



Ronnie Berl McClain

July 31, 1946 - April 20, 2020

Ronnie Berl McClain, age 73, born to Elder and Mable McClain, in Kennett, Mo. A current resident of Monroe County, TN for the past decade. He is survived by his four children: Ronald Sean McClain, Ryan Edsel McClain, Veronica Shane McClain, and Joseph Ian McClain. His brothers: Bobby McClain, Daniel McClain, Gary McClain. Sisters: Ruth Meeks, and Betty Preston. Preceded in death by his sister: Bonnie Freed, brother: Earl Dewayne McClain. Ronnie was married once to his high school sweetheart. Judith Marleen McDonald, they were married for 17 years. He joined the U.S. Air Force at the age of 17 to serve his country and served from August 1963, until July 1965. In his years following his honorable discharge from the United States Air Force, he became a music promoter out of Nashville, TN, working with stars from the Grand Old Opry House, with the likes of stars from his time such as Johnny Paycheck, Little Richard, Merle Haggard, Sam Cook, and Mickey Gilley. He also was a publisher of Blue Line Magazine where he lined up music talents with the Blue Line Buses and kept the Ozarks tapping their feet with their Blues and County style beats. Ronnie was most proud of his family which besides his beautiful brothers and sisters and children. He is also survived by 13, grandchildren, and 15 great-grandchildren. He loved to paint homes in the down time of his music promoting career as well as odd jobs. He himself loved going to Karaoke with his children singing songs that he had a hand in helping promote. He was a great friend to his friends and made effort daily to put a smile of folks faces. WE LOVE YOU!!!! The family will receive

friends on Friday, April 24, 2020 at Kyker Funeral Homes, Sweetwater, from 5:00 P.M. until 7:00 P.M. due to the stringent guidelines for social gatherings due to COVID-19 a maximum of 10 people at a time will be allowed in the funeral home. A celebration of Ronnie's life will be conducted at a later date when the COVID-19 mandates are lifted. Kyker Funeral Homes, Sweetwater, in charge of arrangements. www.kykerfueralhomes.com

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **24**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Ronnie Berl McClain.* ”



April 24, 2020 at 02:13 PM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Ronnie Berl McClain.* ”



April 23, 2020 at 09:03 PM



“ *David and Sharon purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Ronnie Berl McClain.* ”



David and Sharon - April 23, 2020 at 06:38 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Ronnie Berl McClain.* ”



April 23, 2020 at 06:13 PM

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“ *Ronda C Stolt lit a candle in memory of Ronnie Berl McClain*



Ronda C Stolt - April 23, 2020 at 04:50 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Ronnie Berl McClain.*



April 23, 2020 at 01:27 PM