



## Scott James Geckley

September 19, 1953 - July 5, 2017

Scott James Geckley was born to Donnabel and Ray Geckley on September 19th, 1953 in Marengo, Ohio. He passed due to complications from cancer on July 5th, 2017.

Scott had many joys in life. They included traveling across the country, campfires, and being outdoors. He was known to make delicious food that he truly enjoyed sharing with everyone. He took pleasure in helping and guiding people. He had a strong faith and could quote scripture better than most. He didn't always preach his faith. Instead, he aspired to live by it to the best of his ability.

Scott leaves behind his best friend and partner of 13 years, Barbra Spencer, affectionately known as, "Babs". His oldest son Aaron Geckley, his wife Misty, and their son Carter. His daughter Kristy Vitale, her husband Tony, and their two children Angelo and Giada. His second son Ren Geckley. His youngest son Matthew Geckley, his fiance Lexi, and their child Evie.

Anyone who would like to attend the service, and celebrate the life of Scott, are welcome. The service will be held on July 15th, 2017 at Park Hill Baptist Church. Located at 7609 Mo-9, Kansas City, MO 64152. Visitation will be from 11 to noon. Services to be held there after. Fond memories and words of comfort may be shared at: [www.CashattFamilyFuneralHome.com](http://www.CashattFamilyFuneralHome.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 15. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Park Hill Baptist Church  
7609 MO-9 HWY  
Kansas City, MO 64152

## Celebration of Life

JUL 15. 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Scott James Geckley*

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October 04, 2023 at 10:39 PM

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“ My sincerest condolences to his family. Scott was my very dear friend. He was my brother in Christ whom I loved and owed a great deal of gratitude to. He often spoke with me of his children and of you, "Babs." He told me why he called you that ...lol. That's precious! Know that he spoke of you all with pride, fondness, and lots of love!

*I met Scott in October of 1976 in Hampton, Va. I had just completed my stint in the Navy and decided to make Hampton my home. I had neither family nor friends there. At the time, Scott was running a Christian home fellowship with three other wonderful people. I was affiliated with the same ministry Scott was serving and that's how I got to meet him by attending his fellowship. I had only attended a few meetings when I developed some health issues. I didn't let anybody know and checked myself into a VA hospital where I underwent surgery. I was hospitalized for 10 days. I got my release by lying, stating I had someone to look after me during my recovery. I didn't! I was foolish enough to think that I could do it on my own. I soon found out I couldn't. I was renting a small "shack" which didn't have a phone so I couldn't call for help. My pain got to be extreme and I could barely walk. To make a long story short I ended up passing out on my living room couch. That's where Scott found me three days later. Next thing I knew I woke up in his house, under his and his family's (Jannie, Mary, and Nancy ... three wonderful women of God) care. They took care of me and nursed me back to health. I was an invalid for two months and they didn't waver once in their care for me. My love and gratitude for them cannot be expressed in words. They showed me what it means to love with the love of Christ. I formed a close bond with all of them, especially Scott, who mentored me. We developed a friendship that lasted 41 years. You know, if Scott hadn't checked on me that fateful day, I wouldn't be here now. I thank God for the friendship we had. RIP my friend! We will meet again at the "Gathering!"*

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Walt Verdonck - July 14, 2017 at 03:07 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Scott James Geckley.*



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July 14, 2017 at 08:21 AM