



David Roncelli

November 18, 1961 - November 1, 2025

David Allan Roncelli, 63 of Higginsville, Missouri passed away on Saturday, November 1, 2025, at his home in Higginsville. He was born Saturday, November 18, 1961 in Lexington, Missouri, to Steve Roncelli and the late Carolyn (Derleth) Roncelli.

David spent his younger years in Lexington, MO where he graduated high school and some of his life in Oak Grove, Missouri, where he worked as a skilled drywall installer. He later lived in Higginsville to be closer to family. David believed in working hard so he could play even harder. An outdoorsman at heart, David loved fishing, hunting, and spending time in nature. He was an avid hunter tracking game from deer in Missouri, wild boar down south, bear out west, to elk in the northwest. He proudly displayed his prize hunts with taxidermy in his basement. He was passionate about Nascar and football, always cheering on his beloved Chiefs. David spent fifteen years riding motorcycles, always chasing that sense of freedom. Whether cooking or firing up the grill for a good BBQ, David enjoyed staying active and sharing good times with those he cared about. He will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved him.

Surviving are his father, Steve Roncelli of Higginsville; one son, Jacob (Stephanie) Roncelli of Higginsville; two brothers, Dan (Leslie) Roncelli of Odessa, MO and Rob (Michelle) Roncelli of Richmond, MO; three grandchildren, Jade Roncelli, Aleena Roncelli, Lacy Roncelli. He was preceded in death by his mother, Carolyn Roncelli.

The family will receive friends from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM on Wednesday, November 12, 2025, at Stewart-Hoefer Funeral Home, 1600 Main St. Higginsville, Missouri. Private interment will be held at a later date in Memory Gardens Cemetery, Lexington, MO.

Cemetery Details

Memory Gardens Cemetery

13512 Missouri 13 Business
Lexington, MO 64067

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 12. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (cst)

Stewart-Hoefer Funeral Home, Inc.
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Tribute Wall

KH

“ David was truly the kindest most unique man I ever met. He was loyal to his family and friends and very passionate about his hobbies. He was a great instructor and introduced me to many outdoor experiences that I will never forget. Many I sit and still laugh about today! I am thankful he was a part of my life, and he holds a special place in my heart. You will be forever missed by many who care about you. Rest easy and watch over all of us. Until we meet again.....

I cherish this picture. I can remember how excited he was to go on that bear hunt. He promised me a nice bear rug to put in front of our fireplace, and he delivered that promise!

Condolences to all your family. I'll keep them in my prayers.

Kim Borchers



Kim Borchers - Hendrix - November 12, 2025 at 11:17 AM

BF

“ So sorry to hear this new. I used to work with David way back in 1989-1990 or close to that. He was full of life and always friendly and loved to tell stories about hunting and shooting and such. Fun guy to be around. Condolences to the family.

Brent Falke - November 11, 2025 at 08:18 AM

RR

“ Rob & Michelle Roncelli purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of David Roncelli.



Rob & Michelle Roncelli - November 06, 2025 at 03:48 PM

CM

“ We grew up together between our house and his grandparents house . There's pic somewhere he was probably 3 or 4.
So sorry for your loss.
Carrie (Fenner) mccarroll

Carrie (Fenner) Mccarroll - November 03, 2025 at 11:42 PM