



Mr. JanKeith L. Thompson

June 7, 1941 - August 7, 2021

Obituary

Jankeith L. Thompson, 80, of Lee's Summit, MO passed away peacefully at St. Luke Plaza Hospital on August 7, 2021. Jankeith was born in Pittsburg, KS on June 7, 1941. He was preceded in death by his parents Keith and Norvella Thompson and a sister, Jacklyn G. Thompson.

On December 30, 1971 Jankeith united in marriage to Johnnie R. Ersery. They enjoyed 49 years of marriage. From this union they were blessed with one daughter, Crystal D. Thompson. In 1959 he graduated from Central High School, Kansas City, MO. In the fall of 1959, he attended Drake University in Des Moines, IA. While at Drake, he became a member of Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity. He graduated from Central Missouri State with a Bachelor of Science in 1974.

His professional career began at Bendix in 1969. Jankeith rose to the position of division supervisor before retiring from Honeywell in 2014 with 45 years of service.

Mr. Thompson was a member of St. James Paseo United Methodist Church. He will be remembered as a devoted and loving husband, exemplary father

and proud grandfather. Fellow workers, friends and family will cherish his memory. He will be sadly missed but not forgotten for his love of friends, games, sports and entertaining. He will be well remembered as the host with most.

He is survived by his wife, Johnnie Thompson; two daughters, Crystal Thompson of Ardmore, PA; Makedah Levi (Melchizedek) of Israel; a son, Jankeith Gatewood of Denver, CO; two grandchildren, Megehn Levi and Tzadiq Levi and a host of relatives and friends.

Memorial Service will be held Thursday, August 12, 2021, 2:00pm at St. James United Methodist Church. Private Disposition. Service conducted by Lawrence A. Jones & Sons Funeral Chapel. Condolences may be shared on our website.

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to the family or plant a tree
in memory of Mr. JanKeith L. Thompson, please visit our floral store.

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“ A Memorial Tree was planted for Mr. JanKeith L. Thompson
We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ the staff at Lawrence A. Jones
& Sons Funeral Chapels
Join in honoring their life - plant a memorial tree

A Memorial Tree was planted for Mr. JanKeith L. Thompson - May 25, 2023 at 12:59 PM

RB

“ Feathery palm plant was purchased for the family of Mr. JanKeith L. Thompson by Regina and Mike Brown. Send Flowers I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Jan, he was a mentor and a good friend. We still kept in touch after he retired. I'll miss the talks and his wisdom. Rest in power Ole G! Regina and Mike Brown

Regina and Mike Brown - May 25, 2023 at 12:59 PM

KC

“ A Memorial tree was ordered in memory of Mr. JanKeith L. Thompson by Kirk D Cohen. Plant a Tree Condolences to the Thompson Family. May God comfort you during this difficult time. Kirk D Cohen

Kirk D Cohen - May 25, 2023 at 12:59 PM

JW

“ I was sorry to hear about the passing of Mr. Thompson. I had the pleasure of working with him for a short time and always appreciated his kind demeanor. Sending heartfelt condolences to the entire Thompson family. Jenell Schiele-Watts

Jenell Watts - August 12, 2021 at 11:31 AM