



Ronald Dale Parker

April 3, 1948 - January 1, 2018

It is with great sadness that the family of Ronnie Parker of Laurel announces his passing on January 1, 2018, at South Central Regional Medical Center.

He is survived by brother, Gary Parker, of Laurel; sister and brother-in-law, Gail and Phillip Shaw of Laurel; nephews, Niel Parker of Jackson and Michael Shaw and wife, Christy of Vancleave; niece, Melissa Shaw-Stacy and husband, Kendall of Howe, OK; five great nieces, one great nephew; and one great great niece.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Mary Brogan Parker and Odell Parker; nephew Phillip Scott Shaw; and great niece, Madeline Grace Stacy.

Ronnie was affectionately known as the “Lawn Mower Man” because of his love for his riding mower and it being his main topic of discussion with visitors. He wanted to make sure everyone had a mower and if not, he was “going to buy ‘em one”. Ronnie was a gentle natured soul with the faith of a child. He still believed in Santa Claus and Christmas morning was the highlight of his year.

He was the center of the family and will be greatly missed.

Services will be held at Memory Chapel of Laurel on Thursday, January 4th at

11 a.m. Visitation will be from 9 a.m. until service time. Bro. Ken Harrison will officiate.

Pallbearers will be Doug Bradford, Jackie Brogan, Eddie Blackledge, Kendall Stacy, Jimmy Taylor, Ryan Walters, Justin Walters, and Brock Stacy. Honorary pallbearer will be Joe Hunt.

To sign the online guest book, visit www.memorychapellaurel.com.

Cemetery Details

Memorial Gardens Cemetery

2151 US-184
Laurel, MS 39443

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 4. 9:00 AM (CT)

Memory Chapel Funeral Home
3100 Audubon Drive
P. O. Box 674
Laurel, MS 39440
(601) 428-5235
memorychapel@comcast.net
<https://www.memorychapellaurel.com/>

Service

JAN 4. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Gail and Gary and family, I will never forget Ronnie living next door to us. We always loved Ronnie, and Ronnie loved Mr. Shorty. I am sorry I have just recently learned of passing. I would have attended visitation. You all took such great care of Ronnie. I am sad to hear of his passing.
Debbie Bankston Haas



Debbie Bankston Haas - January 06, 2018 at 08:25 PM

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“ So sorry to hear about the loss of your special brother. We will be praying for your family. Rhett and Alice Reid

Alice Reid - January 04, 2018 at 03:33 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ronald Dale Parker.



January 03, 2018 at 06:19 PM