



Ronald L. Porter

September 14, 1937 - January 1, 2010

Ronald L. Porter, age 72, of Kokomo passed away at his home January 1, 2010. Ron had lived in Kokomo for the past seven years and was a former resident of Rensselaer. He was born September 14, 1937 in Vergennes, IL, the son of the late Bert and Lois (Easterling) Porter.

He was raised in Vergennes and was a 1955 graduate of Vergennes High School. Ron was a veteran of the U.S. Army. Ron was involved in the construction business as the former owner of BP Construction in Sheridan and current owner of Porter Grain Systems in Kokomo.

Ron was a private pilot, an avid race fan and fisherman and greatly enjoyed reading. He was a member of the American Legion and the G.O.P.

He had been married in Champaign, IL on May 18, 1962 to Kay Childers.

Surviving are his children Joellyn (Dan) Williamson, Bainbridge, GA, Juli (Tom) Nunemacher, Lehigh Acres, FL, Christopher (Jennifer) Porter, Rensselaer and Jaylene Moser, Lafayette; 13 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren; and his siblings, Ana Johnson, Clovis, CA, Jack Porter, Tahlequah, OK, Gene (Joann) Porter, Pahrump, NV and Martha Silva, Paso Robles, CA. and his former wife, Kay (Porter) Burry. He was preceded by a daughter, Jacki, one brother, two sisters and his parents.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 6. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer
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Tribute Wall



“ Ellen and I will always remember the days we were neighbors. Those late night card games and the back yard picnics were what made the neighborhood such a great place to live. We will keep you all in our prayers.##imported-begin##phil and ellen mcgraw##imported-end##

January 08, 2010 at 10:22 PM



“ Uncle Ron will be greatly missed by all of us who knew and loved him. Jeanie, Ryan and Evan Bechthold##imported-begin##Jeanie Bechthold##imported-end##

January 07, 2010 at 08:33 PM



“ Joelyn, Julie, Jaylene, and Chris, You and your families are in my prayers. I will always remember growing up around Uncle Ron, he was funny, loving, and a wonderful man. He always made me laugh. He will be missed. Nancy##imported-begin##Nancy (Porter) Murphy##imported-end##

January 07, 2010 at 07:14 PM



“ To Chris, Joellyn, Juli and Jaylene: I'm very sorry about your Dad. We always had such fun with him. The last time I saw him, we were staying at the same hotel, and he and I simply rode down to the lobby together - just shooting the breeze about I don't know what, but I will always remember it. I have so many happy memories visiting with you and your parents when we were little. I will really miss him. My prayers are with you all.##imported-begin##Mona Rae Porter##imported-end##

January 07, 2010 at 08:55 AM



“ Ron was my little brother, and I have many happy memories of growing up with him. To my nieces and nephew and their children, look to the future. Remember you are in our thoughts with much love. Gene and Joann Porter##imported-begin##Gene and Joann Porter##imported-end##

January 06, 2010 at 12:30 PM



“ You are in our thoughts and prayers, we regret we are unable to be with the family at this sad time. May God bless and keep you all.##imported-begin##Ray and Imogene Doerr##imported-end##

January 06, 2010 at 11:15 AM



“ Our deepest sympathy to the Porter family. Sorry we will be unable to attend, but you are in our hearts and prays.##imported-begin##Dale and Judy Schimpf##imported-end##

January 06, 2010 at 11:12 AM



“ Dear JoEllyn, Julie, Chris & Jalene:
Saw in the paper where your father had passed away. Steve and I want you to know we are thinking of you. We remember cutting wood many years ago with your dad at your new home in Rensselaer. You have our sympathy at this time.
Love, Steve & Ruth###imported-begin##Steve & Ruth Overmyer###imported-end##

January 05, 2010 at 09:54 PM



“ Joellyn, Juli, Chris, and Jaylene, as well as Kay -- You have my deepest sympathy. I wish I could say something magical to help you to deal with the loss. Know that I am ALWAYS here for all of you.
Love ya, Aunt Glenda###imported-begin##Glenda Buckner###imported-end##

January 05, 2010 at 06:00 PM



“ Chris, Jennifer, and family:
My sincere sympathy on the death of your father.###imported-begin##Gail Mitchell###imported-end##

January 05, 2010 at 02:38 PM



“ Chris & Jennifer, We want to offer our sincere sympathy on the loss of your father. From AZ, Marvin & Rose###imported-begin##Marvin & Rose Nesius###imported-end##

January 04, 2010 at 03:07 PM



“ *May God Bless##imported-begin##Jack and Diana
Haberlin##imported-end##*

January 03, 2010 at 10:00 PM



“ *My God Bless##imported-begin##Jack and Diana
Haberlin##imported-end##*

January 03, 2010 at 09:59 PM