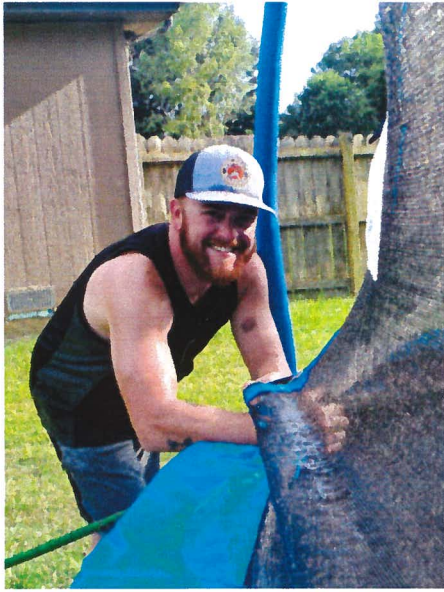


APPRECIATION

Stephen's family wishes to express their sincere appreciation for the many comforting thoughts and prayers, floral tributes, food and many acts of kindness extended to each of them during this time. Each of you holds a special place in our hearts.



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Memory



Stephen Joseph Ghys

Stephen J. Ghys, 35, Springfield MO, passed away Thursday July 29, 2021 in the home of his aunt.

He was born February 1, 1986 in Springfield, MO to Barbara and Bernard Ghys. Stephen attended school at Study Middle School and Central High School. Before becoming too ill to work he was in masonry work with a local company. Stephen enjoyed spending time with family and friends and always looked forward to holidays together. He loved children but never had any of his own. Stephen had a fondness for animals, especially his German Shepherds, Infamous and Zeus.

He was preceded in death by his father, Bernard Ghys; grandfather, William Ghys; and uncles, Richard Prugger and Aaron Kerfoot.

He is survived by his mother, Barbara Ghys; brother, Christopher Ghys; sisters, Catlin Ghys, Calli Ghys, and Candra Ghys; grandparents, John and Dorothy Prugger and grandmother, Eula Ghys. He will also be missed by a multitude of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, and close friends.

Special thanks to Heather, and brothers, Chris and Phillip for the support they gave near the end.

Stephen always asked that any charitable contributions be made to National Suicide Prevention Lifeline, 1-800-273-8255, as he lost several past friends to suicide.

Mom enjoys seeing the photos of Stephen from friends, in better times, that she would otherwise never get to see.

*Celebrating
a Life*

Stephen Joseph Ghys

BORN

February 1, 1986
Springfield, Missouri

PASSED AWAY

July 29, 2021
Republic, Missouri

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Herman H. Lohmeyer Funeral Home
6:00 pm, Monday
August 9, 2021

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