



## James H. Callahan

July 28, 1932 - January 15, 2012

James H. Callahan, age 79, of Gravois Mills, passed away Sunday, January 15, 2012, at his home. He was born July 28, 1932, in Independence, Missouri, the son of the late James and Ann Overman Callahan.

James was a United States Navy veteran.

He was self-employed as a brick layer and concrete construction.

James was a member of the Optimist Club in Kansas City, Missouri. He was a hard worker, and in his spare time, he enjoyed hunting and fishing.

He is survived by his son, James K. Callahan of Kansas City, Missouri; his daughters, Pamela Flake of Grain Valley, Missouri and Janet Allen of Blue Springs, Missouri; eight grandchildren; twelve great-grandchildren; his brothers, William Callahan of Independence, Missouri, Jack Callahan of Raytown, Missouri, Hugh Irwin of Manhattan, Kansas, and Mike Callahan; his sister, JoAnne Bray of Flagstaff, Arizona; and many other relatives and friends.

A celebration of James's life will be held at 11:00 a.m., Friday, January 20, at the Church of the Resurrection, 601 NE Jefferson St., Blue Springs, MO 64014.

Arrangements are under the direction and care of the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Versailles.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *The Broken Chain*

*we little knew that day, god was going to call your name. In life we loved you dearly, In death, we do the same. It broke our hearts to lose you. You did not go alone. For part of us went with you. the day God called you home. You left us beautiful memories, Your love is still our guide. and although we cannot see you, You are always at our side. Our family chain is broken, and nothing seems the same, But as God calls us one by one, the chain will link again*

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**Janet Allen** - February 02, 2012 at 09:55 PM