



## Winston Douglas Hamilton

December 20, 1950 - June 9, 2017

Winston Douglas Hamilton, was born on December 20th, 1950, and died June 9th, 2017 due to metastatic bladder cancer. He graduated from Trenton High School in 1969, and was drafted into the army. Once discharged, he worked for Ford, and eventually became a millwright for Allis Chalmers, where he worked for 27 years. He also worked at Brunson Instrument company. He is preceded in death by his wife of 44 years, Tina Hamilton, their infant daughter Jackie, his father, Winston Hamilton, his mother Thelma (Huffstutter) Hamilton, his sister, Rita Kriewitz, and his brother Bradley Hamilton. He is survived by his children: his son, Hal Hamilton, his daughter, Sarah Nelson, her husband David Nelson, and his grandchildren: Henry and Evelyn Nelson. He is also survived by his sister Donna Kriewitz and sister Lonna English. Notorious for practical jokes, Doug was always finding new ways to tease family and friends. His creativity and mechanical ingenuity restored classic cars, built custom motorcycles created furniture, side-carts, telescopes- even antler hats for costumes. He was a passionately patriotic person, who loved American history, hunting, nature and had a lesser-known gift of working with mentally and physically challenged individuals. Although his physical ailments limited his activity in later life, he will be remembered as a man who had an adventurous and fun-loving spirit; a loving husband, father, grandfather, brother, and friend.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

JUN 16. 6:30 PM (CT)

Lee's Summit Community of Christ Church  
1101 NE Independence Ave  
Lee's Summit, MO 64068

# Tribute Wall



“ One of my father's passions was to fight bullying and to protect and look out for those who were mentally and/or physically challenged. In his honor, in lieu of flowers, we would like to request that monetary donations be made to Camp MOJA. Camp MOJA is a local summer camp for mentally and physically challenged individuals.

Checks can be made out to "Camp MOJA"  
Mail to: Community of Christ Central Mission Center  
c/o Camp MOJA,  
500 W. Pacific Ave.  
Independence, MO 64050

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**Sarah Nelson** - June 14, 2017 at 08:42 AM