



Frederick Michael Sallee

August 4, 1948 - May 19, 2024

Frederick Michael Sallee, age 75, of Urbana, MO passed away peacefully Sunday, May 19, 2024, surrounded by his family. He was born August 4, 1948, in Springfield, MO to the late John E Sallee and Shirley Ann Sallee (Wilson). He graduated from Hermitage High School in 1966 and attended college at Southwest Baptist University in Bolivar, MO.

He worked several jobs that he enjoyed in his life, including over-the-road sales and over-the-road truck driving. He was most happy when working on model trains and model airplanes. He loved to spend his time at air shows and watching Nascar races with his son. His time with his family was always the most important to him. Sundays spent in church followed by a big family lunch were his favorite.

Fred remarried later in his life on September 1, 2018 and is survived by his loving wife, Rhonda Sallee (Banister); two daughters, Kara Sallee and Sarah Hayter; a stepdaughter, Amanda Estep; a son-in-law Ben Hayter; 4 grandsons, Tracen Howard, Kaden Howard, Kyler Howard, and Henry Hayter; 3 granddaughters, Kaylie Sallee, Kylin Sallee, and Margaret Hayter; a step-granddaughter Adelyn-Rose Quick; and 2 great granddaughters Hadley Nutter and Hensley Nutter. He is preceded in death by his parents, John & Shirley Sallee, and his son Michael Sallee.

His visitation service will be held on Sunday, June 2nd from 1-3pm at Cantlon-Otterness & Viets funeral home in Buffalo, MO for those who would like to attend or send flowers. The family will have a private burial afterward.

Arrangements are under the direction of Cantlon-Otterness & Viets Funeral Home, Buffalo, Mo.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

JUN 2. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Cantlon-Otterness & Viets Funeral Home - Buffalo

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Tribute Wall

DG

“ I spent several summers in Hermitage with my Grandma and Grandpa Wilson and Aunt Shirley and Uncle Johnny. I always admired Fred and felt like he was an older brother to me. As adults, my husband and I spent time with Fred when we traveled there from our home in Georgia. My husband and Fred became like brothers instantly. We will miss Fred forever. May he rest in peace. Praying for the family.

Jamie and Deborah Griner
Tifton, Georgia

Deborah Griner - May 31, 2024 at 09:39 AM

DW

“ I remember Fred as my cousin in Hermitage, MO. He always had the best toys and he was always willing to share them. May he fly those model airplanes forever.

Fondly,
Doug Wilson

Doug Wilson - May 30, 2024 at 09:14 AM

RF

“ From: Robbie & Angie Gilbert & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Frederick Michael Sallee.

Robbie & Angie Gilbert & Family - May 26, 2024 at 01:59 PM

RF

“ Robbie & Angie Gilbert & Family purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Frederick Michael Sallee.



Robbie & Angie Gilbert & Family - May 26, 2024 at 01:59 PM

BS

“ Business Services- Springfield Schools planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Frederick Michael Sallee.

Business Services- Springfield Schools - May 23, 2024 at 10:43 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Frederick Michael Sallee.



May 23, 2024 at 10:43 AM

RM

“ Robert M. purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Frederick Michael Sallee.



Robert M. - May 21, 2024 at 02:50 PM

GC

“ We were cousins but Fred was my big brother. Whenever he had any of the child illnesses, our grandma sent me over to their house to play with him. I had measles and chicken pox before I started school so the only school I missed was later with mumps. We shared a love of model trains and airplanes I got to help him and Uncle Johnny the summer I was 18 and drove a truck for them on a special run to Texas, great fun together. I love my family.

Gerald (GR) Churchill - May 21, 2024 at 10:38 AM