



Ronald Poston

February 3, 1935 - September 30, 2024

Ronald R. Poston went home to his heavenly Father Monday, Sept. 30, 2024, at Mercy Hospital Southeast surrounded by his loving family.

Ronald was born Feb. 3, 1935, in Advance to Mildred and William Poston.

He attended Cape Girardeau Central High School.

Ronald worked 45 years for Missouri Barge Line, starting as an oiler on a towboat and retired as a chief engineer.

He married Nancy D. Ebbs at her parents' home in Chaffee on May 4, 1955.

Ronald enjoyed traveling on his Goldwing trike with his wife. He rode with several groups. He was very proud of receiving a high mileage award in 2016 for 42,024 miles.

Survivors include his wife, Nancy Poston; one son, Ronald R. (Laurel) Poston Jr.; two daughters, Cheryl (Frank) Stoffregen and Darla Jo (Mark) Luhring of Cape Girardeau; a brother, Richard (Dorothy) Poston of Jackson; three granddaughters, Amy Jo Stoffregen of East Cape, Illinois; Jessica (Michael) Martin of Scott City; and Lana Jo Luhring of Cape Girardeau; nine great-grandchildren, Kris Lair of Paducah, Kentucky; Haggen Rhymer, Kadence

Rhymer and Dante Rhymer of Cape Girardeau; Trevor Martin and Trenton Martin of Scott City; Kylie Jo Luhring, Hudson Luhring and Harlin Luhring of Jackson; one great-great-granddaughter, Opal Cookson of Cape Girardeau; and one sister-in-law, Helen Poston.

Ronald was preceded in death by his parents; one grandson, Tarl Edward Luhring; two brothers and their wives, William B. and Lucile Poston and Rodney L. and Virginia Poston; and one sister, Janet Sue Poston.

Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 6, at Ford and Sons Mount Auburn Funeral Home in Cape Girardeau.

Funeral service will be at 10 a.m. Monday, Oct. 7, at the funeral home, with the Rev. Dave Thompson officiating.

Burial will follow at Forest Hill Garden Cemetery on Highway 77 at Oran.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be given to the First General Baptist Church of Cape Girardeau or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Forrest Hills Memorial Gardens

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 6. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ford and Sons Funeral Home - Mt. Auburn
1001 N Mt Auburn Road
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Funeral Service

OCT 7. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

PT

“ It was so nice getting to know you all on the bike rides. Ron was such a great guy. We're so sorry for your loss. Praying for peace, comfort, hope & healing.
Pat and Donna Taylor

Pat & Donna Taylor - October 18, 2024 at 01:50 PM

HM

“ Heather Martin, Jess Huey, Maryna Mazur purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Ronald Poston.



Heather Martin, Jess Huey, Maryna Mazur - October 03, 2024 at 08:42 PM

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“ Heather Martin, Jess Huey, Maryna Mazur planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ronald Poston.

Heather Martin, Jess Huey, Maryna Mazur - October 03, 2024 at 08:42 PM

CH

“ 4 files added to the album *Ronald Trike Fun*



Cheryl - October 03, 2024 at 01:28 PM

BF

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. I will keep your family in my prayers.*
Bettie Forsythe

Bettie Forsythe - October 03, 2024 at 12:58 PM

PC

“ *Nancy, we're so sorry to hear the loss of Ronald. Our hearts and prayers are with you and your family. May God comfort you.* ❤️ 🙏

Pam and Jack Cook - October 03, 2024 at 10:23 AM