



Stephen L. McElwee Sr.

January 3, 1952 - March 14, 2017

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Steve McElwee 65, of Riverside, MO passed away Tuesday, March 14th 2017.

He was born January 3rd 1952. He is survived by: his wife of 22 years of marriage, Della McElwee of Riverside, MO. His two daughters: Savannah (Robert) Flynn, of Riverside, Amanda (Shane) Chriss of Overland Park KS. His sister Lisa (Mike) Young of Cleveland MO. His sister in law Rhonda McElwee of Independence, MO. His youngest son, Nigel McElwee of Georgia. Five Grandchildren, Eight Nephews and One Niece.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Ralph and Sherry McElwee and step mother, Claudine McElwee, his brother David McElwee and oldest son Steve McElwee Jr. Steve was a great rock and roll drummer (self taught). He loved performing and showing off. He went by Mac and The Animal while playing music. Now he will be in good company with Keith Moon(his favorite drummer). I lived vicariously through him when he played, it was the best time of my whole life. Steve also loved to hunt, fish and watch sports. He will be missed by all of his friends and family.

We Ask Lieu of flowers that contributions be made to Della McElwee. Thank you and God Bless! Services will be at 1:00pm Saturday March 25, 2017 at St. Raphael Chapel - 5401 N. Sycamore Ave. 64119.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

MAR **25**. 1:00 PM (CT)

Raphael Chapel
5401 N. Sycamore Avenue
Kansas City, MO 64119

Tribute Wall



“ *Stephen L. McElwee Sr.*

October 04, 2023 at 10:39 PM



“ *Della & Family- I feel so blessed to have known Steve in this life. Steve and I were friends in Jr. High. We always talked in the hall on second floor by the stairwell, and our conversations were usually about him playing his drums. He was always kind and treated me with respect. I will never forget the day he gave me a Surfari record of "Wipe Out", which he signed and told me he would be famous someday. He did better than being famous. He met Della and spent the last 22 years being a wonderful husband, father and grandfather. I will miss my buddy, but I know I will see him again. RIP Steve!*

Love, Mary Ann Colston Lee

mary ann Lee - March 25, 2017 at 09:51 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Steve was an awesome brother in law. He could always make me laugh and the jokes never stopped when we were together. He missed his brother David so terribly and now they are together again. I'm sure you two are talking up a storm. They talked to each other every day and I know he missed that. I know David was there with Steve to show him the way home. May they both rest in peace. Love you Della and the kids.*

Rhonda McElwee - March 24, 2017 at 05:20 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Stephen L. McElwee Sr..*



March 23, 2017 at 08:16 PM



“ *thinking you you with love sadness and hope. Steve is happy with his parents brother and son. One day we can all see him again. My belief is that he is always with you. He knows what you are thinking and sharing all that goes on with you. Just on the other side of the veil. He will be missed but that means that he made an impression on others. He lives on because his relationships will always remember. love you. hugs and maybe one day we can just hang out together. susan*



Susan Fisher-Slater - March 22, 2017 at 06:23 PM



“ *I am so sorry to hear that Steve has passed. Della, please know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.*



Tracee Lynn - March 22, 2017 at 03:58 PM