



Richard Edmond Rains

November 1, 1948 - January 8, 2018

Richard Edmond Rains, age 69, of Fort Payne, passed away January 8, 2018 at his residence. Mr. Rains was born on November 11, 1948 to the late John and Viola Johnson Rains. He was a 1966 graduate of Cherokee County High School and was employed as a technician by Modern Heating and Cooling.

Mr. Rains was a veteran of the United States Army and served during the Vietnam War. He was a member of Allen Memorial Baptist Church where he served as Song Director.

Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Saturday, January 13th at Allen Memorial Baptist Church with Rev. Ken James, Rev. Chris Crowe, and Rev. Steve Davis officiating. Burial will follow in the adjoining cemetery with military honors. The family will receive friends from 4 until 7 p.m. on Friday at the funeral home.

He is survived by his wife, Betty Ann Goggans Rains; sons, Joshua Rains and wife, Mary Dea, Aaron Rains, Avery Rains, Josiah Rains; daughter, Abigail Rains Hernandez and husband, Marco; step-son, Michael Farmer and wife, Mary; brother, Bobby Rains and wife, Julia; sister, Brenda Ann Renfroe and husband, Preston; grandchildren, Molly Farmer, Nathan Farmer, Jalen Farmer, Cameron Farmer, Brenda Beusing, and soon to arrive, Noah Farmer.

Cemetery Details

Allen Memorial Cemetery

6602 Allen Switch Road NW
Fort Payne, AL 35967

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 12. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

JAN 13. 11:00 AM (CT)

Allen Memorial Baptist Church
6602 Allen Switch Road NW
Fort Payne, AL 35967

Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Edmond Rains*

January 12, 2023 at 10:45 AM



“ *Richard was always kind, fun to be around and I don't remember him ever being unkind to anyone. Loved to hear him sing and play the guitar.*



Nancy Smith - January 11, 2018 at 11:44 AM



“ *As many of you know Richard had been married before meeting Anne. The day that they got married in that old country church I sat there and watched as they said their vows to each other (I had been in this position before), but this time it was as if God whispered in my ear and said this will be the one to last she is the one. I just knew that they were meant for each other. Richard had a God given voice and he played in a band with Jimmy for a number of years in bars and honky tonks. He never met a stranger and he was able to make a friend wherever he went I know we all will miss him so much in time we finally all straightened our lives out and I know Richard is with his sweet mother and daddy and all that have gone before him and heaven gained a beautiful voice to sing with the angels.*

Deborah Coker

Deborah Coker - January 10, 2018 at 07:51 PM