



Ronald "Ronnie" Howard

March 26, 1948 - July 26, 2012

Ronald "Ronnie" Howard, age 64, of Oliver Springs passed away Thursday, July 26, 2012, at his home. He was a teacher for over 30 years, loved animals and enjoyed reading and hiking. He was a loving son, husband, father, and poppy. Preceded in death by his father, Herman Howard and grandparents, Herman H. & Stella B. Howard, Bert Barnwell & Nellie Barnwell.

Survivors:

Wife: Cathy Howard of Oliver Springs

Daughter: Winter Larkin (Micah) of Mount Carmel, TN

Granddaughter: Ava Reese Larkin

Mother: Nell Kate Howard

Sister Debbie Ramsey (Terry) of Crossville

Funeral services will be held at Kyker Funeral Home in Harriman on Saturday, July 28, 2012, 7 p.m., with Rev. Mason Goodman and Rev. Richard Jones officiating. The family will receive friends from 5 – 7 p.m. on Saturday. Interment in Willard Park Cemetery, Sunday, July 29. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to The Roane County Animal Shelter.

Tribute Wall

DK

“ I graduated with Ronnie in 1966 - we were good buddies and had lots of fun times roaming Harriman and Walden's Ridge. He was a genuinely great guy and I was shocked and saddened to learn of his death. My thoughts and prayers are sent your way in this time of mourning.

Dan Moody

Dan Moody - Glasgow, KY - August 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ So sorry for your loss

David & Bernice Hennessee - Wartburg, TN - friend - July 31, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Mrs Howard and Family,

I am sorry to hear of his passing. If it wasn't for Mr. Howard and his great teachings I would not be where I am at today. Thank you for everything and my prayers and thoughts are with you.

Sincerely

Kyle

Kyle Daniels - Santa Clara, CA - student, Class of 1987 - July 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Mrs. Howard and Winter,
I am greatly saddened to hear of your loss. I will keep you and your family in my prayers! He was a great teacher and friend to many! I not only remember the days with him in school but also at your home. He will always be remembered through every heart he touched and every student he taught!

Jada Jewett Carter - Oliver Springs, TN - friend of family - July 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM

ST

“ Cathy and Winter,
I was very saddened to hear of Ronnie's passing. I am sorry I was not able to come to the funeral home as I didn't hear about it until late Saturday. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.
Steve Todd

Steve Todd - Nashville, TN - July 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ I am saddened to hear of Mr. Howard's passing. He was one of the best teachers and one of my most favorite throughout my time in school. I remember we started a Chess Club at HHS in the early 90's and Mr. Howard sponsored it. He was very competitive and was always steaming when he lost. I'll never forget that. RIP Mr. Howard

Chris Wilson Class of '93 - Harriman, TN - Student - July 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM

FF

“ We extend our deepest sympathy to the family. Winter please call me when you return home.
Leota Bennett

Frank and Leota Mac Trapp Bennett - Mount Carmel, TN - friend - July 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ so very sorry to hear of your passing. but i am happy that you went peaceful and now your at the rainbow bridge gathering all your friends to go on.. he in good hand aunt nell... love sandie and family

sandie melton jewett - hobart, , IN - 2nd cousin - July 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BT

“ So sorry to hear of Mr. Howard's passing. He was one of my most memorable teachers. Praying for peace and comfort for your family.

Britta McPherson Snow - Harriman, TN - July 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM