



# Leonard Fitzgerald

July 28, 1937 - August 17, 2019

Leonard Fitzgerald of Doniphan, Missouri passed away August 17, 2019 in Fenton, Missouri at the age of 82. He was born July 28, 1937 in Reese, Missouri to the late Lee Mont Fitzgerald and Sylvia Marie (Garrison) Fitzgerald.

On July 14, 1962, Leonard married the love of his life, Juanita Ellis, and they were blessed with two children.

Leonard worked in the automotive industry for many years. He enjoyed all things in the outdoors, fishing, hunting, and looking for mushrooms. Leonard loved cutting wood and showing others how to correctly split each piece. He also enjoyed gardening and reaping the benefits of his labor. Some of his favorite shows were westerns with Matt Dillon being the main character and reading Louis L'Amour western books was a relaxing time for him. Leonard served his country in the US Air Force with pride. He loved his family tremendously and enjoyed visiting with all people, he never knew a stranger.

Leonard is survived by his wife, Juanita of Doniphan, Missouri, children; Leonard Fitzgerald Jr & Jeanee Mock of Salem, Missouri, and Stephanie Sherrill & husband Bruce of Cedar Hill, Missouri; brothers; Jerry Fitzgerald & wife Sandy of Montauk, Missouri, Marion Fitzgerald & wife Charlotte of Montauk, Missouri, Leslie Fitzgerald of Doniphan, Missouri, James Fitzgerald & wife Sandee of Bement, Illinois; sisters; Helen Huffman & husband David of Pocahontas, Arkansas. and Clara McDonald & husband Walter of Doniphan, Missouri; grandchildren; Megan Siemers & husband Rodney and Morgan Sherrill, great grandchild Everleigh Siemers, a host of extended family and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Lee and Sylvia Fitzgerald; brothers, Max, Glen, Norman, and Robert; sisters; Lula Black, Ellen Wells, and Dollie Fitzgerald. He will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Funeral services will be held at 3:00PM Thursday, August 22, 2019 at the Salem Chapel of the James & Gahr Mortuary with Monty Huffman officiating. A visitation for family and

friends will be held prior to services from 11:00AM until services at 3:00PM. Interment will be held in the Tune Cemetery in Salem, Missouri, with full Military Honors. Leonard Fitzgerald Jr, Bruce Sherrill, Leslie Fitzgerald, James Fitzgerald, Rodney Siemers, Marion Fitzgerald and Kacy Ward will be serving as pallbearers. For online condolences please visit [www.jamesgahrmortuary.com](http://www.jamesgahrmortuary.com)

# Cemetery

## Tune Cemetery

Salem, MO, 65560

# Events

**AUG 22**   **Visitation**   11:00AM - 03:00PM

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James & Gahr Mortuary - Salem  
103 West Center, Salem, MO, US, 65560

**AUG 22**   **Service**   03:00PM

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**AUG 22**   **Military Honors**04:00PM

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# Comments

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“ Thoughts and prayers for Aunt Juanita and family. Rocky and Janet Ellis.

**Rocky Ellis** - August 22 at 11:34 PM

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“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Leonard Fitzgerald.



August 22 at 09:05 AM

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“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Leonard Fitzgerald.



August 21 at 07:44 PM

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“ With love The Swayze's and Chambers Family purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Leonard Fitzgerald.



**With love The Swayze's and Chambers Family** - August 21 at 11:03 AM

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“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Leonard Fitzgerald.



August 21 at 10:41 AM

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“ Wendy & Mike Robinson, Imogene Loida, Deb & Sons purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Leonard Fitzgerald.



**Wendy & Mike Robinson, Imogene Loida, Deb & Sons** - August 21 at 10:19 AM

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“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Leonard Fitzgerald.



August 19 at 08:06 PM