



John Hovis

February 8, 1947 - November 28, 2023

John Richard Hovis, 76, of Zalma, Missouri passed away Tuesday, November 28, 2023 at his home.

He was born February 8, 1947 in Turkey Creek, MO to David Eugene and Anna Alice (Pridy) Hovis.

He and Janis Ruth (Allen) Hovis were married May 19th 1979 in Zalma, MO. She survives him in Zalma.

He was a lifetime member of Turkey Creek General Baptist Church.

He was a veteran of the US Army.

He was a cattle farmer and worked in his family owned timber business.

John enjoyed tending to his cattle and working on his farm. He always stayed busy and was never caught sitting down.

Survivors include his wife; son, John David (Gina) Hovis of Zalma, MO; daughter, Christina (Jared) Dunning of Advance, MO; five brothers, Tom (Judy) Hovis of Greenville, MO, Bill (Bernia) Hovis of Greenville, MO, Jim (Soozi) Hovis of Sikeston, MO, Joe Hovis of Zalma, MO, Mike (Sandy) Hovis

of Advance, MO; sister-in-law, Opal Hovis of Zalma, MO; six grandchildren, Dalli, Rhett, Claire, Grace, Luke, Easton.

He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Bob Hovis; parents-in-law, Curtis & Velma Allen.

Visitation will be from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm on Saturday, December 2, 2023 at Ford & Liley Funeral Home Marble Hill.

Funeral Service will be at 11:00 am on Sunday, December 3, 2023 with the Rev. Jamie Hovis officiating.

Burial will be at Bollinger County Memorial Park Cemetery in Marble Hill.

Memorial contributions may be given to Gideon's, Lymphoma Society or Turkey Creek General Baptist Church.

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandlileyfuneralhome.com.

Ford & Liley Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Bollinger County Memorial Park Cemetery

Marble Hill, MO 63764

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 2. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ford & Liley Funeral Home - Marble Hill
410 Union Street
Marble Hill, MO 63764
(573) 238-2820
info@fordandlileyfuneralhome.com
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Visitation

DEC 3. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Funeral Service

DEC 3. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John Hovis.*



December 01, 2023 at 04:58 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of John Hovis.*



December 01, 2023 at 04:41 PM



“ *Izettia Anderton and the Mills girls purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of John Hovis.*



Izettia Anderton and the Mills girls - December 01, 2023 at 02:15 PM



“ *Cooper Family, Angela, Sharon & Terry. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Hovis.*

Cooper Family, Angela, Sharon & Terry. - December 01, 2023 at 01:14 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of John Hovis.



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“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of John Hovis.



November 30, 2023 at 08:00 PM