



## Ronald D. Long

November 29, 1946 - October 9, 2013

Ronald D. Long, 66, of Laurel, died Wednesday, October 9, 2013, at Forrest General Hospital in Hattiesburg.

Graveside services will be held at 1 p.m. Friday, October 11, 2013, at Antioch Methodist Church Cemetery in Jones County. Rev. Kenny Smith will officiate. Mr. Long was retired from Masonite and was a member of Rose of Sharon Independence Baptist Church. He was also a member of the Myrick Order of Eastern Star where he served several terms as Worthy Patron, and an active member of Laurel Masonic Lodge 414.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Hubert J. and Ida Mae Stokes Long; brother, Quincy Long; and sister, Edie Lee Browning.

Survivors include his wife of 42 years, Diane Dew Long of Laurel; two daughters, Rhonda Long and Deana Smith and husband Roger all of Laurel; two grandchildren, Cory Smith and Zackary Smith; brother, H. J. Long of Ellisville; brother-in-law, Jerome Dew of Laurel; and three sisters, Bobbie Townsend of Laurel; Ora-V Long of Biloxi; and Jackie Bush of Canton, Ohio. Visitation will be held from 10 a.m. until the time of service on Friday, October 11, 2013, at Memory Chapel which is in charge of the arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Diane,  
My Thoughts and Prayers are with You and Your Family in Your Loss...May You feel God's Peace and Comfort in these sad hours...  
"God is your very present Help."  
Remembering You, My Friend!!

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**Charles Hudson** - October 14, 2013 at 09:12 PM

TJ

“ So sorry for your loss, we were unable to come to funeral home.  
Your family has been in our thoughts and prayers as you go thru the difficult days.

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**Tony and Kimberly Johnson** - October 12, 2013 at 08:17 AM

LJ

“ My brother I shall always remember the many miles we rode together going to Lodges, I shall always remember the help you gave me during my mothers illness and the miles you drove and the help you gave me because I could not drive. Ronnie your brothers are waiting for you and you are probably sitting there talking to our old friend Clyde Howard , enjoy your just reward my dear friend you have receive that white stone with a new name written, I miss you.

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**Larry Jones** - October 11, 2013 at 02:52 PM

AL

“ I'm so sorry to hear about Uncle Ronny. He was always so funny and cheerful whenever we visited him. At least, I know that my Dad and Aunt Eddie Lee now have some good company in heaven and someone else to share jokes with.

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**Andy Long** - October 11, 2013 at 01:29 PM

JR

“ *Mrs. Diane, Me & Mama were saddened to hear about Ronnie. Mama has reminisced about the hosiery mill days and how funny Ronnie was. You all will be in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Jeannie & Linda Reeves** - October 10, 2013 at 01:04 PM