



# OBITUARY

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December 19, 2022

Retired Police Officer William L. Rider Jr., who retired from the department June 26, 1996, passed away December 12, 2022.

Retired Police Officer Rider Jr. was born March 6, 1948, and was 74 years of age at the time of his death. Retired Police Officer Rider Jr. was appointed to the department on May 1, 1971. His assignments included Northeast Patrol Division, North Patrol Division, East Patrol Division and Records Unit where he was assigned at the time of his retirement.

Retired Police Officer Rider Jr. is survived by his wife Carolyn Rider, Gladstone, MO; daughter Teri (Dana) Rider, Gladstone, MO; son Scott (Bridget) Rider, Liberty, MO; grandsons Marcos Velasquez, Kansas City, MO, Kolby Velasquez, Kansas City, MO and Excelsior Springs Police Officer Bret Rider, Excelsior Springs, MO; and one granddaughter Tia Veals, Baton Rouge, LA.

There will be no services.