



Timothy Richard Selves

August 18, 1950 - December 31, 2024

Timothy R. Selves, 74, passed away on Tuesday, December 31, 2024, at Freeman Hospital in Joplin, Missouri. Timothy was born on August 18, 1950, in Monett. He was a lifetime resident of the Joplin area. Timothy received his bachelor's degree in sociology from Missouri Southern State University, and his associate's degree in theology at the Nazarene Bible College. He worked for the City of Joplin for 15 years before he retired. He spent 10 years in the army with the 101st Airborne, serving in Vietnam during that time. He loved riding his Harley, playing his guitar, and managed a booth at the Joplin Flea Market for many years. He was musically talented, and people knew him as the Music Man.

He was united in marriage to Rose Ewing-Lowe on February 23, 2008; she survives. He is survived by two sons, Daniel Selves of Houston, Texas, and Aaron Selves of Billings, Montana; three daughters, Rebekah Selves of Joplin, Ashlee Beck of Joplin, and Casandra Bailey of Carl Junction; one stepson, Ryan Lowe of Carl Junction; one stepdaughter, Debra Cartwright of Maui, Hawaii; one sister, Anita Miller of Webb City; and 17 grandchildren.

There will be a memorial service for Timothy at 2:00 PM on Friday, January 10, 2025, at Ulmer Funeral Home in Carthage, Missouri.

Condolences may be posted at www.ulmerfh.com.

Arrangements are under the care and direction of Ulmer Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JAN 10. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Tim you were a Great Brother. I miss you already and Loved you so much. Rose you are a Angel. I Love you.

January 10, 2025 at 11:20 PM

LB

“ Tim was very special to me. He was my buddy. I remember when I was in the ER and had to have emergency surgery...Rose had told him what was going on and they came up to see me before surgery. Rose and I both told him I'd be ok. He asked Rose if they could take me home with them so that I would get better. I have so many fond memories of Tim. I will miss him greatly. Love you my friend and my Buddy

Lori Brady - January 08, 2025 at 10:13 PM

SL

“ we laughed so much. I remember gobble, gobble and said the scariest : GET OUT". love you Tim.



sondra lowe - January 08, 2025 at 07:49 PM

RY

“ Will miss Tim, had many fun times in our youth.
Richard & Mary Beth Yeakey (brother and sister in law)

Richard Yeakey - January 08, 2025 at 11:45 AM

BB

“ Tim was my stepbrother and I am so sorry for your loss. I didn't see him often as I was married and out of the family home when his father and my mother married. But Tim always had a joke to tell and was good to me. My thoughts and prayers are with the family. Love Aunt Bobbie

BOBBIE BROWNWOOTEN - January 08, 2025 at 10:59 AM

PW

“ i remember when i first moved here. Meet him by the way of his first wife. lived with him for about two years. We seen a lot of bars but the best and still remember is getting on the old motor cycles and going for nice long rides around the four states. Will not forget him!!

PAUL WILSON - January 02, 2025 at 07:38 PM