



Ronald Reese

February 11, 1959 - May 20, 2013

Passed away Tuesday, May 20, 2013 at his home. Ronnie was born February 11, 1959 in South Haven, the son of Duffie Reese and Nancy Slater. He loved playing the guitar, was an avid hunter and fisherman and was proud to have served his country in the US Navy. Surviving is his son Jason of Kalamazoo; 9 siblings, Carrie Phillips of Fennville, Carolyn Southard of Bangor, Cherry Baker of Alabama, Brenda Bailey of Kalamazoo, Geno Reese of Bangor, Mike Reese of Florida, Ginger Wood of Otsego, Jimmy Reese of Washington; many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents. The family will meet friends on May 29th, Wednesday from 3 PM until time of funeral services at 5PM at the BANGOR CHAPEL, D. L. Miller Funeral Home, www.dlmillerfuneralhome.com. Interment will take place at a later date in Ft. Custer National Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Fort Custer National Cemetery

15501 Dickman Road
Augusta, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 29. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Bangor Chapel
258 West Monroe Street
Bangor, MI

Service

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Tribute Wall

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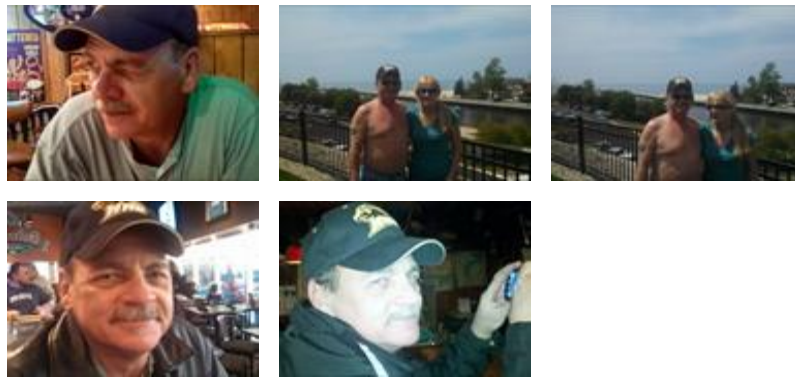
“ jerry and tiffanie slater purchased the America the Beautiful for the family of Ronald Reese.



jerry and tiffanie slater - May 28, 2013 at 11:47 AM

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“ 5 files added to the album New Album Name



Moe Lassiter - May 27, 2013 at 10:50 PM

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Moe Lassiter - May 27, 2013 at 08:39 PM

BL

“ *Ron- Im so sorry you are gone- Im the sick one- you were the strong one-its been 8 months,this hits hard Ron-please rest and I will see you again someday- I dont know what happened-= but keep playing that guitar for me--*

Brenda Lasinski - May 27, 2013 at 06:18 PM

MM

“ We only knew Ron For a few years, we knew him as a very loving & caring person, And I knew that I loved his guitar playing and singing right from the start!! It was actually a year ago that we seen him at 3-Mile lake, when he rented the cottage, and he was looking forward to (I think) his brother & son to come over fishing ! Ron, you will be so sadly missed by all of your family, his eyes always lit up when he talked about them, and you will be missed by us also.

Dick & Mary Jo Merchant (Kalamazoo)

Mary Jo Merchant - May 27, 2013 at 05:44 PM

DC

“ Remembering the family reunions at Aunt Nancy's are some of my fondest memories, you could always count on live music, Ronnie and Mike would always get out their guitars and play for us, Ronnie had a great sense of humor as I discovered when we reconnected on FB , reading his posts always put a smile on my face, I'm gonna miss his posts..All of us are going to miss him very much. Love Aunt Verlee, Dot, Rick, Terry,Jeff...

Dottie Commons - May 24, 2013 at 10:29 AM

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“ I thought we had years, more time, we were just getting to know each other...thank you for being the fatherly support I needed over these last 5 months. If you only knew how much your "Way to Go Angel" and "I'm so proud of you" "You are stronger than you think, keep pushing" meant to me. I will forever hear those words of encouragement and know that you are looking down on us with that huge, wonderful smile, encouraging us to keep going, all the while telling jokes. Yeah, yeah, I know. Your pet turtle can type faster than me! I will love and miss you very much!

Angela Reese-Johnson - May 23, 2013 at 05:46 PM

CP

“ Mama was sick after she had Ronnie, so taking care of him fell to Carolyn and me. As soon as he could walk we drug him all over with the rest of us. He was always full of life and up for the adventure. This page cannot hold all the wonderful things this man did to bring joy to me.

Ronnie always had a joke. He would say Carrie, Did you hear the one about the ... Almost always they would make me blush. His smile and his voice were like Grandpa Franks - they could fill a room.

I will always love and miss him very much.

Carrie Phillips - May 23, 2013 at 06:47 AM

PC

“ I am so glad we got the chance to be not only cousins, but friends over the past months. You mean so much to me and I will always love you. My thoughts and prayers are with all of the family and friends there.

Phyllis Clifton - May 22, 2013 at 07:34 PM