



Thomas Lynn Tripp

April 27, 1948 - July 19, 2026

Thomas Lynn Tripp, 78, of Chanute, KS passed away Sunday, July 19th at St. Francis Hospital in Wichita.

Tom was born April 27, 1948 to Charles and Mildred (Webb) Tripp in Chanute. He graduated from Chanute High School in 1966. After six years in the US Navy aboard the carrier USS Oriskany, he returned to Chanute and graduated from Neosho County Community College. In January 1982, Tom married Terri Uden in Miami Oklahoma.

Tom was employed by the Santa Fe Railroad until the closure of the Chanute yard, when he went to work for the City of Chanute until his retirement.

He greatly enjoyed visiting with family, working in his yard and garden, and tinkering in his shop. Tom also loved exploring the nations roads by car or motorcycle, and was especially fond of the Black Hills of South Dakota, which he and Terri visited many times.

Tom was preceded in death by his parents, sisters Rosella, Jeanne, Mary, Goldie, Shirley, Eleanor, and Ernestine, as well as one brother, LaVerne. He is survived by his wife of the home, daughter Laura (Phil) of Shawnee, KS, son John of Chanute, grandchildren Ezra and Emery, brother Richard, and many nieces and nephews.

Following cremation, a visitation will be held Friday, August 14th from 5-7PM at Countryside Funeral Home Johnson Chapel, 101 N Highland, Chanute, KS.

Upcoming Events

Visitation

AUG **14.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Countryside Funeral Home - Johnson Chapel
101 N. Highland
Chanute, KS 66720
(620) 431-1220

Tribute Wall



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“ Tom and I were childhood playmates along with LaVerne and my sister, Ci dy. We would drive up from Independence every Sunday. We climbed trees together and I remember one night when just Tom and I camped out in a tent in the back yard, and stuck our heads out under the sides of the tent to look at the stars!

Lillian Belt (Hinson)

Daughter of Tom's sister Ernie

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