



Shirrell L. "Lil Mick" Cortez II

May 13, 1964 - November 16, 2014

Shirrell L. "Lil Mick" Cortez II, 50, of Carthage, passed away November 16, 2014. Shirrell was born May 13, 1964 in Carthage, MO to Shirrell "Mick" L. Cortez Sr. and Emma Lee Adams. Shirrell was a lifetime Carthage resident, he worked for Convient Store Services for the past 8 years and Safeway cheese in Carthage for 15 years. He was a member of the First Church of the Nazarene. Love horseback riding, the beach and working on cars, swimming and cheesy sci-fi Movies. Shirrell is survived by four sons Shirrell L Cortez III of Carthage, Derek E Cortez of Joplin, Kirby V. Cortex of Oklahoma City, and Anthony M. Turk of Carthage, two grandchildren Bryson Trammell "Cortez and RyLynn Elizabeth Cortez, and his ex- wife Elizabeth Shields of Carthage. Shirrell is also survived by a long time companion Rene' Roberson and her three children and five grandchildren Jackson, Wyatt, Kyler, Liam, and Lennox. One brother Terry L Cortez, six sisters Cynthia Shiver, Linda Cortez, Melanie Gooch, Charlene Cortez, Dawn Combs, Erica Cortez many nieces and nephews. Shirrell is preceded by his parents, one brother Richard Albert Cortez of Carthage. He will be missed for his quiet demeanor, his beautiful smile and his great sense of humor and his extreme kindness to others. Services will be 6:00 p.m. Friday November 21, 2014 at Ulmer Funeral Home. Visitation will be from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Thursday November 20, 2014 at Ulmer Funeral Home. Contributions will be to the Shirrell L. Cortez II memorial fund at Arvest bank in care of Ulmer Funeral Home. Arrangements are under the direction of Ulmer Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Very sorry to hear of the loss of Shirrell. I remember him, Terry and all of family from years ago!*

Rob Frederick - November 21, 2014 at 09:02 AM

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“ *We may not understand why God takes someone from us, but know that God does not make mistakes and Lil Mick is home in heaven. All is well with my soul. May God give us peace!! Jackie Cortez Dallas, TX*

Jacqueline Smith Cortez - November 18, 2014 at 10:21 PM

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“ *I am so sorry - I remember him and Terry and the girls in a Sunday School class I used to teach with Emma. Lots of good memories. May the Lord bring the family comfort during the days ahead.*

Karen Boatright - November 18, 2014 at 09:59 PM