



Jack L. Shinn Jr.

July 31, 1932 - March 10, 2019

Jack L. Shinn Jr., of Fredonia, 86 of Fredonia, died Sunday, March 10, 2019 at the Morning Star Care Center in Fredonia. Jack was born on July 31, 1932 in New Albany, KS the son of Jack and Rena Grace (Ritter) Shinn Sr.

Jack was a graduate of Fredonia High School class of 1950. In 1952 Jack went into the U.S. Air Force and served his country for 4 years. After his return, Jack worked as an Air Traffic Controller until his retirement.

Jack was a member of the Fredonia VFW and the American Legion. On June 20, 1956 Jack married Helen and they later divorced. Jack's motto was: "He wasn't a good man, but he was always a kind man." Jack will be a great loss to his many friends, and the community.

Jack is survived by:

Two Daughters:

Tammy Shinn-Huffaker of Wichita, KS

Kim Burns and husband Max of Denver, CO

Two Brothers:

Rodger Shinn of Fredonia, KS

Jimmy Shinn of Burlington, KS

Jack was preceded in death by his parents, 2 brothers: Willard and Carson Shinn

On Tuesday, March 12, 2019 at noon, friends are invited to the VFW in Fredonia to share a meal and memories before the funeral service.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, March 12, 2019 at 2:00 PM at Countryside Funeral Home in Fredonia, with the Rev. Gene Benefiel officiating. Visitation will be held Monday, March 11, 2019 from 5-7 PM at the funeral home. Online condolences may be left at: www.countrysidefh.com Memorials have been suggested to either the Fredonia VFW Aux or the Fredonia Flag Fund and may be left with or mailed to the funeral home. Services entrusted to: Countryside Funeral Home 420 S. 20th St., P.O. Box 247, Fredonia, KS 66736

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 11. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Countryside Funeral Home - Fredonia
420 S. 20th St.
P.O. Box 247
Fredonia, KS 66736
(620) 378-2882

Celebration of Life

MAR 12. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Fredonia VFW
10283 Harper Road
Fredonia, KS 66736

Service

MAR 12. 2:00 PM (CT)

Countryside Crematory
420 S. 20th St.
P.O. Box 247
Fredonia, KS 66736
(620) 378-2882
<https://www.countrysidefh.com>

Tribute Wall

KD

“ Jack was a special person. He was a friend of my parents years ago, and I got to know him in the last 10 years or so. He was always a very kind, thoughtful man. He will be missed by many.



Keitha Dodson - March 13, 2019 at 09:48 PM

LM

“ Jack will always be remembered by his humor and smile. Everytime I heard “ Hey Big Mama “ I knew he had entered the room. You will be missed so much Jack

Lorrie Maxwell - March 13, 2019 at 03:38 PM

JR

“ Jack you will be missed, and you will be Remembered. You had a way to make everyone smile and had nicknames for so many. You bragged about your two daughters and loved them very much. Thank you again for your service and friendship. Now may you Rest In Peace. Janet, Rusty, Jared, Laura, Hudson, & Grady, Ryan & Christina, Evan, Amber, Ian & Addison Ratzlaff.



Janet Ratzlaff - March 11, 2019 at 10:55 PM

CV

“ So sorry to hear of Jack passing away. He was a kind fella with a great sense of humor. He was a true character and he will be missed.



Christina Findley Valentin - March 11, 2019 at 07:27 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Jack L. Shinn Jr..



March 11, 2019 at 03:33 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jack L. Shinn Jr..



March 11, 2019 at 02:46 PM



“ Jackson had the great ability to light up a room. What a good guy. He will be missed by oh, so many. Goodbye Jack Madeleine Hartnett & Jake Hartnett

Madeleine Hartnett - March 11, 2019 at 01:19 PM

RC

“ Jack was always there for his friends and most of all his daughter's they we pride and joy he was a very important part of my family's life and was one of our favorite customer at Mrs Cs going to miss him RiP Jackson love you

Ronda Cunningham - March 10, 2019 at 10:35 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Jack L. Shinn Jr..



March 10, 2019 at 10:31 PM

DH

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Keeping you close in my thoughts. Cherish all the memories.

Doni Bolton Helser - March 10, 2019 at 09:57 PM

JC

“ I will miss you my friend

Jerry Cunningham - March 10, 2019 at 09:52 PM

MS

“ My thoughts and prayers are with the whole Shinn family. Jack was a great man and will be missed by many.

Marlene Shinkle - March 10, 2019 at 09:29 PM

MS

“ *Marlene Shinkle lit a candle in memory of Jack L. Shinn Jr.*



Marlene Shinkle - March 10, 2019 at 09:28 PM

PH

“ *To jacks family, jack was a very good friend I will miss him so much, my thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family, jack will be so missed in the community.*

pat hunt - March 10, 2019 at 08:42 PM

PC

“ *Jack was a very kind man. He will dearly be missed. Love you.*



Peggy L. Carr aka 44

Peggy L. Carr - March 10, 2019 at 08:31 PM

DR

“ *I love Jack he was the sweetest and kindest man ever. He would give the shirt off his back. He will be missed by me and lots of others. RIP Jack*

Debby Reed - March 10, 2019 at 07:35 PM