



Gerald Ronnebaum

February 28, 1935 - June 26, 2020

Gerald Henry “Jerry” Ronnebaum, 85, Topeka, Kansas, passed away on Friday, June 26, 2020, after suffering a massive stroke. He was born to Joseph and Elizabeth Reinecke Ronnebaum on February 28, 1935, near Baileyville, Kansas.

Jerry married Beverly Homolka on June 4, 1966, in Munden, Kansas; she survives of the home. During their 54 years of marriage, they enjoyed spending time with their many friends and family members going fishing, camping, traveling and playing card games. Jerry retired from Goodyear.

Jerry is also survived by his son, Gregory Ronnebaum; daughter, Karen Turner; grandchildren, Kait, Max and Hank Turner; brother, Donald Ronnebaum; and numerous nieces, nephews and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, siblings, Evelyn, Agatha, Leonard, Virgil, Joseph and Kenneth, and several nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be 9 to 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, July 1, 2020, at Mother Teresa of Calcutta Catholic Church, 2014 NW 46th Street, Topeka KS 66618, where a rosary will be prayed at 9:30 a.m. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. at the Church. Burial will follow in Mount Calvary Cemetery.

Due to COVID-19 restrictions, masks are required, social distance must be kept, and there will be no meal following burial.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Mother Teresa of Calcutta Catholic Church, sent in care of Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614.

Cemetery Details

Mount Calvary Cemetery

801 SW Westchester Rd
Topeka, KS 66606

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 1. 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM (CT)

Mother Teresa of Calcutta Catholic Church
2014 NW 46th Street
Topeka, KS 66618

Rosary

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Tribute Wall



“ *Gerald Ronnebaum*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Dear Bev; We're so sorry to find out the news of Jerry's passing. We had a great time when we visited your place in Topeka and you took us to that Casino. I was just looking for your phone number online to catch up about the Wineinger Reunion when I saw the notification about Jerry. I don't know when we'll get down there again but we're thinking of you and wishing you all the best in this sorrowful time.*

Sincerely,
Carl Francis and Laurie Blashill

Carl Blashill - July 29, 2020 at 09:36 PM



“ *Bev,*
our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Sincerely, Gary and Judy Ackeret

Judy Ackeret - July 05, 2020 at 10:34 PM



“ *I will always remember the camping and fishing trips with Jerry. You will be missed. My condolences to Bev and family.*

Scott Gudenkauf

Scott Gudenkauf - July 01, 2020 at 04:24 PM



“ *Mrs Ronnebaum and family, I'm sorry for your loss of a good man. I enjoyed meeting him after his retirement and during your years at RV and you two lovebirds being out and about in the area. May the good memories, love, laughter, smiles and adventures help during those tough times and you will remember him a smile on your faces.*

May the perpetual light shine upon him.

Carrie Wabaunsee O'Toole

Carrie OToole - June 29, 2020 at 04:08 PM