



## Edward Ray Dow

August 28, 1946 - August 22, 2020

Edward Ray Dow, 73, of Perryville, Missouri died Saturday, August 22, 2020 at Perry County Memorial Hospital in Perryville, MO.

He was born August 28, 1946 in Perryville, MO to Linus L. and Edna G (Weinrich) Dow. He and Sharon Ann Blechle were married September 14, 1968. She survives in Perryville, MO.

He had co-owned and operated a printing and office and equipment company.

He was a member of Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church, AmVets Post 94, American Legion Post 133, VFW Post 4282, Sportsmans Club, SEMO Seniors Golf Association and was a Navy veteran of Vietnam War.

Survivors include his daughter, Danna Decker of Jasper, IN; sister, Wanda (Art) Hunt of Silver Lake; two grandchildren, Justin and Morgan Decker and one great-grandson, Chip Decker.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Friends may call at Ford and Young Funeral Home on Thursday, August 27 from 3:00 to 8:00 pm and on Friday, August 28 from 6:30 am until time of Celebration of Life at 10:00 am. with Rev. Rich Wehrmeyer officiating. Military

funeral honors provided by US Navy and American Legion following service.

Memorial contributions may be given to family.

Online condolences may be made at [www.fordandyoungfuneralhome.com](http://www.fordandyoungfuneralhome.com).

Ford and Young Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 27. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ford and Young Funeral Home  
110 S. West St.  
Perryville, MO 63775

## Memorial service

AUG 28. 10:00 AM (CT)

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110 S. West St.  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Edward Ray Dow*

October 20, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ *Edward Ray Dow*

October 20, 2023 at 01:44 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Edward Ray Dow.*



August 26, 2020 at 08:24 AM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Edward Ray Dow.*



August 25, 2020 at 03:10 PM

LH

“ Sharon and Danna,  
We were so sorry to hear of Ed's passing. We had lots of laughs  
and good memories over the years. Please know that you and your  
family will be in our thoughts and prayers. Love, Tom and Laura  
Hinkebein

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**Laura Hinkebein** - August 25, 2020 at 02:16 PM

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Sharon, John and I were so sorry for your loss. I know you will miss  
him greatly. I never saw Ed without a smile! You are in our prayers.  
John and Cindy Schmoll

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**Cindy Schmoll** - August 26, 2020 at 05:31 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the  
family of Edward Ray Dow.



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August 25, 2020 at 12:37 PM