



Shaun Paul Stewart

October 11, 1978 - January 31, 2026

Shaun Paul Stewart, son of Brenda Ruth Rice (Martin), was born on October 11, 1978, in Waynesville, Missouri. He spent his childhood in Waynesville and graduated from Waynesville High School.

Shaun worked for several years as a prison guard in Jefferson City, Missouri. After suffering an injury, he recovered and began a new role as a caretaker at an adolescent care center.

Shaun enjoyed spending his free time outdoors. He could often be found hunting, fishing, or spending time with his beloved dogs and a pet chicken he rescued. He was also an avid pool player and cherished opportunities visiting or helping friends whenever he could.

Shaun passed away on Saturday, January 31, 2026, at his home in Waynesville at the age of 47. He will be deeply missed and fondly remembered by everyone who knew and loved him.

Shaun was preceded in death by his parents and grandparents. He is survived by two brothers: Travis Martin (Unica) of Byron, CA, and Mike Abney (Jennifer) of Louisville, KY; his stepfather, Gary Rice of Farmington, MO; his half-brother, John Rice; his partner, Jonathan Moyers of Waynesville, MO; as well as several nieces, other relatives, and friends.

Although Shaun is no longer with us, his fierce devotion of service to others leaves a lifelong legacy of caring. His spirit will live on in our hearts as inspiration of a life well lived.

Visitation will begin at 4:00 p.m. Monday, February 23, 2026, with a Celebration of Life service to follow at 6:00 p.m. Monday, February 23, 2026, in the Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert. Arrangements are under the care and direction of Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert.

Memorial contributions may be made in memory of Shaun Stewart and may be left at Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **23**. 4:00 PM.

Memorial Chapels And Crematory Of Waynesville / St. Robert

Celebration of Life

FEB **23**. 6:00 PM (CT)

Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville/St. Robert

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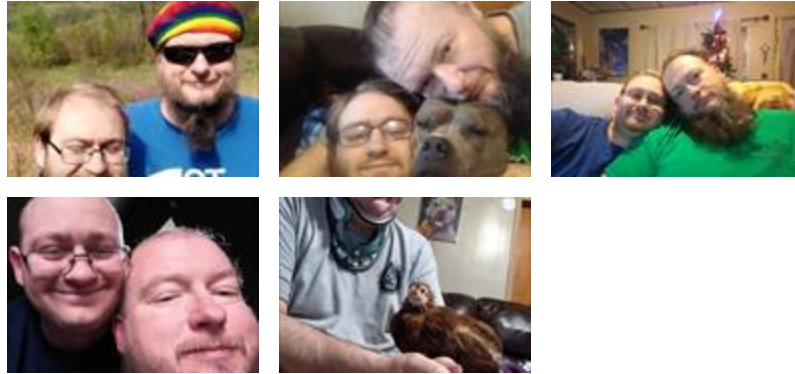
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Tribute Wall

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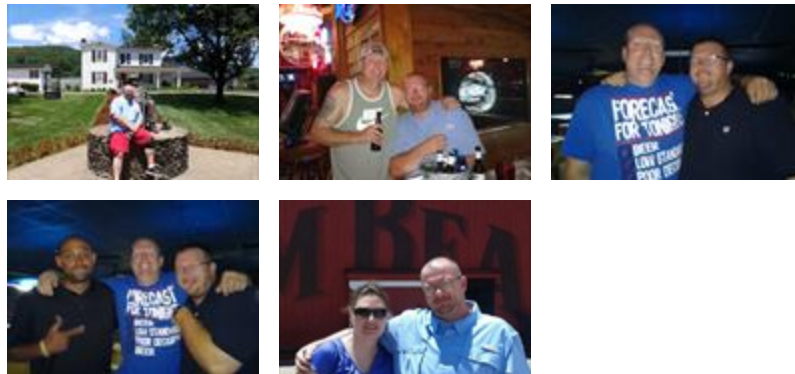
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Jonathan Moyers - February 27 at 11:58 AM

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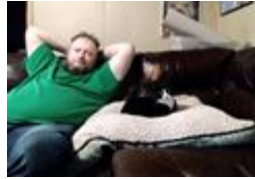
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Mike and Jennifer Abney - February 23 at 02:52 PM



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Memorial Chapels and Crematory - February 23 at 11:50 AM

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“ *Vickie Layde lit a candle in memory of Shaun Stewart*



Vickie Layde - February 21 at 08:51 PM