



## Daniel Lee Meyer Sr

October 18, 1960 - March 10, 2018

Danny Lee Meyer, son of the late Gerald William and Patricia Ann (Kerr) Meyer, was born on October 18, 1960 in Wabash, Indiana and departed this life on March 10, 2018 in New Orleans, Louisiana. At the time of his passing he was 57 years, 4 months and 23 days of age.

Danny Meyer was a man of many names such as, Gilligan, Tugboat, Burnit and Firecracker Dan. Danny was born in in Wabash, Indiana, started school in North Manchester, then attended a few grades in Arizona and later finished school in Buffalo. During school he milked cows so he could have money to pay for all the tires he would burn off his car. After school he moved to Oklahoma to drive for Mud Trans Trucking where he earned the name Gilligan. After his time with Mud Trans and he drove some for Howard Miller hauling grain. Once he finished his time on the road he decided to go to the Mississippi River and partake in the family heritage and work on the Tug Boats as an engineer where he earned the name "Tug Boat". After returning to Dallas County he worked as a driller for Ground Source where he stayed for 13 years. When he wasn't working beef cattle he loved to work with and sell fireworks; Everyone in the area of New Orleans knew him by "Firecracker Dan". He was a loving grandfather and will be truly missed by all who knew him.

Danny was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his spouse, Lisa Olson; his two sons, Derek (Kassie) Meyer and Daniel Lee Meyer Jr.; his two sisters, Jane (Lawrence) Wilson and Vickie (Kenny) Jamison; and four

grandchildren, Grace Miller, Zoie Meyer, Kalea Meyer and Paisley Meyer. He also leaves several nieces, nephews, friends and family who will all truly miss him.

Funeral services will be conducted on Saturday, March 17, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. at the Cantlon Otterness and Viets Funeral Home of Buffalo with Bro. Loren Dryer officiating. Pallbearers will be David Allen, Jerry Glor, Kyle Ethridge, Jerry Berry, Bobby Sonier and Kenny Jamison. Visitation will be held on Friday, March 16, 2018 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. Interment will take place in Mt. Pleasant Southern Baptist Cemetery under the direction of the Cantlon Otterness and Viets Funeral Home of Buffalo.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Pleasant Cemetery

16 Shalom Trail  
Elkland, MO 65644

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 16. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Cantlon-Otterness & Viets Funeral Home - Buffalo  
931 W. Main St.  
P.O. Box 993  
Buffalo, MO 65622  
(417) 345-2211  
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## Service

MAR 17. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Daniel Lee Meyer Sr*

October 09, 2023 at 12:27 PM



“ *Daniel Lee Meyer Sr*

October 09, 2023 at 04:09 AM



“ *Daniel Lee Meyer Sr*

October 05, 2023 at 11:14 PM



“ *Daniel Lee Meyer Sr*

October 05, 2023 at 05:41 PM



“ *Daniel Lee Meyer Sr*

December 20, 2022 at 10:20 AM



“ *Sorry to hear of his passing. Prayers for the family. Karon Starr*

**Karon Starr** - March 17, 2018 at 06:46 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Daniel Lee Meyer Sr.*



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March 16, 2018 at 11:24 AM



“ *Stacy Bernard lit a candle in memory of Daniel Lee Meyer Sr*



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**Stacy Bernard** - March 16, 2018 at 10:27 AM



“ *So sorry to his family & friends for your loss! I wasn't around Dan a whole lot but when I was he made me laugh. One fond memory I have of him was when we had my Mom's (Judy (Steinbeck) Richardson) 50th birthday party at Maple Street Grill. He came in to the restaurant that evening & joined right in with the fun & dancing. We all had such a great time that night & he was a part of the fun!*

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**Stacy Bernard** - March 16, 2018 at 10:26 AM



“ *Love John and Ann purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Daniel Lee Meyer Sr.*



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**Love John and Ann** - March 15, 2018 at 04:10 PM

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“ *Ingrid Simpson purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Daniel Lee Meyer Sr.*



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**Ingrid Simpson** - March 15, 2018 at 12:13 PM

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“ *I was privileged to get to work with Danny for many years. I knew him as Burnit before we worked together. I knew him as Tugboat while working with him. Whatever name he was known by, he will always be remembered by that smile, and the ability to bring a smile to others. Thanks for your friendship throughout this life here on Earth Tug. You will be missed by many many people, but never forgotten* ❤️

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**Marty Hawkins** - March 13, 2018 at 10:23 AM

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“ *Danny was loved by many. He always had a hug and smile for you and loved to swap stories. While we are glad he no longer is in pain or has to endure earthly heartaches, we know he will be sadly missed by many. Sending prayers of comfort for his family and friends.*

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**Tony & Debi Henderson** - March 13, 2018 at 12:53 AM

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“ *RIP Danny.*



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**Jan Hildebrandt** - March 12, 2018 at 11:57 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Daniel Lee Meyer Sr.*



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March 12, 2018 at 09:54 PM



Tashina Walton

“ *He was the best most amazing uncle a girl could ever hope for. He walked into a room and it would light up. He was loving and caring and so goofy. Made me laugh when I was crying. He loved me to the moon and back and would do anything for me. He definitely loves babies. His smile would just light up the world when he holds a baby. I love you uncle Dan so so so much. I hope your dancing in the sky. 🥰 love sheenie*

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**Tashina Walton** - March 12, 2018 at 09:26 PM

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*If you knew Danny, when someone mentioned his name, you had to smile, like his Father, they were ornery , full of life and would give you the shirt off their back if you were in need, will never forget them !! Love ya Danny Your Uncle John & Susan*

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**john meyer** - March 16, 2018 at 08:53 PM