



## Jeremy E. Potts

October 11, 1985 - November 12, 2024

Jeremy Eldon Potts went to live in heaven on Tuesday, November 12, 2024. He was 39 years old.

Jeremy was born to James and Linda Potts on October 11, 1985 in Springfield, Illinois. Jeremy grew up in Petersburg, Illinois and graduated from Porta High School in 2004. Immediately after graduating Jeremy began working for American River Transportation Company (ARTCO), where he was currently the location manager in East Peoria.

Surviving Jeremy are a daughter, Landry Bell Potts, and a son, Jase Daniel Potts. Jeremy is also survived by his loving companion, Stephanie J. Schafer. Also surviving are Jeremy's parents, James and Linda Potts of Petersburg, a brother Jason Potts (Nicole), their children, Caroline, Charlotte, and Henry, and a sister, Lisa Walter (Michael), and their children Olivia and Kelton. Also, Stephanie's children, Morgan Sarff and Karter Sarff. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Sheldon and Vivian (nee Herrmann) Potts and Warren and Hermina (nee Evers) Backs. He was also preceded in death by his beloved dog, Laney.

Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg will be assisting the family with arrangements. A visitation will be held at Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg on Sunday evening, November 17 from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm. Funeral services

will be held at Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Petersburg on November 18 at 10:00 am with Pastor Jeffrey Gross officiating. Graveside service will immediately follow at Rose Hill Cemetery with Reverend Bill Novak officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to The American Cancer Society or any charity of choice.

# Cemetery Details

## Rose Hill Cemetery

IL-123  
Petersburg, IL 62675  
(217) 632-3022

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 17. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Hurley Funeral Home - Petersburg  
122 West Douglas Avenue  
Petersburg, IL 62675  
(217) 632-2500  
<https://www.hurleyfh.com/>

## Funeral Service

NOV 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

Bethlehem Lutheran Church  
120 W Monroe  
Petersburg, IL 62675  
(217) 632-2453

## Graveside Service

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NOV 18 (CT)

Rose Hill Cemetery

IL-123

Petersburg, IL 62675

(217) 632-3022

# Tribute Wall



“ Hurley Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Jeremy E. Potts



Hurley Funeral Home - November 17, 2024 at 01:19 AM

PV

“ Deepest condolences to all of Jeremy's family, Mike & Pat Vig

Pat Vig - November 17, 2024 at 04:14 PM

BF

“ Bobby and Cindy Farmer purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Jeremy E. Potts.



Bobby and Cindy Farmer - November 16, 2024 at 12:59 PM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Jeremy E. Potts.



November 15, 2024 at 10:40 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Jeremy E. Potts.



November 15, 2024 at 10:33 PM



“ *The Jamison's and the Baker's* purchased the *Emerald Garden Basket* for the family of Jeremy E. Potts.



**The Jamison's and the Baker's** - November 15, 2024 at 07:51 PM



“ *MHS BAND FAMILY* purchased the *Emerald Garden Basket* for the family of Jeremy E. Potts.



**MHS BAND FAMILY** - November 15, 2024 at 02:51 PM



“ *Dave, Shannon, Jade and Gentri Fangmeier* purchased the *Full Of Love Bouquet* for the family of Jeremy E. Potts.



**Dave, Shannon, Jade and Gentri Fangmeier** - November 15, 2024 at 11:59 AM

LF

“ Love, Jeremy's ARTCo Family purchased the Garden Bench - "Gone yet not forgotten..." for the family of Jeremy E. Potts.



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**Love, Jeremy's ARTCo Family** - November 15, 2024 at 10:32 AM

LF

“ Love, Jeremy's ARTCo Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jeremy E. Potts.

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**Love, Jeremy's ARTCo Family** - November 15, 2024 at 10:32 AM

CG

“ Clint & Melinda Grubb purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Jeremy E. Potts.



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**Clint & Melinda Grubb** - November 15, 2024 at 09:03 AM

CG

“ Clint & Melinda Grubb planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jeremy E. Potts.

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**Clint & Melinda Grubb** - November 15, 2024 at 09:03 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jeremy E. Potts.



November 15, 2024 at 08:51 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Jeremy E. Potts.

November 15, 2024 at 08:51 AM



“ Potts family, I'm sorry to hear of Jeremy's passing. My prayers go out to your loved ones.

**Kristopher Knous** - November 14, 2024 at 09:17 PM



Thanks Kris.

**Jason** - November 16, 2024 at 09:58 PM



“ Gary and I send our sympathies on the loss of your brother. He clearly touched the lives of many people. During this difficult time, I pray you find comfort in the love and support of your friends and family, and the cherished memories you hold close bring a smile to your heart.

**Gina** - November 14, 2024 at 05:03 PM

JA

*Thank you Gina and Gary*

Jason - November 16, 2024 at 09:56 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Jeremy E. Potts.*



November 14, 2024 at 04:13 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Jeremy E. Potts.

November 14, 2024 at 04:13 PM

LF

“ *Love, Jeremy's ARTCo Family purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Jeremy E. Potts.*



Love, Jeremy's ARTCo Family - November 14, 2024 at 02:20 PM

LF

“ *Love, Jeremy's ARTCo Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jeremy E. Potts.*

Love, Jeremy's ARTCo Family - November 14, 2024 at 02:20 PM

FF

“ From your JP family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Jeremy E. Potts.



From your JP family - November 14, 2024 at 01:41 PM



“ A grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Jeremy E. Potts.

November 14, 2024 at 12:25 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jeremy E. Potts.



November 14, 2024 at 11:52 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Jeremy E. Potts.

November 14, 2024 at 11:52 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Jeremy E. Potts.*



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November 14, 2024 at 11:36 AM



“ *Mike Robertson purchased the Simply Elegant S pathiphyllum for the family of Jeremy E. Potts.*



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**Mike Robertson** - November 14, 2024 at 10:31 AM



“ *Jim, Linda and family: We are so sorry to learn of Jeremy's passing. You have our deepest sympathy. Brian and Carol Morgan*

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**Carol Morgan** - November 14, 2024 at 09:48 AM



*Thank you so much Brian and Carol.*

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**Jim and Linda Potts** - November 14, 2024 at 07:50 PM



*Thank you so much.*

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**Linda Potts** - November 15, 2024 at 07:23 AM

RW

“ *Jeremy's family, you have my heartfelt condolences. I first meet Jeremy when he when he started with the Artco team. Jeremy was a great guy with an amazing personality but most of all had an infectious smile. So sorry for your loss. God bless. Ron White*

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**Ron White** - November 14, 2024 at 09:09 AM



*Linda and Jim, Brian and I are so very sorry. God bless your family. Brian and Debbie Schrowang*

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**Deborah Price-Schrowang** - November 14, 2024 at 06:22 PM

JP

*Thank you very much!*

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**Jim and Linda Potts** - November 14, 2024 at 07:49 PM

BE

“ *Hi, I am so sorry for your loss. He went through a lot and was very brave. He was too young.*

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**Becky** - November 14, 2024 at 08:46 AM

LP

*Thank you so much.*

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**Linda Potts** - November 15, 2024 at 07:24 AM

KW

“ *So very sorry to hear this I send love prayers and hugs to you all*

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**Kim walker** - November 14, 2024 at 07:53 AM

LP

*Thank you very much.*

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**Linda Potts** - November 15, 2024 at 07:24 AM

EL

“ *Rodrigo, Lili and I (Erica) wanted to send our sincerest condolences on the passing of Jeremy. It's heartwarming to know how much he was loved and cared for. May time heal the grief and memories ease the soul.*



Erica Lopez - November 14, 2024 at 07:21 AM

JA

*Thank you Erica, Lili and Erica!*

Jason - November 14, 2024 at 02:57 PM

HB

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. My husband worked with Jeremy when he was a senior. They became friends and talked whenever they saw each other. My husband respected Jeremy and always talked about his work ethic. This is quite a loss.*

Helen berkshire - November 13, 2024 at 11:43 PM

JP

*Thank you so much!*

Jim and Linda Potts - November 14, 2024 at 07:47 PM

LP

*Thank you so much.*

Linda Potts - November 15, 2024 at 07:25 AM

KA

“ *So sorry to hear of your loss, sending prayers.*

Karen M Aiken - November 13, 2024 at 09:56 PM

JP

*Karen, thank you so much.*

**Jim and Linda Potts** - November 14, 2024 at 07:47 PM

LP

*Karen, thank you so much.*

**Linda Potts** - November 15, 2024 at 07:26 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Jeremy E. Potts.*



November 13, 2024 at 09:41 PM

JG

“ *Jim, Linda and family. We are so very sorry to hear of Jeremy's passing. Our hearts go out to all of you. We are holding you all close in prayer.*

**Joanne Gaston** - November 13, 2024 at 06:17 PM

JP

*Thank you very much!*

**Jim and Linda Potts** - November 14, 2024 at 07:46 PM

LP

*Thank you very much.*

**Linda Potts** - November 15, 2024 at 07:27 AM