



## Mr. Ronald "Ron" McCarthy Deal

October 14, 1947 - July 30, 2020

Ronald "Ron" McCarthy Deal was born in Statesboro Georgia and left this earth July 30, 2020 at the age of 73. He is preceded by his father, Virgil Deal and mother, Elsie McCarthy Deal. He is one of 43 grandchildren of Calvin Deal and Janie Smith Deal. Ronald is survived by his wife of 40 years, Karen Anglin Deal, his daughter, Kristin Elsa Deal, his brother, Clinton Virgil Deal, his sister-in-law, Kathy Anglin, his brother-in-law Ron Anglin, his niece, Grace Anglin, his niece Rachel Kummer, his nephew Arthur Anglin, and his great niece Adelaide Kummer.

Ronald attended Statesboro High School and graduated in 1965. He was involved with various construction jobs in his younger life and then started his business, Deal Tobacco Shippers. He owned and operated that business successfully for over 20 years before making a change to help manage Gerrald's Vidalia Sweet Onions Inc. Ronald was with Gerrald's for about 13 years before retiring. He then pursued his love of farming on his own property. Ronald was an incredible father, husband, brother, friend and role model to many. Ronald was his wife and daughter's best friend, as he was to so many others. He was such a positive light at any time and would always lend a helping hand. He never met a stranger, mostly because he knew everyone in this town. Ronald was always busy with something, whether it was taking care of the garden, building a new deer stand, harrowing a field or clearing pine trees. He surely was a jack of all trades. He enjoyed taking care of his farm, fishing with his boys, hunting and a cold Budlight at the end of a hot day. Ronald was such a prominent figure in so many lives. He has created a legacy among friends and family; he will forever be cherished, celebrated and loved.

Graveside services and burial will be held Tuesday August 4th, at 2:00pm at Brannen Family Cemetery on Westside Road. For those unable to attend the service, a live stream will be available by joining the Facebook group "Joiner-Anderson Live Stream" at [www.facebook.com/groups/jafhlive](http://www.facebook.com/groups/jafhlive)

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that any memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society at [www.cancer.org/involved/donate.html](http://www.cancer.org/involved/donate.html)

Friends may sign the online register book at [www.joineranderson.com](http://www.joineranderson.com)

Joiner-Anderson Funeral Home & Crematory of Statesboro is in charge of arrangements.

# Cemetery

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## Brannen Family Cemetery

4629 Westside Road

Statesboro, GA,

# Events

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**AUG** **Graveside Service** 02:00PM

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Brannen Family Cemetery

4629 Westside Road, Statesboro, GA, US

# Comments

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“ Ronald was one of the best people I've ever known. He was a wonderful friend and a wonderful husband and father. He will be remembered and missed by many from all walks of life and all over the place. Bless your family.

**Pam Durrence** - August 09, 2020 at 11:28 AM

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“ Ron was a fellow classmate of the class of 65 statesboro high. Will be surely missed. May God wrap is loving arms around the Family and give them peace. Loved Ron .

**Darlene Lastinger** - August 05, 2020 at 11:47 PM

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“ Darlene Lastinger lit a candle in memory of Mr. Ronald "Ron" McCarthy Deal



**Darlene Lastinger** - August 05, 2020 at 11:42 PM

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“ With sympathy,

Vivian (Adams) Lott



**Vivian** - August 04, 2020 at 02:08 PM

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“ As one of the Deal cousins, i was always blessed to have those Sunday afternoon rides in the country which would always end with a visit to at least one set of cousins. With two brothers and most cousins my age, boys, i had to learn to climb trees, play in barns and play ball right along with them. Ronald and Clinton were right there, letting me be that tomboy cousin with them. I will miss his smile and that twinkle in his eye. Another good, honest man who would do anything for those he loved. Rest in peace , my dear cousin

**Shielda Deal Harvey** - August 03, 2020 at 12:19 AM

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“ Out thoughts and prayers are with you in the loss of your loved one. May your memories bring you peace and comfort in the days and weeks ahead.



**Donnie & Dorothy Bennett** - August 01, 2020 at 05:58 PM



“ My deepest sympathy to Karen,Kristen, and family. He was a very special friend and loved by so many. He had a funny laugh, beautiful smile, and sweetest personality! Loved him like a brother since I was a teenager. He loved his family and friends and will be forever missed. God bless you Karen and Kristen as you were his most important asset in his life on this side of heaven. Love, Cecelia Gaudry Oliver and Ray Oliver.

**Mary Cecelia Oliver** - August 02, 2020 at 08:30 PM