



Ronall W. Pratt

October 14, 1936 - December 5, 2020

Ronall W. Pratt, age 84, of Edwardsville, Illinois, passed away on Saturday, December 5, 2020, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville, Illinois. He was born October 14, 1936, in Palmyra, Illinois, the son of the late Woodrow & Dorothy (Fetter) Pratt. At the age of 84 Ronall was still working at Granite City Steel as a heavy machine operator and has been for over 50 years. He was referred to as the legend by his co-workers. He married his wife of 53 years, Barbara J. Harrison on January 27, 1956, in Edwardsville. Barbara preceded him in death on January 27, 2009. He is survived by four sons, Steven Pratt & wife Johanna of Hettick, Illinois, Kevin Pratt of Staunton, Illinois, Michael Pratt of Palmyra, Timothy Pratt & wife Deb of Carlyle; two daughters, Kathleen Sammons & husband Bill of Morriston, Florida, Karen Wisdom & husband Monte of Palmyra; sixteen grandchildren; twenty nine great grandchildren; & four great great grandchildren. Ronall was also preceded in death by his son Rick Pratt; two daughters-in-law, Terri Pratt, Judy Pratt; two brothers; & two sister.

He was cremated according to his wishes, and there will be no visitation or services. The family request memorials to the American Heart Association in care of Weber & Rodney Funeral Home in Edwardsville.

Comments



“ Uncle Ronall was my dads older brother and was always something of a towering figure in my young experiences. Stories from my dads youth were always about his adventures with his older brother and sometimes younger sister Vickie. Hunting and hiking around together always finding some kind of trouble that grandma would threaten to tell grandpa about. I like to think that Ronall and Donald are tramping around the timber together again looking for another adventure.

Donald Pratt - December 11, 2020 at 01:23 PM



“ I only knew Ronnie as a cousin older than I, but I sure do remember how handsome he was.

Judy Mikusch - December 07, 2020 at 07:28 PM



“ This stubborn, hard working man let me call him, “Dad.” He will be missed. I am sending love and peace to the family. You are all in my heart.

Angie Zgonina - December 07, 2020 at 03:28 PM



“ I am sorry for the family with the loss of your Dad. I know he loved all his kids, Grandkids and Great ones. The only good thing that can come from this is he is with his love again Barb. Our sympathy the Harold Stouffe family.

Tonda S Stouffe - December 06, 2020 at 08:21 PM



“ All of us going fishing, coming home and leaving all of the fish for Ronnie to clean while we were sleeping. But he never complained at all.

Jeff Jestes - December 06, 2020 at 07:37 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your dad who I knew as my cousin, Ronnie. He had some wonderful loving, kind and helpful parents in Uncle Woodrow and Aunt Dorothy. What a legacy he leaves behind as he worked so hard for his family. I saw him last at the Pratt reunion in August of 2019. He was a great role model and loved his family. My love and prayers are with all of you, Steven, Kevin, Michael, Timothy, Kathleen, Karen and all of the grand and greats. May you all feel God's love and comforting hand.

Ida Mae Quarton Leach

Carlinville, IL

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