



Ray Brown

September 11, 1938 - November 13, 2016

Lester Ray Brown, 78, Topeka, passed away Sunday, November 13, 2016, at the House at Midland Care.

Ray was born September 11, 1938, in Galesburg, Michigan, the son of Andrew and Helen Daniels Brown. On July 3, 1986, Ray and Virginia Shults were married in Topeka enjoying more than 30 years together.

Ray did custodial work at McCrite Plaza Health Center, was maintenance supervisor at Manor of Topeka and also was employed by Cardinal Janitorial. He enjoyed fishing, science fiction movies, country music and following grandchildren's sports activities.

Grateful to have shared his life are his wife, Virginia Brown; sons, Earl Brown (Charlene) and Chris Brown; step-children, Marquetta Bayless, Jerry Williams (Cindy), Karen Weekley (Darrell), and Cheryl Barger (Jon); brother, Roy Brown (Jeannie); sister, Betty Cline; eleven grandchildren, 30 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Family will greet friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614.

A graveside service will be at 1 p.m. Friday at Dover Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Midland Care Hospice, sent in care of the funeral home.

Cemetery Details

Dover Cemetery

Dover, KS

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 17. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home
2801 SW Urish Road
Topeka, KS 66614
(785) 272-7888
info@kevinbrennanfamily.com

Graveside Service

NOV 18. 1:00 PM (CT)

Dover Cemetery
Dover, KS

Tribute Wall



“ *Ray Brown*

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Mary Williams - November 17, 2016 at 02:10 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Ray Brown.*



November 17, 2016 at 08:46 AM



“ *Greatest memory with Grandpa Ray was him taking me fishing when I was a kid.*

Robert Hall - November 17, 2016 at 07:54 AM

MB

“ I'll never forget the day you gave me the Serinety prayer necklace, I wear it every day. I'm very grateful for being able to share part of my life with you. ONE DAY AT A TIME.



Marquetta Bayless - November 16, 2016 at 02:48 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ray Brown.



November 16, 2016 at 10:23 AM

CB

“ Sure gonna be missed Pop. You were a great Dad to us and you didnt even have to be. You are so loved.

Cheryl Barger - November 15, 2016 at 08:04 PM

DD

“ Virginia, we will always remember how Ray helped us find our little dachshund, Buddy, several years ago. Buddy had been missing for two days and Jerry was checking a hole in the bank of our pond with no luck until Ray walked up to see what Jerry was doing and Buddy started barking. He was stuck way back in the hole and his barking at Ray enabled them to finally locate him and get him out. We were so happy!

May God comfort you and give you peace. Dorothy and Jerry Dolsky

Dorothy and Jerry Dolsky - November 14, 2016 at 09:49 PM