



## Ronald Lester Jenkins

January 16, 1966 - November 15, 2024

Ronald Lester Jenkins, age 58, of Brookfield, MO; passed away Friday, November 15, 2024, at Boone Hospital Center in Columbia, MO.

Ronald was born the son of Chester and Arvella (Cohon) Jenkins on January 16, 1966, in Brookfield, MO. On July 27, 2002, he married Cindy Menizer in Brookfield, MO. Ronald was a member of Freedom Baptist church and he also would watch the pod cast from Gods Garden Church.

Ronald enjoyed working and signing along with the radio and in church. One of his favorite things to do was resting his eye, that is what he would tell anyone who caught him napping. Ronald loved spending time with his family and grand kids, they were his whole world and he loved them very much.

Ronald is survived by his wife Cindy of the home; five children, Chris Jenkins, Elizabeth "Sissy" Bear, Amber (Devin) Burkhiser, Brandon Jenkins, and Devon Jenkins, ten grandchildren, Kyra Bear, Ronnie Bear, Riley Burkhiser, Parker Burkhiser, Asher Burkhiser, Jolee Jenkins, Piper Jenkins, Sady Jenkins, Ryker Jenkins, and Jasper Jenkins, three sisters, Jeanne (Randy) Ryan, Tina (Robert) Harris, and Charlotte St. Jean; two brother, Tom Jenkins and James (Amber) Jenkins, and several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Arvella Jenkins, father, Bud Quail, his sister and best friend, Grace Martin, sister, Mary Ann Jenkins, and brother-in-law, Ronnie Pickens.

A Celebration of Life will be held at 2:00 pm. Saturday, November 30, 2024, at the Freedom Baptist Church, Brookfield, MO. The family will receive friends

Saturday, November 30, 2024, at 1:00 pm. at the church.

Memorial donations are to the Family, payable to Cindy Jenkins and may be left at or mailed to Rhodes Funeral Home, 216 Linn Street, Brookfield, MO. 64628. Online condolences can be made at [www.rhodesfh.com](http://www.rhodesfh.com)

Arrangements are under the direction of Rhodes Funeral Home, Brookfield, MO.

# Previous Events

## Celebration Of Life Visitation

NOV **30**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Freedom Baptist Church  
26815 Highway 36  
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# Tribute Wall

AB

*“ I've known Ronnie since we were kids and I used to hang out (and skip school) with his sister Grace. Years later, he became a co-worker and friend to my husband Randy, so our kids became friends. So sad to hear of his passing. Rest in Peace Ronnie.*

**Ann Banks** - November 17, 2024 at 12:55 PM

MB

*“ So sorry to hear this. Ronnie was a good neighbor and a very hard worker. He will be missed. Thoughts and prayers for his family.  
Mindy Britton*

**Mindy Britton** - November 16, 2024 at 09:40 PM

PD

*Dear Family sorry I couldn't be there with y'all during this time. Please note that I love y'all with all of my heart. And I love uncle Ronnie. I will always miss him he will always be in my heart.*

**Patricia Jones( Tom's daughter)** - November 16, 2024 at 10:49 PM

AR

*I am so sorry to hear this sad news. Ronnie was very helpful to me. He was one of my brother's friends and he always was around our family. He will be missed.*

**Ardella Roland** - November 17, 2024 at 07:13 AM

CG

*So sorry for Ronnies family, I always liked and respected Ronnie and I know he is rejoicing with his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ*

**Cliff Guilford** - November 17, 2024 at 09:54 AM

ME

*Sorry to all. Prayers for healing.*

**Marcia Howe (Tom's ex-wife)** - November 17, 2024 at 05:21 PM

LW

*I loved Ronnie my youngest nephew very much! So glad is got right with his Lord and Savior before he passed! Now rejoicing in Heaven with Grace and his Grandpa and Grandma and my baby Matthew!! Prayers for all the family for comfort knowing he is in a much better place than this ole world!!*

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**Louise (Cphoon) Weitzel** - November 17, 2024 at 10:09 PM

CG

*My deepest condolences to Jenkins family, Ronnie was a dear friend and will be missed by all who knew him.*

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**Carmen Gates** - November 22, 2024 at 11:05 AM