



Ronald Dewitt Upton

September 6, 1949 - November 19, 2015

Ronald Dewitt Upton, 66, of Anderson, passed away November 19, 2015 at his home after a long battle with cancer. Ron was born on September 6, 1949 in Livingston, Tennessee.

He was retired, having worked as a truck driver, carpenter, roofer, and concrete finisher.

Ron attended Valley Grove Free Will Baptist Church and was a member of Allons Baptist Church in Allons, TN.

He enjoyed fishing, singing, and playing his guitar and steel guitar. While living in Tennessee, he performed with the "Old Country Gospel" Band.

Ronald is survived by his wife Jeanie Upton of Anderson; 2 sons, Toby Upton and Joey (Sandy) Upton both of Anderson; 3 Step-Sons, Russ (Lisa) Petty of Anderson, Daniel Petty of Marquette, MI, and Eric (Melanie) Petty of Sarasota, FL; Sister, Louise Rich of Anderson; 3 Brothers, Donald (Joanna) Upton, Wayne (Rosalinde) Upton both of Anderson, and Jeff Upton of Livingston, TN; 2 Grandchildren, Mason and Mya Upton; 7 Step-Grandchildren; 13 Step-Great-Grandchildren; Step-Great-Great-Grandson; Several Nieces and Nephews.

He was preceded in death by Parents, Delmuss and Maurine (Pennington) Upton; Brother, Mitchell Upton; Brother-in-Law, C.B. Rich; Step-Daughter and Step-Son.

Visitation will be held Monday, November 23, 2015, 4:00 pm - 8:00 pm at Robert D. Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory, Anderson, IN.

Services will be Tuesday, November 24, 2015, 11:30 am at the funeral home with Pastors Joe Roysden and Jerry Buck officiating.

Burial will take place in Anderson Memorial Park, .

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Cemetery Details

Memorial Park Cemetery

6805 Dr. Martin Luther King Blvd.
Anderson, IN 46013

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **23**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory
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Service

NOV **24**. 11:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Loose Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ronald Dewitt Upton



Loose Funeral Home - November 22, 2015 at 11:16 AM

JK

“ Just a short note to let the Upton family know that we are thinking about him. The "woodcutter", as I knew him, was a really great guy to have known. His remarkable dedication and enthusiasm for music and learning pedal steel was exceptional. Always in a great mood and ready for action. Made the whole experience a pleasure and I was glad to be a part of it. He is "up there" now with a lot of friends and "pickers"...in good company for sure. I would like to remember it that way. All the best to you and yours. Rick&Jan Kornacker

Jan Kornacker - November 25, 2015 at 12:52 PM

CW

“ Jeanie, I am so sorry to hear about Ron. I always cared a lot about him. He was a good guy and a great husband. He will be missed by many. Christy



Christy Wood - November 24, 2015 at 09:08 AM



“ 25 files added to the album LifeTributes



Loose Funeral Home - November 22, 2015 at 11:06 AM



“ Oh, we are so happy to know that our dear friend Ronald is in heaven with JESUS. We will never forget all the music sessions with him and all the fellowship we shared with him and sweet Jeanie. When I talked to Jeanie on Tuesday I knew that all is well with her and that she will be so happy to be with Ron again soon. That's real love. He was a giant and we all loved him so very much. GOD is so good. No more pain for our dear Ronald. Look at those beautiful blue eyes. Love & prayers.
Peg & Ed Garrett OOOOO.

Peggy Garrett - November 21, 2015 at 02:26 PM



“ Loved Ron. He was such a great man and I enjoyed being his pastor at Allons Baptist Church for a few years. I enjoyed his harmonica playing.

Larry Thomas - November 20, 2015 at 10:43 PM

CI

“ Uncle Ron was the most kind and gentle man I've ever known. What a comfort to know he is in heaven in the glory of the Lord with my dad, Brent, uncle Mitch, grandma and grandpa oh what a day that will be. My thoughts, prayers and love are with Jeanie, Toby, Joey and all my family and those touched by Ron. - Cindy & Jamie

Cindy - November 20, 2015 at 07:58 PM

MI

“ Ron was so much more than an uncle to Anita and I. We are so blessed to be able to count him and Jeanie as true friends. He will be missed but never forgotten for his one of a kind gentle spirit.

Mike and Anita

Mike - November 20, 2015 at 05:42 PM

MI

“ 1 file added to the album New Album Name



Mike - November 20, 2015 at 05:33 PM

MR

“ 2 files added to the album New Album Name



Mike Rich - November 20, 2015 at 05:29 PM

WB

“ We remember Ronald for his music at the Allons Baptist Church, Allons, TN. Ron was an honest and very friendly personality. He was liked by everyone. We send our condolence to Jeanie and family. Willie & Verdina Bilbrey.



Willie & Verdina Bilbrey - November 20, 2015 at 04:16 PM



“ We loved our dear friend. He will forever live in our hearts.



Peggy Garrett - November 20, 2015 at 02:48 PM