



## James L. Routon

May 10, 1927 - January 6, 2017

James L. Routon, age 89, of Barnett, passed away Friday, January 6, 2017, at the Good Shepherd Care Center in Versailles. He was born May 10, 1927, in Barnett, a son of the late Joseph L. and Ethel R. (Andrews) Routon.

On May 29, 1949, in Kansas City, Missouri, he was united in marriage to Maxine (Irwin) Routon, who preceded him in death on May 3, 2010.

James worked hard staying busy in the construction business for many years.

He was a member of the Barnett Union Church.

James is survived by his children, Vicki J. Routon of Barnett and Dennis Routon and wife Rita and Gary Routon all of Eldon; six grandchildren; thirteen great-grandchildren and many other relatives and friends. In addition to his parents and wife, he was preceded in death by his brother, Stanley Leon Routon.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 10th, at the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home in Versailles with Reverend Shirley Williams officiating. Graveside services and interment will follow in the Hopewell Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, at the funeral home. Memorial contributions are suggested to the Hopewell

Cemetery Association. Expressions of sympathy may be left online at [www.kidwellgarber.com](http://www.kidwellgarber.com). Arrangements are under the direction and care of the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Versailles.

# Cemetery Details

## Hopewell Cemetery

19700 Highway C  
Barnett, MO 65011

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 10. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home - Versailles Chapel  
207 North Monroe St.  
Versailles, MO 65084  
(573) 378-4655

## Service

JAN 10. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

SM

“ I am so sorry to hear about "Dad". I didn't know until after the funeral or I would have been there. I will always remember Jimmy as my second dad. My heart goes out to you kids. He will be missed by all who knew and loved him. He will live on in my heart just as like my own Dad.

Sue (Burriss) Miller - January 16, 2017 at 11:29 AM

VR

Thanks Sue. He was a special man.

Vicki Routon - January 21, 2017 at 02:16 PM

CJ

“ So very sorry to hear of your Dad's passing. I will keep you in my prayers. Vicki remember the wonderful memories and he will always be in your heart and life.  
Carolyn Jones (AKA Dusenberry)

Carolyn Jones - January 08, 2017 at 11:23 AM

PC

“ I'm so sorry to hear about Jimmy. I remember the times I spent visiting with him while waiting for Bill to pick me up at the station in Barnett.



Pat Calton - January 07, 2017 at 07:04 PM