



Jack R. Rudd

December 12, 1949 - August 30, 2014

Jack R. Rudd, 64, rural Rochester, passed away 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 30, 2014, at his residence after being in failing health since last October

He was born on Dec. 12., 1949, in Salyersville, Ky., the son of Hurndon and Finettie (Craft) Rudd. In June 1972, he married Monica "Susie" (Barnett) Rudd. She preceded in death in 1983. He then married Vickie (Voorhees) Rudd, who survives.

Jack went to Akron High School. Jack served his country in the U.S. Army in Vietnam. He was a heavy equipment operator Gradex, Inc.

He was a member of the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Eagles Lodge, all of Rochester. He enjoyed watching NASCAR, his favorite driver was Ricky Rudd and most recently Dale Jr. If he was watching TV, it was a western and his favorite actors were John Wayne and Clint Eastwood. He also liked camping and fishing.

Survivors include his wife, Vickie Rudd, Rochester; daughter Tesha and husband Russell Pettit, Middlebury; two sons, Ryan and wife Melissa Rudd, Odessa, Texas, and Jeremy and wife Kristy Rudd, Bluffton; four stepchildren; 11 grandchildren; 17 stepgrandchildren; three stepgreat-grandchildren; four sisters, Marcella and husband Keith Boyd, Rochester, Karen Clark, Rochester,

Kathy and husband Ron Moore, Rochester, and Debbie and husband Daryl Powell, Rochester; two brothers, David and wife Linda Rudd, Rochester, and Bernard and wife Katie Rudd, Denver; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Hurndon and Finettie Rudd, wife Monica "Susie" Rudd in 1983, sister Daisey, brother Bob Rudd and brother-in-law Russell Clark.

His funeral service is 11 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 4, 2014, at Hartzler Funeral Home, 305 W. Rochester St., Akron, with Rev. Amber Karkosky-Litten officiating. Visitation is Wednesday, Sept. 3, 2014, from 2-6 p.m. at the funeral home. Burial is at Hoover Cemetery, Athens, where military graveside rites will be performed by the Fulton County Honor Guard

Memorial contributions may be made to Riley Children's Hospital.

Share a memory or send an online condolence at www.hartzlerfuneralservice.com.

Cemetery Details

Athens - Hoover Cemetery

State Road 14
Athens, IN 46912

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 3. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Hartzler Funeral Home
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Funeral Service

SEP 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Hartzler Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Jack R. Rudd



Hartzler Funeral Services - September 01, 2014 at 02:55 PM

MM

“ Mike And Vicki Meyer lit a candle in memory of Jack R. Rudd



Mike and Vicki Meyer - September 04, 2014 at 11:31 AM

MM

Karen and Family. So Sorry to hear of the passing of Jack. He was a Great Guy. Thinking of all of you!

Mike and Vicki Meyer - September 04, 2014 at 11:34 AM

RT

“ Raymon& Karen Turner lit a candle in memory of Jack R. Rudd



Raymon& Karen Turner - September 03, 2014 at 02:30 PM

BG

“ *Brian&Janelle Green lit a candle in memory of Jack R. Rudd*



Brian&Janelle Green - September 02, 2014 at 06:56 PM

MA

“ *Sooooo sorry for the Rudd family sometimes life is too short but you will always have fond memories of Jackie, he was a fun loving soul but remember God only takes the good ones....he now has his wings and no pain or suffering.*

Maggie Doran, his friend and yours

Maggie - September 02, 2014 at 01:44 PM



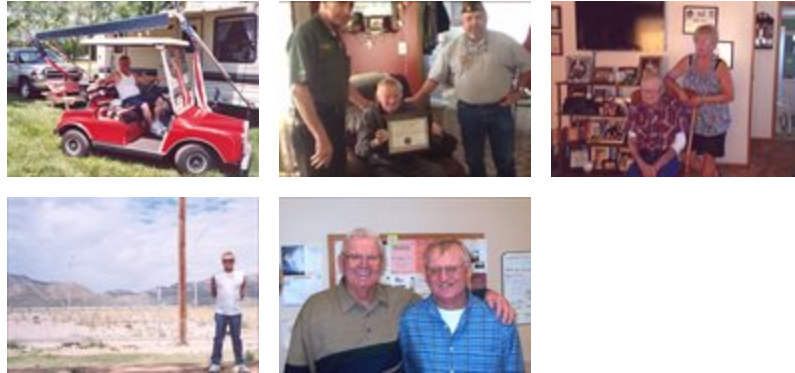
“ *Heartwarming Thoughts Boston Fern was purchased for the family of Jack R. Rudd.*



September 02, 2014 at 01:43 PM



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Hartzler Funeral Services - September 01, 2014 at 01:27 PM

BB

“ Barb Brower lit a candle in memory of Jack R. Rudd



Barb Brower - September 01, 2014 at 08:08 AM

PD

Rest in Peace Jack you will be missed

Pat Doran - September 01, 2014 at 09:59 PM