



Everett Ronald "Ronnie" Newman

January 1, 1935 - April 4, 2020

Everett Ronald "Ronnie" Newman, 85, of Louisville, KY passed peacefully from this life on Saturday, April 4, 2020. He was preceded in death by his wife, Sue E. Newman, his oldest son Rodney, and his siblings: Cleona, Houston, and V.G. He is survived by his sons John (Susie) of Louisville, Steven of Henderson and his grandsons Ryan E. of Indianapolis, IN and Samuel of Louisville. In addition to his children, he is survived by his nieces Cleona Roberson of Greenville, KY, Sandy Dixon of Sebree, KY, Karen Cox of Smith Mills, and Mary Ann Newman; nephew Greg Bryant of Evansville and unofficial daughter Dixie Lee Rudy of Henderson.

Ronnie was born on January 1, 1935 in Dixon, KY to Arthur and Lily Mae Newman where he lived until the family moved to Henderson during World War II. On August 19, 1954 he married his High School sweetheart, Sue Ezell and they made their home on Powell Street in Henderson. Everyone was welcome in their home where Sue had her beauty shop and always had a hot meal on the stove. They were both very active in the community and made it their mission to anonymously provide clothing for the children in need at Central Elementary School. Extra gloves, coats, and hats were always available in their car to provide for any child they saw walking down the street who had none.

Ronnie was a long-time member of Jerusalem Masonic Lodge and Rizpah Shriners. He began his work life as a rough neck in the oil fields, was a delivery man for Ideal Milk Company, and a manager for KenGas. Ronnie

found his calling in the beauty supply business as a sales rep for Weis Supply Company in Louisville where he eventually bought the majority share of the company. He subsequently owned the State Beauty Supply stores in Henderson, Owensboro, and Evansville until the business was recently sold. Due to the current restrictions on public gatherings there will be a private graveside service held at Roselawn Memorial Gardens in Henderson. The family requests that any memorial be made in the form of a random act of kindness to someone in need. The family would also like to express their gratitude to Dr. Mark Wheeler and the staff at OneMD for the wonderful care and compassion provided to our family members over the years. Arrangements entrusted to Benton-Glunt & Tapp Funeral Home, A Life Celebration® Home, online condolences may be made at www.bentongluntandtappfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Memorial Gardens

8136 Highway 2084 S
Henderson, KY 42420
(270) 826-9623
roselawn@ccol.net
<http://www.bentonglunt.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Everett Ronald "Ronnie" Newman*

November 29, 2022 at 08:01 AM



“ *John and Susie,*

I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your father, he sounded like a great guy. I see that he was also a Masonic Brother of mine

Our Prayer are with you.

Jack and Laura Boles

LAURA Boles - April 23, 2020 at 07:52 PM



“ *Dear John & Susie*

We are so sorry to hear about Ronnie's passing. Hugs and prayers for you and your family.

Rick & Cathy

Cathy Watson - April 17, 2020 at 01:49 PM



“ *Susie & John,*

My heart goes out to you and your family during this difficult time. I will keep you all in my prayers.



Dana Thomas - April 11, 2020 at 06:18 PM

CJ

“ Susie & John,
So very sorry to hear of Ronnie's passing. We pray for comfort and peace for you and your family during this time of loss.
Chris Jenkins

Chris Jenkins - April 11, 2020 at 10:55 AM

DK

“ John & Susue,
Sorry to hear of Ronnie's passing. I appreciated the opportunity to work with him for several years. I still find myself saying some of his witty comments. Thinking of and praying for you all and your families during this difficult time. Take care and stay healthy.
Doug King

Doug King - April 11, 2020 at 08:50 AM

DK

“ Susie & John,
Very sorry to know that Ronnie has passed, especially at this confusing time when contact and comfort with others is difficult at best. He was loved and is now lifted away from the worries and troubles of this world. You and the entire family are in our thoughts and prayers.
David Kratt

David Kratt - April 10, 2020 at 02:03 PM

RD

“ *John & Susie,*

I'm so very sorry for your loss. Please know I am keeping you and your family in my prayers during this difficult time.

Rhonda Dean

Rhonda Dean - April 10, 2020 at 01:03 PM

RS

“ *So sorry for your loss. You and your family are in our thoughts!*

Rachel Swenson - April 10, 2020 at 12:45 PM

MC

“ *Mary F. Conn lit a candle in memory of
Everett Ronald "Ronnie" Newman*



Mary F. Conn - April 09, 2020 at 07:39 PM