



Ronald Dean O'Brien

December 28, 1930 - January 2, 2016

Ronald Dean O'Brien, 85, of Dimondale, passed away peacefully January 2, 2016 at home surrounded by his family. Ronald was born in Mt. Pleasant, MI to John and Marie O'Brien on December 28, 1930. He moved to Dimondale in 1937. Ronald worked for Consumers Power where he retired after 25 years. In his free time Ronald enjoyed gardening, old cars, and spending quality time with his family.

He is survived by his three children; Randy O'Brien of Potterville, Rene O'Brien of Dimondale, and Kelly (Jim) Fiser of Dimondale; his four grandchildren, six great-grandchildren; and also his dear friend Marilyn Doerr. He was preceded in death by his wife of 49 years Amelia; parents John and Marie O'Brien; and step-brother Archie Steele.

Funeral services will be held at the Potterville United Methodist Church on Thursday, January 7, 2016 at 12:00 p.m. Visitation will be Wednesday, January 6, 2016 from 4-7:00 p.m. at Pray Funeral Home. Memorial contributions are suggested to the Potterville United Methodist Church or McLaren Hospice. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Dimondale Cemetery

5661 N. Canal Rd.
Dimondale, MI 48821

Previous Events

Funeral Ceremony

JAN 7. 12:00 PM (ET)

Sycamore Creek Church (Potterville)
105 N Church Street
Potterville, MI 48876

Tribute Wall



“ *Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Ronald Dean O'Brien*

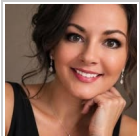


Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - January 05, 2016 at 03:45 PM

SB

“ *What I remember most was his wonderful smile; warm, friendly and genuine. Rest in peace.*
Susan Bennett and family

Susan Bennet - January 09, 2016 at 11:08 AM



“ *Kelly and family, I am sorry for your loss. Your dad was a sweet man!*

-Wendy Fagan (Oakley Dillon)

Wendy Ann - January 07, 2016 at 12:47 AM

RM

“ *My condolences to Kelly and her family. He was a very kind man.*
Ronald C. Miller

Ronald C. Miller - January 06, 2016 at 09:18 AM



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Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - January 05, 2016 at 10:40 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of **Ronald Dean O'Brien** .



January 05, 2016 at 10:16 PM

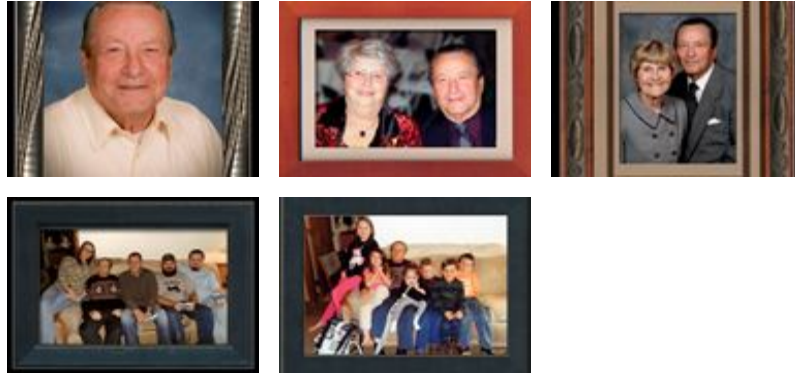


“ *So Sorry to hear of Ron's passing.He was a Great Guy.I would see him at Fish Supper and he was always teasing me.May God be With all his Family and Friend Marilyn in this time of need.*

Rose Woodbury - January 05, 2016 at 04:34 PM



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Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - January 05, 2016 at 03:33 PM

LR

“ Love, Ken & Mary Lynn Reich and Family. Sophie Reich purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Ronald Dean O'Brien .



Love, Ken & Mary Lynn Reich and Family. Sophie Reich -
January 05, 2016 at 02:58 PM

KD

“ Prayers of comfort for Ron's family, and for Marilyn. So enjoyed Ron at church and his easy-going, sweet manner. He will be greatly missed this side of heaven, but I know that he was at peace and anticipated a wonderful reunion with loved ones. Godspeed, Ron....

Kathy Dobie - January 04, 2016 at 06:15 PM

TH

“ I have many fond memories of Ron but the best of them were the times we cheered on the Charlotte Oriole football team! No one could match the dedication and spirit he and Mamie showed our guys! I'll think of you every time I make my "famous" goulash Ron! Kiss Mamie for me and slug Joe for me too...I know you can get away with it! Rest in pain free peace.

Toni Hartig - January 04, 2016 at 12:32 PM

LF

“ My Uncle Ron was the sweetest man in the world. He and my Aunt Mamie were like second parents to the "Callihans" growing up. they were either at our house or we were at theirs every weekend. Over the years we have run into him at one of his favorite places "Firekeepers" always there with a smile and a hug . I will miss him , but I know he and Aunt Mamie are now whooping it up in Heaven :)
Love you
Linda and Jeff Fedewa

Linda Fedewa - January 04, 2016 at 12:12 PM