



Ray Cantrell

October 27, 1948 - August 29, 2017

Ray Cantrell, 68, of Rainsville, passed away Tuesday, August 29, 2017. He was preceded in death by his mother, Lenora Goza Graham. The only boy of the family, he was by all accounts, his mama's favorite. He was a proud veteran of the United States Navy. Ray built a successful business with Alfa Insurance where he served for 28 years. His greatest accomplishment was being Pop to his grandchildren, who were the absolute joy of his life.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Friday at Wilson Funeral Home with Rev. John Keefe officiating. Burial will follow in Mountain View Memory Gardens with military honors. The family will receive friends Thursday from 4 until 8 p.m.

He is survived by his daughters and sons-in-law, Vanessa and Matt Brandau and Valerie and Aaron Burt; grandchildren, Andrew McBrayer, Evan Brandau, Abigail McBrayer, Reid Brandau, and Sebastian Burt; sisters, Sharon Beene, Denise Bryant and husband, Vincent, Wanda Westergard, and Betty Stough; several nieces and nephews; and his faithful furry companion, Wingman.

Cemetery Details

Mt. View Memorial Gardens

970 Mountain View Drive
Fort Payne, AL 35968

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 31. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Wilson Funeral Home
3801 Gault Ave. N
Fort Payne, AL 35967

Funeral Service

SEP 1. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Ray Cantrell*

January 12, 2023 at 10:45 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ray Cantrell.*



August 31, 2017 at 02:13 PM



“ *John, Tammy and Jessica purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Ray Cantrell.*



John, Tammy and Jessica - August 31, 2017 at 10:12 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ray Cantrell.*



August 31, 2017 at 07:20 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ray Cantrell.*



August 30, 2017 at 05:59 PM



“ *Jana Veal lit a candle in memory of Ray Cantrell*



Jana veal - August 30, 2017 at 04:57 PM



“ *Praying for peace and comfort for you all.*



Jessica Burdick - August 30, 2017 at 04:42 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ray Cantrell.*



August 30, 2017 at 04:35 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ray Cantrell.* ”



August 30, 2017 at 04:21 PM