

Atchison, KS

William L. Chambers, 74, of Atchison, Kansas, died Tuesday, September 17, 2019, at the Atchison Hospital.

A private family graveside will be at a later date at St. Patrick's Cemetery. Final care has been entrusted to the Arensberg-Pruett Funeral Home.

William was born on February 28, 1945, in Atchison, Kansas the son of Everett and Marie (Kasten) Chambers. He attended White Clay Elementary School and Lancaster and graduated from Atchison County Community High School in 1963. While at ACCHS William participated in football, basketball, and track all four years. He then went on to earn his Master's Degree from Emporia State.

He and Lois K. Wagner were united in marriage at St. Patrick's Church. Mrs. Chambers preceded him in death on November 8, 1995.

William served in Kansas City as a teacher until his retirement. After he retired from education, William owned a carpet cleaning service as a way to help pass time. Prior to teaching William managed a body shop and even spent a few years working on a harvest crew. He enjoyed carpentry and performing many different small jobs.

He served in the United States Army Guard and was activated during the Vietnam War.

Survivors include two sons Jason and Ryan Chambers, Kansas City, two sisters, Shirley Congrove, Kansas City, MO, Katie (Dave) Clem, Lancaster, KS, and two sister's-in-law, Beverly Chambers, Julia Chambers.

He is preceded in death by a son, Troy Chambers, two brothers, Norman Chambers, Jim Chambers, and his parents.