



Charles Emelio Cobillas

October 22, 1936 - May 15, 2026

Charles Emelio Cobillas, 89, of Ellisville, Missouri, passed away on Friday, May 15, 2026, at Mercy Hospital in St. Louis, Missouri. He was born on October 22, 1936, in St. Louis, Missouri and was the son of the late Bernard and Lillian Flossie (Houchin) Cobillas.

Charles graduated from a St. Louis High School. He worked hard as an Agent with Farmers Insurance for many years. Charles was known for finding some of the best antiques. He owned and operated an antique business and worked at estate sales. Charles had a great love and pride for his family. He was an avid fisherman and enjoyed the times his children and grandchildren would go fishing with him. Charles liked traveling and meeting new people. He never met a stranger. Charles had a great sense of humor and was the life of any party. His laughter would light up the room.

Charles is survived by his one son and one daughter: Charles Emelio Cobillas, Jr. (Donna) and Doreen Adela Meador (Jeffrey); grandchildren: Ashli Cobillas Spencer (Matt), Ryan Meador (Flori), Jason Meador (Mary) and Ellyn Meador Williams (Dustin); great-grandchildren: Faith, Angelica, Jeffrey, Samuel, Adelaide, Emmelynn, Johnston, Lydia, Julia, Phoebe and Abel; nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, Bernard and Lillian Cobillas, siblings: Dorothy Dietz, Bernard Cobillas, Steven Cobillas, Victor Cobillas, Tonia Nunn, Joe Cobillas, Tim

Cobillas and John David Cobillas and one grandson, Charles Emelio Cobillas III.

Services are pending with KEMPER-KEIM Family Funeral Chapel located 351 Monroe Street Troy, MO 63379. Interment will be held at a later date at the Calvary Cemetery and Mausoleum in St. Louis, MO. In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made to The Family of Charles Emelio Cobillas in care of Kemper-Keim Family Funeral P.O. Box 222 Troy, MO 63379.

Arrangements are under the direction of Kemper-Keim Family Funeral Chapel; 351 Monroe Street Troy, MO 63379. Online condolences may be made at www.kemperkeimfamilyfuneralchapel.com Phone 636-528-8221