



Ronnie D. Gardner

November 29, 1947 - March 13, 2025

Ronnie D. Gardner, age 77, of Colt, died Thursday, March 13, 2025, at his home in Colt. He had been in poor health for the past several months.

Mr. Gardner was born November 29, 1947, in Forrest City, and was the son of Freddie Gardner and Helen Payne Gardner. He lived in Ohio most of his life until moving back to Colt in 2014. He was a retired owner of Cable T.V. Company, was a Veteran of the Army, and was a member of the Landmark Missionary Baptist Church.

Mr. Gardner is survived by his mother, Helen Gardner of Colt, three daughters; Kelly Tracy, and husband, Gary, Amanda Gardner, and Rachel Gardner, all of Kentucky, two sons; Royce Gardner of Ohio and Clayton Gardner of South Carolina, and six grandchildren; Stefan Reynolds, Daria Reynolds, Tucker Gardner, Cadence Gardner, Micah Gardner, and Roenyn Gardner. He was preceded in death by his father, Freddie Gardner.

Services for Mr. Gardner will be held at Stevens Funeral Home Chapel, 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, with burial in Forrest Park Cemetery. Visitation will be Monday evening, 5:00 till 7:00 P.M., with Stevens Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. You may log on to stevensfuneralhome.net for the online registry.

Cemetery Details

Forrest Park

Hwy 1 South
Forrest City, AR

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 17. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Stevens Funeral Home
220 North Washington
Forrest City, AR 72335
(870) 633-5400
info@stevensfuneralhome.net
<https://www.stevensfuneralhome.net/>

Funeral Service

MAR 18. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Interment

MAR 18 (CT)

Forrest Park
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Tribute Wall

HP

“ So sorry to hear about Ronnie. He was a great friend and also my neighbor for many years. My heart goes out to Mrs. Helen and all his children and their families! Plenty of great memories of Ronnie in school. As well. RIP Ronnie. Thank you for you service in the US Army and your sacrifices for our Freedoms and our America as well. You will be missed by so many -- FLY HIGH!



Helen Ponder-McWilliams - March 18, 2025 at 01:35 PM

DK

“ David and Kim purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Ronnie D. Gardner.



David and Kim - March 17, 2025 at 01:23 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Ronnie D. Gardner.

March 17, 2025 at 10:34 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Ronnie D. Gardner.



March 17, 2025 at 10:34 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ronnie D. Gardner.*



March 16, 2025 at 10:57 PM



“ *With Deepest Sympathy to Ronnie's Family. We were classmates. Have sweet memories of him in school.*
Patricia Higgs



Patricia Higgs - March 16, 2025 at 12:10 PM



“ *Mrs. Helen Gardner,*
So sorry for your loss of Ronnie. Prayers for your loss.
Brenda Kidd Sage

Brenda K. Sage - March 16, 2025 at 08:55 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ronnie D. Gardner.*



March 15, 2025 at 02:55 PM

KF

“ *I'm so sorry to hear about Ronnie's passing.
My thought and prayers and with you all.* ”



Kimberly Harbin Feltman - March 15, 2025 at 12:17 PM

CG

Hi I am the grand daughter of Ronnie thank you for all the love and support you guys give him and shared loving post about him I am dearly sorry the I could not come I had no way down there. Ronnie was the best Grandpal that anyone could ever ask for he will be missed so much thank you guys all

cadence gardner - April 16, 2025 at 09:25 PM