

He was preceded in death by his parents and beloved wife of 64 years, Joan Tierney; a daughter, Sheryl Ann Peterson; four siblings: Marie Winkler; Richard J. Tierney, Jr; Patricia Gregg; and Eugene Tierney. He is survived by a son, James E. Tierney, Jr. of Kearney, MO; a daughter, Loretta M. Bayless-Temple and her husband, Richard "Cade" Temple of KCMO (North); son in law, Del Peterson of KCMO (North); eight grandchildren: Patrick (Amanda) Tierney; Joseph (Amanda) Tierney; Brionna Tierney; Joanie (Brandon) Lipscomb; James Peterson; Nigel Bayless; Ian (Deena) Bayless; and Richard (Courtney) Temple; eleven great-grandchildren: Peter, Timothy and Crighton Tierney; Ethan and Campbell Tierney; Emma and Brooklyn Peterson; Tierney Lipscomb; Hadley, Ella and Rikki Temple; and a sister, Kathleen Tierney; numerous nieces and nephews.

The Rosary will be prayed 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, September 17, 2019, at St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church, where the family will receive friends from 5-7:00 p.m. The Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, September 18, 2019, at the church, Rev. Donald Farnan presiding. A private family committal service and burial will follow at Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Kansas City, MO. In lieu of flowers Memorial Contributions are suggested to NorthCare Hospice or St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church.

The Tierney family would like to thank the NorthCare Hospice Team for all of their loving care towards Jim "Blue Eyes" and for their support to our family.

The Meyers Northland Chapel in Parkville has been entrusted with the final arrangements. Memories of Jim and condolences may be shared at meyersfuneralchapel.com.

Condolences