



Ronald "Ronnie" Clyde Inman

August 7, 1939 - December 11, 2021

Ronald "Ronnie" Clyde Inman was born August 7, 1939 in St. Louis, Missouri to Lawrence Clyde and Norma Louise Inman. He grew up in Salem, Missouri and graduated from Salem High School. After high school, Ronnie enlisted into the Army National Guard and furthered his education. He faithfully served his country until his honorable discharge.

Ronnie was united in marriage to the love of his life, Janet Lee Sullivan, February 10, 1962 at the Salem Christian Church and together shared fifty-nine years of laughter and memories. Ronnie and Janet were blessed with two children: Keith and Kendra, whom he was very proud of. Family was important to Ronnie; he valued the time spent with them and treasured the memories made with his grandchildren.

Ronnie had a strong drive to build a legacy for his family, he was a successful businessman in the oil industry for many years. Ronnie began his career alongside his father at Inman Oil, he later bought the business and ran it for many years before retiring. In his retirement years, Ronnie really enjoyed farming and took great pride in buying, raising, and selling Black Angus Cattle and Tennessee Walking Horses.

Ronnie was an avid golfer, liked being outdoors, and lived life to the fullest. He was a big hunter of quail, pheasant, deer, and turkey. Ronnie was a sports

enthusiast, enjoyed watching and supporting the Salem Tigers, and listening to St. Louis Cardinals Baseball on the radio. He was a solid republican and loved politics.

Ronnie was a man of great faith and lifelong member of Salem Christian Church. He accepted Christ at a young age and followed in baptism. Ronnie faithfully served the Lord and was a past deacon. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge #225 and a 33rd Degree Mason. Ronnie was also a Shriner and took great pride in sponsoring kids.

Ronnie departed this life December 11, 2021 in Rolla, Missouri at the age of eighty-two years. He leaves behind to cherish his memory, loving wife Janet Inman of the home; son: Keith Inman and wife Becky of Salem, MO; daughter: Kendra Schmitt and husband Brandon of Salem, Missouri; grandchildren: Mackenzie and Greyson Schmitt; nephew: Garrick Grogan and wife Selena of Springfield, MO; niece: Christina Hansen and husband Bill of St. Louis, MO; great-nephew and nieces: Gregory, Lauren, and Leigha Grogan; extended family and dear friends.

Preceding him in death, parents: Clyde and Norma Inman; brother: Ray Inman; and sister: Jean Grogan.

Ronnie was a loving husband, father, grandfather and friend. He will be forever missed.

Funeral Services for Ronald "Ronnie" Clyde Inman were held Tuesday, December 14, 2021 in the Wilson Mortuary Salem Chapel with Pastor Tim Hill officiating. Special Music was provided by soloist Claudia Sullivan singing "Amazing Grace" and additional song selections played were "The Old Rugged Cross" and "What A Friend We Have In Jesus". Serving as Pallbearers were Jerry Steelman, Roger Schafer, Lance Hasten, Nick Schmitt,

Steve Sullivan, and Mark Weaver. Honorary Pallbearers were Billy Miller, Ray Lewis, Bob Thompson, Steve Hendricks, and Sonny Johns. Burial was in the Cedar Grove Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Wilson Mortuary of Salem, Missouri.

Memorial Contributions may be made in memory of Ron Inman to the Shriners Hospital for Children and left at Wilson Mortuary.

Condolences may be left at www.wilsonmortuary.com

Cemetery Details

Cedar Grove Cemetery

Salem, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 14. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Wilson Mortuary - Salem
1000 West Scenic Rivers Blvd.
Post Office Box 45
Salem, MO 65560
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

BC

“ Janet, Sincere sympathy to you & your children & grandchildren. Your Ronnie was one of my favorite classmates; such a nice guy! Then, he was blessed to marry one of the sweetest ladies I've ever known. God blessed you two with a wonderful life & I've been fortunate to know both of you!! Prayers for HIS Peace & Comfort to surround you for many years to come!!! Sincerely, Betty (Stephens) Carmack



Betty Carmack - December 15, 2021 at 11:13 PM

CR

“ I just learned of Ronnie's passing this evening. I truly regret not knowing earlier so I could attend his memorial service. When I was 12 years old Ronnie gave me a job at the Waukeeka Village hotel in Salem. He and Jan were incredibly kind to a poor kid who needed the kind of influence in his life that only a Man like Ronnie could deliver. My life has been incredibly blessed and Ronnie Inman was a large part of that blessing. .

I will never forget his looking out for me at that young age.

Chester Reed

Chester Reed - December 14, 2021 at 06:56 PM

KI

Chester, thank you so much for the kind words. We have heard the same from several others. Mom has a picture of your time at Waukeeka Village she would Very much like to get to you! Again thank you for touching our lives! Sincerely, Inman Family

Keith Inman - December 16, 2021 at 06:55 PM

LP

“ Janet , You and the family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Linda Sullivan Parker - December 13, 2021 at 08:59 PM

HT

“ So sorry Janet for the loss of your dear husband. A friend Helen Tighe

Helen Tighe - December 13, 2021 at 05:28 PM

PS

“ Janet,

Deepest sympathy from the Shacklette Family /s/Patricia & Norbert

Pat & Norbert Shacklette - December 13, 2021 at 12:56 PM

BA

“ Barb & Erica Abbett purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Ronald "Ronnie" Clyde Inman.



Barb & Erica Abbett - December 12, 2021 at 10:30 PM

JB

“ Janet, so sorry for your loss. So sad to hear this. Prayers for the family. from Judy and Charlie Butler

Judy Butler - December 12, 2021 at 07:47 PM

BC

“ So sorry to hear of Ronnie’s passing have been friends with the family for years prayers for the family Bobby Camden

Bobby Camden - December 12, 2021 at 07:00 PM

CC

“ Friends and high school friends with Ronnie. Double dated and shared fun times. Our sympathy to the family. RIP friend.

Charlotte and Bill Chitwood

Charlotte (Bennett) and Bill Chitwood - December 12, 2021 at 06:56 PM

RW

“ Most sincere condolences to Janet and family, in the loss of Ronnie.

Ronnie White

RON WHITE - December 12, 2021 at 06:28 PM