



## William A. Mori

July 31, 1954 - March 10, 2025

William A. Mori, 69 of Kansas City Missouri passed peacefully on March 10, 2025, surrounded by his loving family. He was born July 31, 1954 to Carlos & Geraldine Mori in Kansas City, Missouri, Bill was loving husband, father & grandfather.

He attended Christ the King School where he served as an altar boy during Sunday Mass and Holiday Services. He graduated from Center Senior High School in Kansas City Missouri. After high school Bill married his first wife Martha McKay and moved his family to Napa California where he worked as a route salesman in his uncles liquor distributorship. He returned home to Kansas City years later where he reconnected with an old friend and married his second wife Diane Drury. He finished his career as a sporting goods salesman.

Bill was an excellent athlete participating in football and track in high school. He liked to dance and won several dance contests. He was also an avid sportsman, he loved bird hunting, fishing and dog training. Bill even competed and won local Bass Buddy Tournaments with his good friend Ben Goldberg. He had a passion for cooking and prepared many dinners on weekends and holidays for members of the American Legion in KCMO and friends and family in Drexel Missouri where he resided. He was ardent sports fan rooting for the Chiefs, Royals & Missouri Tigers.


Bill is survived by his children, Nicki, Maria, Tony and Carl ; Nine grandchildren and one great grandchild ; siblings Beatrice, Felisa, Victoria, John, Charlie, Mike and Jim. He was preceded in death by his parents, Carlos and Geri ; wives Marty and Diane and sister Maria.

A Celebration of Life will be held to honor Bill on April 19, 2025 at Kill Creek Park Shelter 2 located at 11670 S. Homestead Ln, Olathe, KS 66061 from 3:00PM to 6:00 PM. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations to the Cancer Charity of your choice.

Bill will be remembered for his fierce love of family and friends and live forever in the hearts of all who knew him.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *This is sad news. Sending prayers and condolences to all the family*  


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**Sandra Jones Berry** - March 25, 2025 at 02:30 AM

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“ *My big brother Bill. He was one of my older brothers that was always looking out for and protecting me when I was younger. A True Big Brother !*

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**Michael Mori** - March 24, 2025 at 06:39 PM