



Ronnie Ratliff

September 27, 1940 - November 26, 2025

On Wednesday, November 26, 2025, Ronnie Ratliff, beloved husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather passed away peacefully at his home at the Maples at Har-Ber Meadows in Springdale. Ronnie was born September 27, 1940 in Fayetteville, Arkansas to Albert Ratliff and Gladys Johnson Ratliff.

He was a dedicated Mail Officer for the University of Arkansas for over thirty years. In 1962 he married the love of his life, Lela Frazier and together they had four boys. He enjoyed music and taught himself to play the harmonica, but he was happiest with his grandchildren being their Papa, which was what he was most proud of.

Ronnie was preceded in death by his wife of 55 years, Lela Ratliff, his parents and three siblings.

Survivors include his children, Bob and wife Tisia Ratliff, Jerry and wife Shelly Ratliff, Rick and wife Kathy and Jamie Ratliff; six grandchildren, Justin, Shaila, Janae, Natasha, Cameron, and Chris; seven great-grandchildren, and many extended family members as well as many beloved friends at the Maples.

A celebration of Ronnie's life will be Wednesday, December 3, 2025 at 1pm at Sisco Funeral Chapel of Springdale with Ken Durrett officiating. Burial will follow in Mt. Comfort Cemetery in Fayetteville.

Visitation will be Tuesday, from 4-6pm at the funeral home.

Online condolences may be left at www.siscofuneral.com

Cemetery Details

Mount Comfort Cemetery

3824 W. Mt. Comfort Road
Fayetteville, AR 72704

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 2. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Sisco Funeral Chapel
705 West Meadow
Springdale, AR 72764
(479) 751-4577
siscofuneralchapel@gmail.com
<https://www.siscofuneral.com>

Funeral Service

DEC 3. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *THE MAPLES AT HARBER MEADOWS* planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ronnie Ratliff.

THE MAPLES AT HARBER MEADOWS - December 03, 2025 at 08:49 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden* was purchased for the family of Ronnie Ratliff.



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“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Ronnie Ratliff.



November 29, 2025 at 11:11 PM



“ *condolences to the ratliff family, I know this was a very loved man and will truly be missed by all.*

Dana A Taylor - November 29, 2025 at 06:12 PM



Praying for the family during this difficult time.

Debbie Stout - December 01, 2025 at 11:43 AM



Sending love and blessing to all the family who will miss this kind and loving father. God bless you all

freda poore - December 01, 2025 at 09:59 PM