



Mr. Larry Russell McDonald

October 15, 1942 - September 29, 2015

Mr. Larry Russell McDonald, 72, of Sylvester died Tuesday September 29, 2015 at his residence surrounded by his loved ones.

The graveside service will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday, October 3, 2015 at Providence Cemetery. The Rev. Grady Morey will officiate.

Mr. McDonald was born in Worth County on October 15, 1942 to the late Robert Russell and Hazel Louise Fowler McDonald. He lived in Worth County all his life. Mr. McDonald worked at Turner Air Force Base, Coats and Clark, a service station, was employed as a police officer in Sylvester and Poulan and he farmed. He was owner of McDonald's Wrecker Service and drove a school bus for Worth County over 30 years. Mr. McDonald enjoyed servicing and working on Volkswagens.

Survivors include his wife Susan Kay McDonald; son, Rusty McDonald (Sam); daughters, Teresa Mallard (Fred), Missy Gaebler (Jeff) all of Sylvester; grandchildren, Jessie Smith (Ronnie), Jason Mallard, B. J. McDonald (Amanda), Brandy McDonald, Chris Gaebler, Kayleigh Gaebler, and Will Grimes; great-grandchildren, Aria and Annabelle Howe, Logan Pearson; sister, Elaine M. Sneed of Pensacola, FL and several nieces and nephews. Mr. McDonald was also survived by his best buddy Duke McDonald.

The family will receive friends on Friday from 6:00 to 8:00 PM at Banks Funeral Home.

The McDonald family expresses a special thanks to Moultrie Hospice.

Please sign our online guest registry at www.banksfh.com.

Banks Funeral Home in Sylvester is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Larry Russell McDonald*

January 28, 2023 at 12:53 PM

RP

“ *Leave a condolence or a memory.*

randolph pate - May 14, 2018 at 03:09 PM

FG

“ *Kay, Rusty, Sam, and all Larry's love ones. I know words will not ease the pain but I am so sorry for your loss. I pray for comfort for each of you. Larry is resting peaceful now. The pain is gone and no more suffering. No heart ache ,no sorrow, no trouble to see. There is peace in the Valley for Larry. God Bless each of you. God Speed Larry. We will see you again one day.*

Faye Goodman - May 14, 2018 at 03:09 PM

JC

“ *So sorry for your loss. I pray that God will comfort you in this time of need.*

June

June Coker - May 14, 2018 at 03:09 PM

LH

“ *Loss of another great friend.*

LEONARD HALL - May 14, 2018 at 03:09 PM

AH

“ *Andy Hamilton, Ashley Giddens and family*

Andy Hamilton - May 14, 2018 at 03:09 PM

OB

“ *Sorry to hear about the passing of Larry. He and I were Chaplains in the FFA and was a great basketball manager for all four years. Everyone liked Larry. I know he will be missed by his Family. May God bless your family and always remember the good times and memories. God is strength in all situations.*

O'Neal Bozeman - May 14, 2018 at 03:09 PM

LP

“ We are unable to be with you. We want to express our condolences.

Lamar&Betty PottsFr - May 14, 2018 at 03:09 PM

MG

“ Dear Family, just found out about Larry. The Worth County High School Class of 1960 was a special group to all of us. To take out our Annuals after all of these years and look back "sites us" to the realities of life and living.... "We once were young, and now we're old" but many do not live to be old. Larry had such a sweet smile---it was with him his lifetime---that does not describe all people. Larry was "good-hearted"---and that does not describe all people. I DECLARE THIS DAY, OCTOBER 8, 2015 that LARRY MCDONALD WILL BE MISSED BY A LOT OF PEOPLE.....His life touched a lot of people for Good. May the sweet HOLY SPIRIT comfort you all, as only HE can do. May the PEACE of GOD fill your hearts and lives each day and night, as you walk out these times without Larry. There are many tears to cry....tears wash away much grief and sorrow....time helps--but it moves so slowly when you have given up those you hold most dear. I understand this well, because I lost my husband on April 11th of this year.

"Heavenly Father, I pray that you will fill Larry's Family and Friends each day with the Courage to arise each morning, and live through each day, with FAITH, HOPE and LOVE---knowing that that is what LARRY would want them to do....to remember the JOYS and not the sicknesses and sorrows....To LOOK UP---and not down...because JESUS CHRIST, OUR SAVIOUR AND LORD, is walking with LARRY each day now...In JESUS Holy Name I pray. Amen and Amen

Marsha Carol Watson Gandy - May 14, 2018 at 03:09 PM

GS

“ My condolences

As you grief the loss of your dear loved one, please find comfort and strength in knowing that "God will wipe away the tears from your eyes and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be any more the former things have passed away."

GS - May 14, 2018 at 03:09 PM