



Roy E. McKinney

December 14, 1940 - September 11, 2009

RICHMOND, Ind. – Roy E. McKinney, age 68, of Richmond, died Friday, Sept. 11, 2009, at his home with his family. Born Dec. 14, 1940, in Lancaster, Ky., to Elbert C. and Katherine McQueary McKinney, he moved to Richmond in 1965 from Chicago. Roy was a member of Galilean Baptist Church, Local 661 Plumbers and Pipefitters Union, and the National Hot Rod Association. Roy enjoyed family, cars, drag racing, camping, and fishing. Survivors include his wife of 52 years, Wanda Garner McKinney; daughter, Debbie Barnett and husband Gary of Richmond; son, Mike McKinney and his wife Joyce of Richmond; grandchildren, Marty McKinney and his wife Jessica of Centerville and Tony Barnett of Indianapolis; great-grandchildren, Kade and Lorna McKinney, both of Centerville; sister, Laquita Alsobrook of California; nieces; cousins; and many friends. He was preceded in death by his parents. Visitation for Roy E. McKinney will be from 4-7:00 p.m. Monday, Sept. 14, 2009, at Doan & Mills Funeral Home, 790 National Road West, Richmond. Funeral service will be at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 15, 2009, at Doan & Mills Funeral Home with Rev. Jimmy Slaven officiating. Burial will be in Crown Hill Cemetery, Centerville. Condolences may be sent to the family via the guest book at www.doanmillsfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall

RC

“ Wanda, Mike and Debbie, I am so sorry for your loss. I know there is nothing that can be said to ease your pain, but you are all in my prayers. God Bless. Rhonda and family

Rhonda Sartain Collins - September 20, 2009 at 11:25 AM

SB

“ Wanda, Debbie, Mike and Family - My prayers and sympathy go out to you as you grieve the loss of a loving and wonderful husband, father, racer and man! I know he will be missed deeply but he will always live within your hearts. That is God's promise. Sonia Brock

Sonia Brock - September 17, 2009 at 09:03 PM

KW

“ Bruce and I just wanted you to know that we are thinking of all of you at this time. Over the years we have thought about you and Roy several times. When we would see Joyce or Mike we would check on you both. We enjoyed Roy's friendship over the years. If there's anything we can do please let us know. Your life with Roy is one to be admired by all. You will all be in our prayers. With love to all
Kathy & Bruce Wright

KATHY & BRUCE WRIGHT - September 15, 2009 at 10:48 AM

TF

“ Mike, We are very sorry for your loss. We are thinking of you. Brian and Sherry Hendrickson

The Hendrickson Family - September 14, 2009 at 05:01 PM

FD

“ Wanda and family: We are so sorry for your loss. Spending time with you all last Friday will always be a treasured time for us. We love you all and will keep you in our prayers. Wanda: What an amazing wife you are. We are proud to call you friend. Love, Frosty and Steve

Frosty Dillman - September 14, 2009 at 10:16 AM

JM

“ May God be with the McKinney family during this time. Roy took me under his arms when I wanted to go Drag Racing. He was there to help me in any way to enjoy the sport. He and Mike gave of their time to tutor me. It was a short period of my life but they will always be in my memories. Roy was a great man with a great family. He will be missed.

Jerry Martin - September 14, 2009 at 06:50 AM

AM

“ Wanda, sadness is in our hearts, our prayers are with you and your family. Not a long-time friendship, but a cherished one. Roy was so special to us and will be missed.

alan & marcia - September 13, 2009 at 09:41 PM

LM

“ Wanda, I am sorry to hear about Roy passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you.. Lorri

Lorri McQueary - September 13, 2009 at 09:18 PM

DC

“ The McKinney family is in my thoughts. May you all find the comfort and strenght to get through the days ahead of you.

Donnita (DeLay) Conley - September 13, 2009 at 07:18 PM

S&

“ Our hearts an prayers go out to you ,no words can be said to ease the pain ,but may god be with you an your family.

Steve Lohmoeller &Family - September 13, 2009 at 06:34 PM

DP

“ I am so sorry for the passing of Roy. He was a great man and father. Sincerely Dave Petty

David Petty - September 13, 2009 at 06:32 PM

NR

“ My prayers and thought are with u Wanda and the family only one knows what it is like. Norma

Norma Robinson - September 13, 2009 at 06:31 PM

DK

“ Wanda, Mike, Debbie, I'm sorry to hear about Roy's passing. I have very fond memories of all of us on Nolandsfork Road. Speaking from experience, it will be hard without him, but it will get easier with time. Knowing he is with the Lord is a comfort for you. Lean and depend on eachother and the Lord until you meet again. With Love, Denise Charleston, SC

Denise Sartain Klein - September 13, 2009 at 04:01 PM

BR

“ *Sadness is in our hearts today for we have lost a great friend. We send our love and deepest sympathy to Wanda, Mike, Debbie and family. We had so many good times back in the 70s and we cherish those memories. Roy taught us both to water ski on Kentucky Lake and we had the opportunity to share those memories a couple weeks ago with him. We're sorry we can't be there but we send our love and sympathy. We lost a great friend but we know that God gained a warrior. God Bless.*

Bill & Pat Roberts - September 13, 2009 at 09:10 AM

DH

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.*

David Lydick and the staff of Doan & Mills Funeral Home - September 12, 2009 at 02:00 PM