



Ronald Ray

November 1, 1960 - October 17, 2024

Ronald E. "Ron" Ray, 63, of Perryville, Missouri passed away Thursday, October 17, 2024, at Mercy South Hospital.

He was born November 1, 1960, in St. Louis, MO, to Robert and Francine (Hurst) Ray.

Ron was a salesman at Guyot Lumber & Hardware. He was a member of St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church. His family always came first, he enjoyed driving a school bus and being around children. In his earlier years he enjoyed camping and listening to baseball games. He liked classic cars and trucks and he loved all animals especially his cats.

Survivors include son, Wesley Ray, step daughter, Michael-Ann Kellerman; brother, John (Sheila) Ray; sister, Cheryl (Ken) Ray-Layton; granddaughter, Victoria Ray; niece, Katlyn (Garrett) Flentge; nephews, Adam (Amanda) Sippel; Justin (Elizabeth) Ray and Matthew (Ashley Niccum) Sippel; two great nieces and one great nephew.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents.

Visitation will be from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm on Thursday, October 24, 2024, at Ford & Young Funeral Home in Perryville.

Memorial Service will be at 7:00 pm Thursday, October 24, 2024, at Ford & Young Funeral Home in Perryville with Deacon Derek Hunt officiating.

Burial will be at a later date.

Memorial contributions may be given to Family Use.

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandyoungfuneralhome.com.

Ford & Young Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **24.** 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Memorial service

OCT **24.** 7:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

MR

“ Sending true sympathy and prayers to the family of Ron Ray.

He was appreciated and he will be missed!

May God comfort those who Ron left behind.

Sincerely, Mark Renaud

Mark Renaud - October 24, 2024 at 12:05 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ronald Ray.



October 22, 2024 at 10:26 PM

JR

“ JoAnn & Harry, Steve & Rachel planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ronald Ray.

JoAnn & Harry, Steve & Rachel - October 22, 2024 at 10:26 PM

JH

“ JoAnn & Harry purchased the Garden Accent Stone - "Wherever a Beautiful Soul..." for the family of Ronald Ray.



JoAnn & Harry - October 22, 2024 at 10:23 PM

JH

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JoAnn & Harry - October 22, 2024 at 10:23 PM

VL

“ Sending condolences and prayers to your family.



Victoria Lohmann - October 22, 2024 at 02:45 PM

JG

“ IT WAS A SHOCK TO HEAR THAT RON PASSED AWAY. WHAT A WONDERFUL MAN. IT WAS A PLEASURE TO WORK BESIDE HIM, HE WAS ALWAYS PLEASANT AND VERY CARING OF THE CUSTOMERS HE WAITED ON. I KNOW HE MADE LOTS OF FRIENDS ON HIS TRIPS TO ST. LOUIS FOR US. HE REALLY CARED FOR HIS CARS AND WAS GREAT TO SWAP STORIES ABOUT CARS, HIS SHOP, AND ETC. THE WORLD IS A BETTER PLACE BECAUSE OF RON. GOD BLESS YOU RON...

JIM GUYOT - October 22, 2024 at 02:29 PM

CN

“ We extend our sincere sympathy to all the family. Ron was a great man. He was working at Guyot's when Larry and Michael worked there while in high school. Be assured of our prayers for you.

Clarence and Thelma Nations - October 22, 2024 at 09:35 AM

JW

“ *May care and love of those around you provide comfort and peace.*

Janal Whistler - October 22, 2024 at 09:10 AM

BR

“ *It is hard to lose my best friend. I will always keep all our memories close in my heart. Thank you for being a wonderful father to our children. Thank you for all the great times you gave me. You'll always be in my heart! Love you to the moon and back!*

Becky Ray - October 21, 2024 at 01:23 PM