



## James Leland "Jim" Shafer II

October 5, 1953 - September 24, 2022

IN MEMORY OF:

James Leland "Jim" Shafer II

Serving Location:

CRAIN FUNERAL HOME – CAPE GIRARDEAU

829 North West End Boulevard, Cape Girardeau, Missouri

James Leland "Jim" Shafer II, age 68, of Cape Girardeau, formerly of Thebes, passed away at 7:40 pm on Saturday, September 24, 2022 at Jackson Manor.

He was born on October 5, 1953 to James "Chief" and Genevia L. (Guess) Shafer in Cape Girardeau.

James had a variety of jobs, including coroner and a Police Officer in Alexander County, Illinois. The job he had for most of his life was that of a nurse, (RN). He worked at St. Francis and Southeast Hospital, as well as Barnes-Jewish Hospital. James worked as an ICU and ER nurse. He was also a travel nurse with assignments all over the country, as well as overseas. James loved to travel. He was a member of the Cape Seventh Day Adventist Church, was dedicated to Jesus and excited to go to Heaven.

Survivors include his partner of 15 years, Carol Emanuel; son, Kraig (Natasha) Shafer; daughter, Amy (Jeromey) Sitton; stepsons; Kyle and Kevin Pridemore; brother, Larry (Crystal) Shafer; grandchildren, Jordan and Chloe Shafer and Maisie and Eli Sitton; nephew; Alex (Katelyn) Shafer; and several cousins, other relatives, and friends.

James was a man with a big heart and will be truly missed.

A private inurnment will take place at Rose Hill Cemetery in Thebes, Illinois.

# Cemetery Details

## Rose Hill Cemetery

Thebes, IL

# Tribute Wall



“ *James Leland "Jim" Shafer II*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *My friend!!!!*

**Harold McNelly** - September 30, 2022 at 01:02 AM



“ *I am so sorry to hear of Jim's passing. He was a kind and compassionate man. It was an honor to call him friend. My sympathies to his family. Janis Rebert*

**Janis Rebert** - September 28, 2022 at 06:19 PM



“ *Teresa lit a candle in memory of James Leland "Jim" Shafer II*



**Teresa** - September 27, 2022 at 11:08 AM



“ *My sympathy to the kids and Larry for your loss. I will always remember Jim with fondness as a fellow Thebian and friend. He was kind and a friend to many. Love and prayers*  
*Toni Bennett Sims*

**Toni Bennett Sims** - September 27, 2022 at 09:54 AM