



## Ronald Jernigan

November 7, 2012

Ronald David Jernigan, 58, of Hot Springs passed away Wednesday November 7, 2012. He was born September 26, 1954 in Marianna, Arkansas. Ron graduated from Paragould High School in 1972 then graduated Arkansas State University with a degree in computer programming and worked for Systematics/Alltel in Little Rock; was a devoted Methodist church member; his hobbies included bowling, golf, blackjack, and bridge. He was predeceased by his wife, Kathy Jernigan, one daughter, Ronda Jernigan James, his father, Ray Jernigan and one brother, Russell Jernigan.

Survivors include his mother, Monica Mitchell of Hot Springs; one sister, Rita Jernigan and wife Pam of Little Rock; one brother, Randell Jernigan and wife Robin of Jonesboro; one daughter, Angela Thomas and husband Michael of Plumerville; grandsons, Blake and Daeron James; son-in-law, Jeff James of Plumerville; step sisters, Kerry Jewison of Madison, Wisconsin, Jocelyn Noel of Paragould and Michele French of North Little Rock; step brother, Eddie Jernigan of Paragould; and his best friend, Chuck Dudley of Hot Springs.

Burial will be at a later date in Marianna, Arkansas.

Cards may be sent to family members at 115 Forest Heights Trail Hot Springs 71901

Memorials may be made to Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research.

The family would like to express thanks to Hospice Home Care and to the staffs of Pines and Garland Nursing facilities for their kindness and

compassion and endless supply of Dr. Peppers.

# Tribute Wall

DE

“ *Monica and Rita - my thoughts and prayers are with both of you. Ron was an awesom guy and I have so many great memories of the times we spent together. Take care.*

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**Debbie** - November 28, 2012 at 07:23 PM

JE

“ *Monica, so sorry for your loss. My prayers are with you and your family. Joyce(Joan's sister)*

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**Joyce Elrod** - November 11, 2012 at 03:16 PM

BC

“ *Monica, Bob and I are so sorry for the loss of your son. We know how much you cared and loved him. Thinking and praying for you. Bob and JoanX9pZ*

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**Bob and Joan Case** - November 11, 2012 at 03:02 PM

DW

“ *At times like this, our hearts are saddened because of our loss, however, our memories tend to make us think of Ron and how much joy he was to be around. He loved going to Red Lobster to have lunch with his Mom, sister and us...we will never forget those times we shared and the Shrimp Scampi eating contests! He lit an eternal flame of friendship in our lives and we look forward to renewing our good times again with Ron in Heaven. "You're still the shrimp eating champ Ron and have received the ultimate honor of victory now!!" Monica, Rita and Pam..."Ron knew you loved him very much, as did everyone else...and he's waiting for you just down the road and up the hill!" God bless you all at this time and know that we love you. ...D & G*

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**Dan Scott & Gene Walker** - November 09, 2012 at 07:06 PM

JM

“ I offer my condolence to Ron's family and friends.He was a remarkable person. My prayers are with you at this time. May God's grace be with you.

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**Jim Mayes** - November 09, 2012 at 02:16 PM

WJ

“ My condelences to the family -Ron was more than a good husband to my sister Kathy - he was a friend and to us all. We have very good memories of him, Kathy, Rhonda, and Angela spending vacations with us in East TN. Prayers are with the family for their great loss.

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**Walter Johnson** - November 09, 2012 at 09:34 AM

MR

“ Please know many people grieve with and for you. I pray God's peace & comfort upon you as Ron is now at peace.

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**Michael Roby** - November 08, 2012 at 02:43 PM

MD

“ Mt prayers go out to you and Rita May the Lord lay His hand of comfort on you at this time My love goes with you

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**martha davis** - November 08, 2012 at 02:30 PM

CD

“ Our hearts and prayers go to the Jernigan family My god be with you. Chuck and Ron were very good friends

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**C R & Jacqueline Dudley** - November 08, 2012 at 08:12 AM