



Ronald "Ron" Gene Ross

October 8, 1955 - July 12, 2021

Ronald "Ron G. Ross, 65, of Monrovia, passed from this life on Monday, July 12, 2021, with his loving family by his side while in the care of IU West Hospital. He was born in Indianapolis on October 8, 1955, to the late James "Rice" and Elsie Mae (Wallace) Ross.

A proud 1973 graduate from John Marshall High School, Ron discovered his innate ability to understand the complexities of all machinery, and the talent to repair anything mechanical. A thoroughly strong and independent man, he opened and managed his own small engine repair shop for a brief period. With high aspirations and a love of people, he went to work for the Indiana State Police, Wonder Bread Hostess Cake for 33 years, before retiring from the Indiana Law Enforcement Academy in 2015.

In 1987, Ron purchased the property adjacent to his parent's house and built his forever home, where he would raise two beautiful children. Hilarious by nature, and at times a bit of a goofball, he appreciated life through humor. A deep lover of all animals, big and small, he was a genuinely loving, generous, and kind soul who loved his family deeply.

Ron leaves behind his children Travis Ross (Charissa) of Monrovia and Kelly Ross-Foley (Joe) of Cumberland; siblings Mike Ross of West Lafayette, Teresa Edwards (Bill) of Martinsville, and James Ross (Freida) of CO; beloved

grandchildren Payton, Parker, Joey, Ethan, Trevor, Charlie and Gretchen; along with several nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be held from 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m., on Monday, July 19, 2021, at Light Memorial & Funeral Chapel, with a Celebration of Life Service beginning promptly at 2:05 p.m. Burial will follow in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery, Hall. In lieu of flowers, Memorial Contributions may be made to help the family offset unexpected funeral expenses c/o Light Memorial & Funeral Chapel, 585 E. Main Street, Monrovia IN 46157. Envelopes will be available at the funeral home or online via PayPal in memory of Ron at <http://paypal.me/LightMemorial>. To share a favorite story, send an online condolence to the family, or light a candle in his memory search Facebook for Light Memorial & Funeral Chapel @MonroviaFuneralHome or visit his tribute page at www.lightmemorial.com.

Cemetery Details

Mt Pleasant Cemetery, Hall

5409 W. Hurt Road
Monrovia, IN 46157

Previous Events

Friends & Family Gathering

JUL 19. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ 119 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Light Memorial & Funeral Chapel - July 19, 2021 at 09:31 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Ronald "Ron" Gene Ross.*



July 17, 2021 at 01:19 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Ronald "Ron" Gene Ross.*



July 16, 2021 at 07:05 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Ronald "Ron" Gene Ross.



July 16, 2021 at 06:43 PM



“ *Reese and Uncle Bill* purchased the *Sweet Solace Spray* for the family of Ronald "Ron" Gene Ross.



Reese and Uncle Bill - July 16, 2021 at 11:28 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Ronald "Ron" Gene Ross.



July 15, 2021 at 04:25 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Ronald "Ron" Gene Ross.



July 14, 2021 at 03:29 PM

LG

“ We all grew up together I was in Ronnie's Classes at School #68.. My Thoughts and Prayers go out to the Family. You will be missed. Fly Hi with the Angels.



Linda Powell Garrett - July 14, 2021 at 01:55 PM

EF

“ Ron has been our neighbor for many years and a great friend. we will miss him and pray for his family. Becky and Ed Felix

Ed and Becky Felix - July 14, 2021 at 12:35 PM

JF

“ JCI Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Ronald "Ron" Gene Ross.



JCI Family - July 14, 2021 at 07:49 AM



“ Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Ronald "Ron" Gene Ross.



July 13, 2021 at 10:36 PM

ST

“ I will never forget all the good times we had together especially all the laughs and family things with Travis and Kelly! We are going to miss you more than you will ever know.



Stacy - July 13, 2021 at 09:48 PM

BC

“ Sending my Deepest sympathy and condolences to the family and lot's of prayers to his family. 🙏🦋



Barbara Cross - July 13, 2021 at 09:17 PM

Bob Powell

“ Bob Powell lit a candle in memory of Ronald "Ron" Gene Ross



Bob Powell - July 13, 2021 at 08:38 PM