



Roy Lee Harmon

March 6, 1948 - July 30, 2022

Roy Lee Harmon, 74, of Sweetwater, TN went to be with the Lord on Saturday July 30, 2022. Roy was born on March 6, 1948, to the late Gooley and Laura Harmon. In 1972 he married the love of his life Doneta Jo Jones; they were married for 45 years until her passing in 2018. Those who knew him knew that he had a strong love for his Christian faith. Roy worked as a wood worker for 15 years at Athens Furniture. When he wasn't working, he loved to watch NASCAR.

He is preceded in death by his loving wife, Doneta; his parents, Gooley and Laura Harmon; 3 brothers, Easley Harmon, Ray Harmon, William Harmon; and 1 sister, Marie Strickland.

Roy leaves to cherish his memory his 3 daughters, Shanan Lettieri (Norman), April Lynn (Joseph), and Laura Wilkerson (Jason); grandchildren, Dakota Lettieri, Joseph Lettieri Shelby Elmore, Brodi Lynn, Jaylen Wilkerson; great grandchildren: Ava Lettieri, Adalynn Lettieri; sisters, Gearldine Moses and Imogene Ledford; brother, Boyd Harmon (Ruth); several nieces and nephews; and a host of other family members and friends.

The family will receive friends on Friday August 5, 2022, from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. On Saturday August 6, 2022, at 1 p.m. a funeral service will be held in Kyker Funeral Homes, Sweetwater Chapel with by Pastor Kurt Presley officiating will be held, immediately following will be the internment at Forkners Chapel Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Forkners Chapel Cemetery

551 Forkner Chapel Road
Sweetwater , TN 37874

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 5. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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AUG 6. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Graveside Service

AUG 6 (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Kyker Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Roy Lee Harmon*



Kyker Funeral Home - August 04, 2022 at 12:41 PM



“ *52 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Kyker Funeral Home - August 04, 2022 at 12:36 PM

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“ There were so many good memories it’s hard to only pick out a few. He was the hardest working man I ever knew. He taught me the value of work ethic and always making sure I knew I needed to “get there 15 mins early”. He never missed a day of work no matter what was going on he always wanted to provide for his family. But one day he called in because I was competing in the county spelling bee. I felt like that was a big deal..big enough that he missed a day of work to come watch me. He taught me how to drive a stick shift. Told me that was the only way I was going to get to drive. He also taught me how to change oil and change a tire just in case I would need to take care of it myself. He was also my stern voice when I knew I was doing something wrong, the shoulder for me to cry on, and my soft place to land. My Sunday evenings will never be the same without our 2 hour phone calls to just check on me and see how I was doing. I know it will take me a long time to get past the void of knowing I will never be able to have those with him again. You just never realize how precious time with a dad like mine is until you don’t have it anymore. His kids a grandkids were his world. We will all miss your stories especially the moonshine era ones. You will always be in my heart Dad, and there won’t be a day that goes by that I won’t think of you and the dad you were to 3 girls that were a handful! Mostly me, but in my defense, I was only following in your footsteps. 😭 like April said, this isn’t a goodbye, only see you later 🥰 I love you! 💙



Shanan Lettieri - August 02, 2022 at 09:47 PM

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“ This world doesn't feel the same without you in it, I will always have all of our wonderful memories! I know you are rejoicing with our Lord and Savior and the love of your life Mom. I can't thank you enough for making me the person I am. I'm finding peace knowing you're no longer in pain. I will miss you until I get to see you again. I love a miss you Daddy❤️



Laura Wilkerson - August 02, 2022 at 06:12 PM



“ I have so many good memories of Roy , I had him to make me a set of night stands and he made them from real wood and the are heavy, I still use them in my bedroom. He was always whittling on wood and love to make things..I will miss his stories, he was a great story teller.



Barbara Bills - August 02, 2022 at 11:09 AM

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“ It’s hard to put into words the man that he was. If I had to describe him with one word it would be patient. He raised three girls and had a wife that was never afraid to speak her mind. We all tested his patience and he never failed to love us unconditionally. He gave Shanan, Laura and myself an example of what we should look for in a husband and father to our children. He set the bar high. You just don’t come across men like Roy Harmon that often because he was special, he was one of the good ones. Anyone that knew him couldn’t argue with that. He loved his wife, he loved his girls, he really loved his grandchildren and his granddogs. I am extremely blessed to call him dad. I’m so thankful he knew Christ as his Lord and Savior so I don’t have to tell him goodbye, only “See you later”. Love and miss you like crazy dad!
Love, April



April Lynn - August 01, 2022 at 11:12 PM



Oh how I love this picture. He was a great man ❤️

Barbara Bills - August 02, 2022 at 11:02 AM

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“ I wish words could express how great of a papaw he really was, and how much I miss him already. I loved going down to the country store with him, and getting candy then coming back and milling around in the yard while I sat on my swing or pretended I was driving a car on my little tractor. I loved spending time with him, and talking to him about anything and everything. I have so many fond memories as a kid, of just being at their house. It hasn't fully sunk yet, I don't think I just know that I'll carry those memories with me forever. I love you papaw



Alec(Shelby) Elmore - July 31, 2022 at 09:54 PM