Lisa Cunningham*

*Heath and Paula Covey*

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**Vicky Ulmer** - April 22, 2019 at 04:30 PM