



Ronald "Ron" Powers

July 16, 1951 - July 15, 2015

Ronald E. "Ron" Powers, Sr., 63, of Grand Island died Wednesday, July 15, 2015 with his family at his side.

Celebration of Life Service will be held at 9:00 a.m. Saturday at All Faiths Funeral Home with Daniel Naranjo officiating. Burial of ashes will be at a later date in Westlawn Memorial Park Cemetery.

Ron was born July 16, 1951, in Grand Island to Robert and Anna (Berry) Powers.

Those left to cherish his memory include his wife, LaDonna; children, Ronald E. Powers, Jr. (friend, Rochelle Bunner), Mandy (Terry) Reilly and Brandi Powers, all of Grand Island; brothers, Doug (Phala) Powers of WY, Gary (Virginia) Powers of CO, Bobby (Cathy) Powers of CA and William Powers of CA; sisters, Mary Jane Powers of Bellevue, Beverly (Fletcher) Welch of AK and Katy (Rod) Howard of Cedar Rapids; grandchildren, Taylor Reimers, Tiffany Powers, Hunter Powers and Brayden Powers; step-grandchildren, Harley and Jett Reilly; and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents; sister, Betty Ray and two nieces.

Ron grew up and attended school in Grand Island, graduating from Grand Island Senior High, Class of 1969. He was united in marriage to LaDonna Brandenburg on November 21, 1970, at St. Pauls Lutheran Church in Central City. The couple made Grand Island their home and raised their family there. When he was young, Ron enjoyed his employment with Conoco and Texaco. For several years he was manager for Abel Distributing and also worked for

Sportsman Bar. Most recently, he drove for McCoy Transfer, Inc.

Ron loved the classic Mustangs and owned several over the years. He also enjoyed stock car racing and as a younger man was an owner and mechanic. His family came first and the Powers family cabin was a favorite place to hang out. He loved to tease his grandchildren and was always at their baseball and softball games. Ron was an avid Husker fan and the family would love everyone to wear their Husker attire to his service.

Memorials are suggested to the family to be designated at a later date.

Cemetery Details

Westlawn Memorial Park

Grand Island, NE

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Service

JUL 18. 9:00 AM (CT)

All Faiths Funeral Home
2929 S Locust St
Grand Island, NE 68801
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<https://www.giallfaiths.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Ronald "Ron" Powers*

October 08, 2023 at 11:02 PM



“ *Bob, Cathy, Kristen and David Powers purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Ronald "Ron" Powers.*



Bob, Cathy, Kristen and David Powers - July 17, 2015 at 08:07 PM



“ *My condolences to the family. I was a neighbor that lived north across the alley on Oak Street. I remember Ronnie teaching my brother, Bud, how to swing a baseball bat. Even though Bud is right handed, he always batted left handed thanks to Ronnie.*

Dan Martin

Dan Martin - July 17, 2015 at 04:08 PM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Ronald "Ron" Powers.*



July 17, 2015 at 11:26 AM

GC

“ Grand Island Sporting Club purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Ronald "Ron" Powers.



Grand Island Sporting Club - July 17, 2015 at 08:58 AM

LD

“ LaDonna and family I am sorry for your loss. May God wrap you in His loving arms and help you on this journey. Sending thoughts and prayers for all of you.

Laura Bolling Dallegge

Laura Dallegge - July 17, 2015 at 07:50 AM

JC

“ Jennifer From Westlawn Cemetery sent a virtual gift in memory of Ronald "Ron" Powers



Jennifer from westlawn cemetery - July 16, 2015 at 12:45 PM

BW

“ Beverly Welch lit a candle in memory of Ronald "Ron" Powers



Beverly Welch - July 16, 2015 at 12:42 PM

GF

“ Gary & Virginia Powers & Family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Ronald "Ron" Powers.



Gary & Virginia Powers & Family - July 16, 2015 at 12:03 PM

MA

“ To my baby brother you will be deeply missed by all of your family and relatives and friends. You were the best brother any one could have had. I will miss you so much as you and your family were always so wonderful by taking care of our mom when she was alive to always being so gracious when ever me and my family came to visit. We always had a blast. You had a wonder wife and three fantastic children and also four grand children who are missing you so much but they know you are at Peace now. Love you dearly your big Sis Jane

maryjpowers - July 16, 2015 at 11:00 AM