



## Ronald Bell

September 6, 1944 - May 31, 2017

Ronald E Bell, 72, of Peoria passed away on Wednesday May 31, 2017 at 3:06p.m. He was born on September 6, 1944 in Peoria IL., to Jimmy Bell and Rovella Smith. They precede him. He married his lifelong love of 51yrs Karen (Terry) Bell. She survives.

Ronald enjoyed riding his motorcycle, listening to music, sports and barbequing. He served in the US Army in the Viet Nam War. Ronald retired from Caterpillar after 30 years of service.

In addition to his wife he leaves to cherish his memories one son: Carlos Bell of Peoria, four daughters: Rona (Bell) Bitt of Atlanta GA., Mia of Peoria Tanglea Hall and Tasha Terry both of Champaign, eighteen grandchildren, thirteen great grandchildren and a host of other family members and friends. Ronald will be laid to rest in Parkview Cemetery.

Services will be held on Saturday June 17, 2017 at 12:00p.m. at T.W. Parks Colonial Chapel with visitation commencing one hour prior.

Online condolences and words of encouragement can be made at [www.twparkschapel.com](http://www.twparkschapel.com).

# Cemetery Details

## **Parkview Cemetery**

2001 N. University  
Peoria, IL

# Tribute Wall

JB

“ So Sorry For Your Loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family at this sad time. Georgia, Fini, Joanie and Rhonda. Peoria, Il



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**Joanie Brown** - June 17, 2017 at 08:07 PM

MJ

“ Mindy Joos-Cheatham lit a candle in memory of Ronald Bell



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**Mindy Joos-Cheatham** - June 17, 2017 at 10:53 AM

CZ

“ Christy Aka Zues lit a candle in memory of Ronald Bell



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**Christy aka zues** - June 16, 2017 at 10:41 PM

CZ

*Aunt Karen I love you and be strong .uncle I miss you*

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**Christy aka zues** - June 16, 2017 at 10:44 PM

HO

“ I'll miss everything about my good friend, even when he made fun of my singing. We worked together, did odd jobs around each others homes and had many a breakfast together. We would sit and tell each other stories for hours. I've lost a brother and my heart hurts.



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**Hondo** - June 16, 2017 at 09:33 PM

DW

“ I first met Ron and Karen at a party they were hosting at their home. I remember thinking how devoted they were to each other. Throughout the years, when I would have an encounter with Ronnie and Karen, I still had that sensation of total devotion between the two. I saw them a few weeks ago at a restaurant and that same feeling came over me. He was a good friend to everyone he met. Karen and family, you have my sincere and deepest sympathy. I am sure that he will be greatly missed. Blessing to you Karen and your family.



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**Donna Wilson** - June 16, 2017 at 11:15 AM

EC

“ Ronnie was a fun person to be around. I remember him from my 🏍️ days. We had a lot of fun traveling to different events. RIP



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**evelyn tate clayton** - June 15, 2017 at 09:25 AM

ED

“ *Ronnie was a great friend we went to high school together, played pickup basketball and although we didn't see each other that often when we did get together it was like we were talking all the time. Man I will miss Ronnie "B" a good person and I send peace and blessings to his family.*

*Lyle and Lola Smith  
N. Las Vegas, NV*

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**Edward** - June 14, 2017 at 07:34 PM