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## Class of 61



**Ronnie Heifel Sanders**

**Died: Jan 4, 24**

**Obit:** 80, of Cottontown, TN surrounded by his loved ones.

Ronnie was preceded in death by his parents, Newell and Irene, his siblings Wayne, Linda and Jerry. Ronnie is survived by his loving wife of 58 years, Carol; children Kevin (Abbie), Karey, and Kelly (George); grandchildren Taylor (Leigh-Ayn), Hailey (Landon), Ethan, Eliza, Avery, Alex, Violet and Cora; and his great-grandchildren Grey, Magnolia and Adaline.

He graduated from Madison High School where he enjoyed playing sports, and went on to attend Austin Peay University. He served in the Air National Guard, and worked at

DuPont for over 3 decades. He retired at the age of 57 to spend more time with his family.

Serving his family through his hard work, generosity, and limitless love defined his life. Ronnie built all of his children's homes, and helped with all of his grandkids homes and future homes.

When there was a crisis, a new project, or work to be done on the farm, Ronnie was always present offering skill, wisdom, know-how, and an energy rarely seen. Ronnie's greatest joy was helping others and he was always available and present when anyone needed him. He was a selfless person, who always put the needs of others before his own. These values will live on in his children, grandchildren, and all future generations.

He cherished his family and embraced them all with love, laughter and warmth. He was our north star, and a teacher, coach, friend, counselor, financial advisor, contractor, character builder, cheerleader, protector and caregiver to so many. Ronnie loved watching his children, grandchildren and great grandchildren discover their passions and actively supported them in any way he could. His family adored him.

Ronnie touched the lives of many outside of his family. He was always willing to help anyone who asked, and even those who did not ask, never wanting anything in return. He worked hard and loved harder.

Visitation will be held at Forest Lawn Funeral Home in Goodlettsville, TN on Wednesday, January 10 from 4pm to 7pm, and Thursday, January 11 from 10am to 12pm, with funeral services to be held following visitation at noon. Friends and family are invited to attend and share their memories. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that acts of service to others be completed in honor of Ronnie.

The family would like to thank everyone for their support and condolences received during our most difficult days. Click [here](#) for obit.



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