



## Ronald W. Killen

September 23, 1946 - April 16, 2022

Ronald W. Killen, age 75, of Richlands, Virginia, passed away Saturday, April 16, 2022 in a Bristol, Tennessee hospital.

He was born in Richlands, Virginia and was the son of the late Ivory and Pinkie Hess Killen. He was a lifelong resident of Richlands and was the owner and operator of Air-Tech Refrigeration. He was retired from American Electric Power and was a U.S. Air Force Vietnam Veteran. He was a Richlands High School Class of 1966 and a Bluefield Business College graduate. He was a member of the Richlands Masonic Lodge #318 AF & AM. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Pamela Tatum Killen.

Survivors are:

Daughter: Rochelle Branton and husband, Tim of Abingdon, Virginia

Son: Wesley Bryan Killen of Richlands, Virginia

Sister: Anna Ruth Helbert of Richlands, Virginia

Brother: Franklin Charles Killen and wife, Brenda of Richmond, Virginia

Grandchildren: Tyler Branton and wife, Maggie; Tanah Lester and husband, Kevin; Derek Meadows and wife, Ashley; Brianna Meadows and husband, Brandon

Great Grandchildren: Gunnar Branton, Huntlee Lester, Finley Branton

Funeral services for Ronald W. Killen will be conducted Wednesday, April 20, 2022 at 12pm at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, Virginia with the Rev. Tony Shrader officiating. Entombment will follow at Greenhills Memory Gardens Mausoleum at Claypool Hill, Virginia. Pallbearers will be: Derek Meadows, Nicholas Killen, Brandon Vandyke, Tim Branton, Kevin Lester, and Larry Vance. Honorary Pallbearers will be: Frank Killen, Bob Tatum, Roby Perry, and Ira Perry. Friends may call after 6pm on Tuesday evening at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia. Richlands Masonic Lodge #318 AF & AM will conduct services Tuesday evening at 7pm. Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia is in charge of arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at [www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com](http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Greenhills Memory Gardens

11800 Gov G.C. Peery Hwy  
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 19. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home  
1401 2nd Street  
Richlands, VA 24641  
<http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com>

## Masonic Service

APR 19. 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

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APR **20**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Richlands, VA 24641  
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# Tribute Wall



“ Hurst-Scott Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ronald W. Killen



Hurst-Scott Funeral Home - May 09, 2022 at 06:06 PM



“ Ronald W. Killen

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ Ronald W. Killen

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ Peggy Sparks sent a virtual gift in memory of Ronald W. Killen



Peggy Sparks - April 22, 2022 at 04:23 PM



“ *Ronnie was an honest,kind person.He will be missed by all that knew him.*

Patricia Sheppard - April 22, 2022 at 07:54 AM



“ *Patricia Sheppard lit a candle in memory of Ronald W. Killen*



Patricia Sheppard - April 22, 2022 at 07:51 AM



“ *We are praying for you all!*

The Collings - April 21, 2022 at 09:38 PM



“ *James & Ruby Harmon sent a virtual gift in memory of Ronald W. Killen*



James & Ruby Harmon - April 19, 2022 at 10:15 PM



“ *Wayne & Joyce Honaker lit a candle in memory of Ronald W. Killen*



Wayne & joyce honaker - April 19, 2022 at 08:09 PM

JW

“ *Judy West lit a candle in memory of Ronald W. Killen*



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**Judy West** - April 19, 2022 at 07:47 PM

LP

“ *Thoughts and prayers for his family.. May God be with every one.*

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**Linda (Whitt/Joyce/Russ) Pendry** - April 19, 2022 at 04:09 PM

CB

“ *Curt & Kay Brown lit a candle in memory of Ronald W. Killen*



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**Curt & Kay Brown** - April 19, 2022 at 01:48 PM

SS

“ *So very sorry for you loss, remember always the good times. Ronnie and Pam were v two very special people. Together again. God bless. Sandra Lowe Scull*

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**Sandra Lowe Scull** - April 19, 2022 at 12:54 PM

WD

“ *Wanda Deskins lit a candle in memory of Ronald W. Killen*



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**Wanda Deskins** - April 19, 2022 at 08:59 AM



“ *TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Ronald W. Killen*



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**TonyanEdgar Wicks** - April 19, 2022 at 08:36 AM

RB

“ *RBGlendaAltizer lit a candle in memory of Ronald W. Killen*



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**RBGlendaAltizer** - April 19, 2022 at 01:00 AM

CW

“ *Carolyn Walk sent a virtual gift in memory of Ronald W. Killen*



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**Carolyn Walk** - April 18, 2022 at 10:21 PM

DB

“ Prayers that the family will receive holy blessings of peace and comfort.

Dee Barbour - April 18, 2022 at 08:58 PM

MA

“ Much love, Greg, Sarah, Kate, and Amelia purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Ronald W. Killen.



Much love, Greg, Sarah, Kate, and Amelia - April 18, 2022 at 08:34 PM

EH

“ Evelyn D Hess lit a candle in memory of Ronald W. Killen



Evelyn D Hess - April 18, 2022 at 07:08 PM

JB

“ Jennie Bane lit a candle in memory of Ronald W. Killen



Jennie Bane - April 18, 2022 at 06:49 PM

BS

“ *He will be missed by all who knew him...prayers for the family*



Bill and Kelly Stanley - April 18, 2022 at 06:37 PM

CD

“ *Ron was funny and full of knowledge on so many things, a kind soul. We regret that we will not get to listen to anymore of his stories. Love and Prayers to all his family.*

Cindy Duffy - April 18, 2022 at 04:20 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ronald W. Killen.*



April 18, 2022 at 04:12 PM

KS

“ *Kathy Sneed lit a candle in memory of Ronald W. Killen*



Kathy Sneed - April 18, 2022 at 03:51 PM

WM

“ *Wanda Martin lit a candle in memory of Ronald W. Killen*



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**Wanda Martin** - April 18, 2022 at 03:42 PM

CH

“ *Rochelle and Bryan my thoughts and prayers are with you. Your Dad and Mom were very special to me.*



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**Carolyn Hess** - April 18, 2022 at 03:39 PM

CH

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you Rochelle and Bryan. Your Dad and Mom were both special to me.*



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**Carolyn Hess** - April 18, 2022 at 03:36 PM

AM

“ *Anita McGlothlin-Gibson lit a candle in memory of Ronald W. Killen*



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**Anita McGlothlin-Gibson** - April 18, 2022 at 03:34 PM

RA

“ So sorry for your loss, Sending prayers for peace and comfort..  
*James and Ruby Asbury*



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**Ruby Asbury** - April 18, 2022 at 03:25 PM

CE

“ Cindi Estep sent a virtual gift in memory of Ronald W. Killen



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**Cindi Estep** - April 18, 2022 at 03:15 PM

CE

*Ron was my friend! Prayers and hugs for his family!!*

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**Cindi Estep** - April 18, 2022 at 03:15 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ronald W. Killen.



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April 18, 2022 at 02:06 PM