



## D. Rusty Robinett, Jr

July 17, 1956 - January 4, 2026

D. Rusty Robinett of Centralia passed away suddenly on Sunday, January 4, 2026, surrounded by his loving family.

He was born July 17, 1956 in Centralia. He was the 1st born child to his parents, Darrell F. Robinett and Margaret (Williamson) Robinett. He married the love of his life, Kimberly (Brantley) Robinett on July 9, 1977 and she survives him.

Other survivors left to mourn his passing, is his daughter: Lindsay (Justin) Eigenrauch of Nashville, IL and his son: Blake A. Robinett. Also survived by his sisters: Gail (Steve) Barr, Pamela (Dwight) Terry, and Tina (Ron) Ward all of Centralia. Also survived by his 3 granddaughters: Hanley Presswood, Maisy and Renley Eigenrauch and his faithful 4 legged companion and assist dog: Chewy.

He was preceded in death by both parents, grandparents: Elvia and Helen Robinett and Thomas and Adilade Williamson, and nephew: TJ Terry.

Rusty graduated Centralia High School class of 1974. He retired as a Painter in the Allied Trades Union. He also worked several years as a team lead for Ligma Corp. In his spare time, he always had a project he was working on whether it was restoring an old truck or car or the never ending home remodeling projects. He was also skilled in woodworking or refurbishing furniture. Most of all, he valued quality time with his family.

Funeral Services for Rusty will be held on Friday, January 9, 2025 at 11:00 AM at The Rock Church, 515 Airport Road Centralia, Illinois 62801, with

Pastor Steve Upchurch officiating. A Visitation will be held Thursday, January 8, 2026 from 4-7 PM and Friday, January 9, 2026 from 10 AM until the time of service at the church. Memorials can be made to The Rock Church or charity of donors choice and will be accepted at the accepted at the Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home located at 235 North Sycamore Street Centralia, Illinois, 62801 (618)532-3523, who is honored to be of service to Rusty's Family. Online condolences may be made to the family by visiting [www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com](http://www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com) or the Funeral Home's Facebook page.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 8. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

The Rock Church  
515 Airport Rd  
Centralia, IL 62801-6583  
(618) 533-3700

## Visitation

JAN 9. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM.

The Rock Church

## Funeral Service

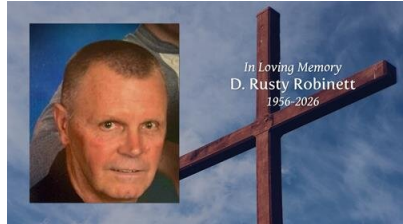
JAN 9. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM.

The Rock Church

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sutherland Funeral Homes, Cemetery and Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of D. Rusty Robinett, Jr*



**Sutherland Funeral Homes, Cemetery and Cremation Services** - January 08 at 02:31 PM

KC

*I'm so, sorry to hear of his passing. At a loss of what to say. Prayers to everyone in the family*

**Kelly Cluck** - January 13 at 12:17 AM

DM

“ *Dear Pam, Tina and Gail. My heart is saddened by the news of your brothers passing. I remember Rusty from our childhood days. He was always so nice to me, Penny and my little brother Ronnie. Know that my prayers are with you all.*



**Diana K Massey** - January 25 at 11:22 AM

NG

“ *God bless Kim and her family, so sorry for your loss Rusty will be missed! Don & Nancy Glasgow*

**nancy Glasgow** - January 09 at 12:23 PM

NJ

“ *My condolences to you and your family Kim on the passing of Rusty.*

Nancy K Jones - January 09 at 12:08 PM

TS

“ *Was sorry to hear this. He was a great guy.*

Tom Smith - January 07 at 10:09 PM

PE

“ *God bless Kim and family.Rusty in his hardships never gave up.*

Pastor Ed Evans - January 07 at 08:30 PM

PB

“ *Rusty and I went to high school together and graduated together. He always had a smile for*

Pamela Boettcher - January 07 at 09:30 AM

CT

*Kim is am so sorry for your loss. Rusty and you were a beautiful couple.Love and prayers.*

Cindy Tyson - January 07 at 03:31 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of D. Rusty Robinett, Jr.*



January 06 at 10:09 PM

TW

“ Troy, Jeanne, Tyler and Norma Williamson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of D. Rusty Robinett, Jr.

Troy, Jeanne, Tyler and Norma Williamson - January 06 at 10:09 PM

DM

“ So sorry for your loss. Prayers for Kim, Blake & the rest of his family during this difficult time.  
Dave & Donna Markus

Dave & Donna Markus - January 06 at 07:21 PM

MM

“ Gail, Kim and families... I am so sorry to hear about Rusty. I just wanted to let you know we are thinking of you and keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers. Love and hugs to all.  
Mark and Jerri Ann Miller



Mark and Jerri Ann Miller - January 06 at 07:09 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of D. Rusty Robinett, Jr.



January 06 at 05:45 PM

HA

“ Heather Abernathy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of D. Rusty Robinett, Jr.

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**Heather Abernathy** - January 06 at 05:45 PM

BS

“ I'm so very sorry for your loss! Words fail me at times like this but know you all are in my thoughts and prayers! Big hugs!

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**Barb Simmons** - January 06 at 05:13 PM