



Thomas James Pruitt

February 26, 1950 - April 10, 2011

Dateline: East Alton

Thomas James Pruitt, 61, died peacefully at his home at 12:08 a.m. Sunday, April 10, 2011. He was born in Alton on February 26, 1950 to Marion and Edna (Cauley) Pruitt, one of three boys. Surviving are three sons, William Pruitt, James Pruitt and his wife Cara (Wall) Pruitt, and Benjamin Pruitt, two granddaughters, Jaelynn and Jocelynn, one brother, Allen Pruitt and his wife Dale Evans (Holmes) Pruitt, a nephew, Steven Pruitt, a niece, Edna Williamson, three great nephews, Steven, John and Allen and one great niece, Cindy. He is also survived by his former wife, Cassandra Hopper and her son, Joe Hopper. He was preceded in death by his parents, one brother, Steven Pruitt, and one great niece, Mary Elizabeth Williamson. Visitation will be from 4:00-8:00 p.m. Tuesday, April 12, 2011 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton where funeral services will be at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, April 13, 2011. Burial will be at Grand View/Alton Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the family in the care of Gent Funeral Home.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Thomas James Pruitt*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Thomas James Pruitt*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *We miss you more with each and every passing day!!! You'd be so proud of James! He wouldn't be him if it weren't for you! He's a great father & husband! Thank you for raising my husband right. Continue watching over us and our mini army.. grandpas gang!!! We love you!*



Cara Pruitt - April 16, 2020 at 01:43 AM



“ *brother you have been gone these past three years and I still miss you so much. I hope you are sleeping in peace. You will always be with me in my heart. My whole family is with me every day. I love you all. xoxoxoxoxox*

allen pruit - April 03, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AL

“ I still hurt when I think you are no longer with me . I think of you all the time. I will until I die . I will always love you

allen - August 02, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AL

“ I still miss you my brother and I will always love. Rest in peace and God be with you in your walk through heaven.

allen - July 09, 2013 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ I AM A SECOND COUSIN OF TOM AND ALLEN I DID'NT GET TO MEET TOM BUT I WANT TO PAY MY RESPECTS FROM OUR FAMILY MY GRANDPA WAS JAMES PRUITT TOM AND ALLENS DAD'S BROTHER MY UNCLE BOB PRUITT PASSED AWAY THE SAME DAY IN LOUISANNA MO MAY GOD BLESS YOU ALL PAMELA(PRUITT) CAREY

Pamela(Pruitt)Carey - April 13, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ I grew up in the same neighborhood. Tom and I played together as small boys.

God rest his soul.

Mike Chontofalsky - April 12, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SO

“ Dad i miss u every second i remeber all the things we did together and all the speeches told.You made me the man I,m today. I will always love u and never forget u. love james

son - April 12, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ I will never forget you and

all the things we did together in life. Rest in peace and no more
hurting. I

hope and believe you are with

dad , mother and steven. You are running now and you are free of
all the hurt, we have

seen. Love you always your brother.

brother - April 12, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ Soo Sorry for your loss... James, Cara and family are in our prayers.

Mike, Christy and Carli Ross - April 11, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CN

“ R.I.P. TOM! My heart goes out to the boys, William, James, and
Benjamin...losing a father is a pain no one know until they
experience it! The pain never goes away, but it does get easier to
deal with after a while! You will have good days and bad days, but
just remember to think about all the good memories!!! And my
thoughts and prayers go out to the rest of the family as well!

Chastity Niemeyer - April 11, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SU

“ I am so sorry for your loss, Tom was a very nice man, and loved his
family. God Bless

Susan - April 11, 2011 at 12:00 AM