



## Jay Headrick

July 11, 1943 - April 22, 2021

Harland "Jay" Headrick of Salem, Missouri died April 22, 2021 peacefully at home surrounded by his family.

Jay was born on July 11, 1943 in St. Louis, Missouri to the late Jerry and Laverda (Black) Headrick.

Jay proudly served his Country for The United State Marine Corps during the Vietnam War. He married the love of his life, Miss Linda Ternes on September 19, 1975. This union was joined with four children.

Jay worked for Dent County as a deputy Sheriff, and also served two terms as a County Commissioner; Jay went to work in Fort Leonard Wood and worked civil service until he retired. He and Linda owned and operated Mini- Mart in Salem for several years; Jay was a people person, you never saw him without a smile, and a friendly word to everyone. He enjoyed playing golf, hunting, and shooting. He especially loved his family, and spending time with family and friends. He was a loving and devoted husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle, and friend.

Jay is survived by his loving wife of 45 years, Linda Ternus Headrick of Salem; children, Jayson Headrick of Salem, Rich Piatt and wife Jill of Salem, Lisa Andrews Bowers and husband Steven Boston, Massachusetts, two daughters, Michelle and Jill of Arizona; 12 grandchildren, and two great-

grandchildren. brothers; Jack Headrick and wife Debbie of Florissant, Missouri, Jim Headrick of Salem, Missouri, Jim Headrick and wife Kathy of Versailles, Missouri.

Funeral Services for Jay Headrick will be held on Saturday, April 24, 2021 at the Salem Chapel of the James & Gahr Mortuary with Lyndell Decker officiating. Internment will be in the Edgar Cemetery with full Military Honors. Memorials are suggested and greatly appreciated to American Legion Post #99, cards are available at all James & Gahr locations. Visitation for family and friends will be held at the Chapel on Friday, April 23, 2021, from 5-8PM.

# Cemetery Details

## Edgar Cemetery

Anutt, MO

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 23. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

James & Gahr Mortuary - Salem  
103 West Center  
Salem, MO 65560  
(573) 729-3117  
jgsalemmo@hotmail.com  
<https://www.jamesgahrmortuary.com/>

## Service

APR 24. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Jay Headrick

January 30, 2023 at 04:37 AM



“ Jay Headrick

January 30, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ My grandfather was a wonderful man and was there for me when he could be and I will miss him so much :( I love you grampy

Ellie Headrick - May 10, 2021 at 12:35 PM



“ Ricky & Deborah Land lit a candle in memory of Jay Headrick



Ricky & Deborah Land - April 27, 2021 at 09:24 AM



“ So sorry for your loss! Linda and family are in our prayers.

Jim Vessell - April 24, 2021 at 01:11 PM

KC

“ I have so many wonderful memories of going to Uncle Jay & Aunt Linda's farm. From fishing in the lake with Rich and Jayson, riding Dusty with Lisa, to picking veggies in the garden with Linda. Jay was always smiling and joking with us kids! He was such an amazing man that brought so much laughter and joy to our family. You will be missed!!

Linda, Lisa, Rich & Jayson, as you grieve such a tremendous loss, know you are loved and your big family is here for you!

❤️ Kimmy

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**Kimberly Constable** - April 24, 2021 at 12:17 AM

JB

“ Jerry and Diana Barbero purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Jay Headrick.



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**Jerry and Diana Barbero** - April 23, 2021 at 09:09 PM

JH

“ thank you jay for serving in our armed services.

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**jerry higgins** - April 23, 2021 at 08:40 PM

JH

“ Jerry Higgins lit a candle in memory of Jay Headrick



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**jerry higgins** - April 23, 2021 at 08:38 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Jay Headrick.*



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April 23, 2021 at 05:09 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Jay Headrick.*



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April 23, 2021 at 04:54 PM



“ *I was shocked and saddened to hear of Jay's death. I am so sorry. And sorry I can't be with the rest of the family for the services. I have so many memories of Ken and LaVerda and all those beautiful little boys.  
Much love, Joyce*

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**Joyce Headrick Darr** - April 23, 2021 at 04:37 PM



“ *Linda and family, Larry and I send our deepest sympathy and prayers for your great loss of Jay! You will remain in our thoughts and prayers in the days ahead!!!*

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**Brenda Wofford** - April 23, 2021 at 01:35 PM

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“ Thoughts and prayers for all the family.  
May God be with you all in this time of need.



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**Dennis Inman** - April 23, 2021 at 12:29 PM

BW

“ Always a good friend to me and my family. Sending prayers of  
comfort for the family and praying God's blessings be upon them all.  
Love  
Bob and Ann Wofford

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**Bob Wofford** - April 23, 2021 at 11:25 AM

AS

“ Angie, Dana, Jessica, Whitney, & Lauren SERRU  
purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the  
family of Jay Headrick.



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**Angie, Dana, Jessica, Whitney, & Lauren SERRU** - April 23,  
2021 at 11:20 AM