



## Stanley Curtis Snelson

February 4, 1954 - November 13, 2023

Stanley Curtis Snelson of Rolla, Missouri passed away Monday, November 13, 2023 at the age of 69. Stanley was born on February 4, 1954 to his father the late Raymond C. Snelson and mother Emelia (Furling) Snelson.

Stanley was united in marriage to Vicki Rae Collins Snelson on December 18, 1971, this union was blessed with two children. In 2020 Vicki passed away after 48 years of marriage. Stanley loved being a family man and adored his wife and children as well as all the grandchildren, nieces and nephews that came from the love he and Vicki shared. He especially liked sharing his passion for fishing and carpentry with his family. For years Stanley worked as a contractor in the construction trade and took great pride in his job. He was able to design and build many things big and small and did so with a true passion that all could see through his work. When he wasn't busy on the jobsite it was safe to say you could find him fishing. Stanley truly admired the outdoors and all they had to offer, but those who knew him, knew fishing was by far his favorite pastime.

Stanley is survived by his mother, Emelia Ann Snelson; his children, son Gregory John and wife Erica of Rolla MO; and daughter Rebecca Ann Bell of Rolla MO; two brother Walter Snelson of Rolla MO; Mark Snelson and wife Courtney of St. James MO; sister Sue Ann Dreschler of Arkansas; grandchildren Canyon Snelson, Challie Snelson, Bentley Bell; along with a

host of nieces and nephews.

In addition to his father Raymond, and loving wife Vicki, Stanley was preceded in death by his grandson Brady John.

A celebration of life service for Stanley Snelson will be held Monday, November 20, 2023 at 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM at the James and Gahr chapel in Rolla Missouri. Memorials are suggested to the Thomas Fair View Cemetery, cards are available at all James and Gahr locations. For online condolences please visit [www.jamesgahrmortuary.com](http://www.jamesgahrmortuary.com).

# Cemetery Details

**Thomas - Fairview Cemetery**

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

NOV **20**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

James & Gahr Mortuary - Rolla

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Stanley Curtis Snelson.*



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November 20, 2023 at 01:30 PM



“ *On behalf of the entire Joe Elliott family, we are so saddened by your loss. Our families shared many memories throughout the years.  
Know that we care.*

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**Susan Elliott Winfield** - November 15, 2023 at 10:45 AM