



Fred Carl Gruebel

February 20, 1938 - April 8, 2019

Fred Carl Gruebel of Warrensburg, Missouri, formerly of St. James, Missouri passed away April 8, 2019 at the Missouri Veteran's Home in Warrensburg, Missouri at the age of 81. Fred was born in Rosati, Missouri on February 20, 1938 the only child of Frank and Virginia (Copehart) Gruebel.

Fred was raised in the Catholic Faith, and was a longtime member of the Immaculate Conception Church in St. James where he was a active member of the Church and the Knights of Columbus, until his health no longer allowed. He was a dedicated member of the community, and enjoyed helping others. Fred was united in marriage to Miss JoAnn Grotha on April 23, 1960, this union was blessed with three children; he was to drafted into the United States Army in 1962, leaving his wife behind he set out for training at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri for basic training, his luck was good, the war had ended and he was able to stay at Fort Leonard Wood for his entire service. Fred worked for Powell Lumber Company in Rolla, Missouri until they closed, he than went to work for Delano Oil Company in charge of maintenance, he stayed with Delano until he retired. Growing up in the Ozarks Fred really embraced the outdoor life whenever he could, he taught his children the love of the outdoors, hunting, fishing, camping, and boating, with his personal favorite fishing at the beautiful Missouri lakes, Tanycomo for white bass, Lake of the Ozarks for crappie, and the streams along the way for trout. He was also a very talented and gifted gardener, growing the family great produce that

JoAnn would can for the winter; sadly JoAnn passed away in 2004, after 44 years of marriage. Fred still kept the garden going strong for many years,, he would share the fruits of his bounty with family, friends, and the people he knew through Delano. He was a dedicated Servant of God, devoted father, grandfather, and friend to all, and will be greatly missed by all that knew and loved him.

Fred Carl Gruebel is survived by his children, Richard Gruebel and friend Sarah Lea, of St. James, MO, Theresa Pritchett and husband Henry, of Warrensburg, MO, and Robert Gruebel and wife Lela, of Grain Valley, MO; grandchildren, Holly Satterfield, Nathaniel Gruebel, Nichelle Loving (Zak), Pamela Martin, and Patricia Warren (Brandon). A host of extended family and friends. Fred was preceded in death by his parents Frank and Virginia Gruebel, and wife JoAnn.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Saturday, April 13, 2019 at 11:00 AM at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in St. James, Missouri with Father Ussher officiating. Internment will be in the Immaculate Conception Catholic Cemetery. A visitation for family and friends will be on Friday, April 12, 2019 at the St. James Chapel of the James & Gahr Mortuary from 6-8PM. Memorials are suggested and greatly appreciated to Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, cards are available at all James & Gahr locations.

Cemetery Details

Immaculate Conception Catholic Cemetery

St. James, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 12. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

James & Gahr Mortuary - St. James

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Military Honors

APR 13. 11:00 AM (CT)

Immaculate Conception Catholic Cemetery

St. James, MO

Service

APR 13. 11:00 AM (CT)

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

St. James, MO

Tribute Wall



“ *Fred Carl Gruebel*

January 30, 2023 at 04:37 AM



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January 30, 2023 at 02:54 AM