



Roland Stanley Edsall

January 9, 1938 - September 18, 2017

Roland Stanley Edsall, 79 years of age, passed away on Monday, September 18, 2017 at Salem Hospital, Salem, Oregon.

Roland "Ron" was born January 9, 1938 in Goshen, New York to the late Harold Ripley Edsall and Agnes Mae Jones (f/k/a Edsall). He was the seventh of eight children, five of which preceded him in death.

Ron married the late Ederlie "Kitty" Edsall in February 1963 and remained joined in union for 54 years. Together with her, Ron embraced the challenges and triumphs of raising a blended family and had his hands full with all eight of us; of which are, Eddie, Wayne, Vickie, Yvonne, Ronald, Vaughn, Shawn, and one sharing his company presently; Louie Jr. (Deceased). Ron also leaves his sisters, Betty Fillios and Delores Pingotti, to cherish his memory, along with their families.

Ron was a compassionate soul with a work ethic second to none. He was generous, dedicated, and happy to go the extra mile for friends and family. He worked tirelessly for many years starting at a very young age. As a young man, he joined the United States Navy and proudly served his country. Often times, he would recollect fond memories of those days. After his service to country, he chose to join the law enforcement community and his involvement was extensive; working with Montgomery Police Department in Montgomery, New York, Utah State and Arizona State Corrections, and finally ending his long career with Oregon State Corrections.

Ron had a carefree side as well. Not many knew but he was a true music lover. He took pride in his stereo system and would always keep it updated with the times. As his children, we were lucky enough to feel the house come alive with the smooth vocals of Frank Sinatra or the rich deep instrumental solos in a Johnny Mathis song. The music he played and the notes that flowed through the walls and rafters in our home is very much like the life he lived and how it reached all who knew him, giving each of us a memory we will hold dear to our hearts.

You will be missed Ron, dad, brother, granddad, great-granddad, and friend...

Events

SEP	Memorial Service	02:00PM - 03:00PM
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	Simon Cornwell Colonial Chapel	
	390 North 2nd Street, Woodburn, OR, US, 97071	

Comments



“ Ron and Kitty were the best friends ever. We had a little group of friends who enjoyed each other, and were a little bit crazy years ago when they worked in Utah at CUCF. Ron was cheerful, and a very agreeable and patient person. He put up with us girls and always treated us very well, even when we were silly. I drove up to Coos Bay to visit the two of them years ago, which was the last time I visited with them. Kitty had just had a knee replacement, but they still were very hospitable and sweet to me. I think of the two of them often, and would love to give them both at least one more hug. I will always miss them.

Sandra Owens - July 30, 2020 at 11:56 AM



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Shawn Edsall - September 21, 2017 at 04:58 PM



“ Almost a year since mom passed away...seems unreal that dad is with her today. Dad loved each of us so much; I can only hope that I can share that kind of love with my family and friends in the next chapters of my life.

Shawn - September 21, 2017 at 05:01 PM



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Shawn Edsall - September 20, 2017 at 06:39 PM



“ Ron's son Vaughn and I worked at SCCI years ago. I got to know Ron then and over the following years. He was always a kind and loving man who valued his family. The Helling's will have your family in our prayers. God Bless.

Keith Helling

Keith Helling - September 20, 2017 at 01:44 AM



“ Ron on my team when I was an Asst. Supt at the Pen. He was always so happy and had such a great attitude. I loved to sit and talk with him and I would always comment how I appreciated his bright and happy spirit. He was a peaceful soul and embodied loyalty, good character and grace. A gentlemen, I'm sure, until the end....

Carla Tupou Padilla

Carla Padilla - September 19, 2017 at 05:06 PM



“ I didn't get to know Ron well while working at OSP, but I know he has been a stable force there for a long time. I also know that I never heard anything but good about Ron. He was a dear man, and I want you to know that he will be missed.
Bless your family during this difficult time.
Sincerely,
Sherri Bratton

Sherri - September 19, 2017 at 01:59 PM