



Ronald Dale "Worm" Adkins

August 14, 1947 - October 1, 2023

Ronald Dale "Worm" Adkins age 76 of Sandy Hook, Kentucky passed away Sunday, October 01, 2023 at Kings Daughters Medical Center in Ashland, Kentucky.

Mr. Adkins was born August 14, 1947 in Elliott County, Kentucky a son of the late George Walter and Mary Elsie Whitt Adkins.

Worm was of the Baptist faith, he was a member of Pipefitters Local #248 in Ashland, Kentucky, and previously employed as a Carpenter. He was a farmer, loved John Deere tractors, farming, and notoriously known for pranking, telling jokes, looking at farming equipment, also loafing at the Penny Mart with his many friends.

In addition to his parents he is preceded death by two brothers; Bobby Gale Adkins, and Edwin Adkins.

He is survived by his wife of fifty five years; Judy Patrick Adkins of Sandy Hook, Kentucky, four sisters and their spouses; Fern Riley, Betty Jo "B.J." and Jeff Jarvis, Gwen and Bill Haggard all of Lexington, Kentucky, Jaqueline and Pete Samuelson of St. Petersburg, Florida. Nieces and nephews; Anthony Riley, Kristi Huff, Rebecca McShane, Robin Johnson, Kathy Souza, and Jennifer Barnes. Ranada Riley, great niece and nephew; Hailey McShane,

Blake McShane, Trevor Riley, and Taylor Riley. Great - great niece and nephew; Hannah Johnson and Jacob Johnson, a very special sister in-law; Gloria Patrick along with a host of extended family and friends who will mourn his passing.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 a.m. Thursday, October 05, 2023 at Whitt & Sons Funeral Chapel 1260 North Ky 7 Sandy Hook, Kentucky 41171 with Bro. Rick Lyons, Bro. Michael Lewis, and Bro. Herbie Stallard officiating. Burial will follow in the Elliott County Memory Gardens in Sandy Hook.

Friends may call after 6:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 04, 2023 at Whitt & Sons Funeral Home 1260 North Ky 7 Sandy Hook Kentucky 41171 and after 9:00 a.m. Thursday October 05, 2023 at the funeral home.

Serving as pallbearers are Brian Jenkins, David Fox, Mark Faulkner, Big Ed Fannin, Wendell Simmons, James Cassidy, Wincel Cassidy, and Eldon "Red Rock" Click.

Serving as honorary pallbearers are Jimmy Stephens, Dale Fannin, Carl Fannin, Tony Wheeler, Daryl Banks, Mike Cantrell, Keith Howard, Chris Howard, Travis Jenkins and in remembrance of Donnie Griffith and Ronnie Lewis along with his countless friends.

Cemetery Details

Elliott County Memory Gardens

Elliott Co, KY

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 4. 6:00 PM (ET)

Whitt & Sons Funeral Home
1260 North Ky 7
Sandy Hook, KY 41171

Funeral Service

OCT 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

Whitt & Sons Funeral Home
1260 North Ky 7
Sandy Hook, KY 41171

Burial

OCT 5 (ET)

Elliott County Memory Gardens
Elliott Co, KY

Tribute Wall

DP

“ *My thoughts are with the family. He was and will always be a good friend.* ”



David Porter - October 04, 2023 at 01:53 PM

GF

“ *Rest in Peace, My dear Friend. Sincere condolence to Judy & family* ”



Gary & Helen B. Fannin - October 04, 2023 at 11:53 AM

GC

“ *Glenna Crockett lit a candle in memory of Ronald Dale "Worm" Adkins* ”



Glenna Crockett - October 03, 2023 at 11:49 PM

CP

“ *Cathy Pennington lit a candle in memory of Ronald Dale "Worm" Adkins* ”



Cathy Pennington - October 03, 2023 at 08:54 PM

NL

“ *Nina Lewis lit a candle in memory of Ronald Dale "Worm" Adkins*



Nina Lewis - October 03, 2023 at 07:13 PM

NL

*So sorry Judy
Sending love and prayers 🙏❤️*

Nina Lewis - October 03, 2023 at 07:14 PM

MB

“ *So sorry Judy to hear about Worm
I just can't imagine you without him
knowing you two have spent your lives
together, and you both loved each other so
much! You have our sympathy along with our
dear friend Mickey Blair, seems just like yesterday when we were all
in high school not even thinking what the next day was bringing us
...but we sure had a good time and those memories will never die
Love you ❤️*



Mable Brown - October 03, 2023 at 02:34 PM

BJ

“ *Sending much love and prayers ❤️🙏*

Becky Johnston - October 03, 2023 at 10:11 AM

MM

“ *We were so very sorry to learn of Worm's passing. Much love
coming your way, Judy; and many prayers for peace and comfort.*

Marilyn & Bernie Mason - October 02, 2023 at 11:40 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Ronald Dale "Worm" Adkins.*



October 02, 2023 at 07:41 PM



“ *Sherrell Greene lit a candle in memory of Ronald Dale "Worm" Adkins*



Sherrell Greene - October 02, 2023 at 07:36 PM



“ *Prayers*



lenora lyons - October 02, 2023 at 07:18 PM



“ *John And Rhonda Elliott lit a candle in memory of Ronald Dale "Worm" Adkins*



John and Rhonda Elliott - October 02, 2023 at 05:50 PM

JF

“ *Much love and many prayers. We love you Judy!* 🤍🙏



Jimmy & Kathy Adkins and family - October 02, 2023 at 04:42 PM

BD

“ *Barbara Lewis Davis lit a candle in memory of Ronald Dale "Worm" Adkins*



Barbara Lewis Davis - October 02, 2023 at 04:24 PM

BA

“ *Prayers for Judy. Worm was one of a kind, and will be missed.*

Brenda Adkins - October 02, 2023 at 03:52 PM

JC

“ *Joe & Garnett Cassell lit a candle in memory of Ronald Dale "Worm" Adkins*



Joe & Garnett Cassell - October 02, 2023 at 01:19 PM

JS

“ I have so many memories of Worm I set by my self sometimes and bust out laughing at some of the things he would do going to miss him so much. Prayers for Judy 🙏



Jimmy Stephens - October 02, 2023 at 01:13 PM

SP

“ Susan Preston lit a candle in memory of Ronald Dale "Worm" Adkins



Susan Preston - October 02, 2023 at 10:56 AM

DL

“ Denver And Peggy Lykins lit a candle in memory of Ronald Dale "Worm" Adkins



Denver and Peggy Lykins - October 01, 2023 at 11:33 PM

TM

“ So sorry for your loss. Prayers from Tonya Murphy and Jerry legg



tonya Murphy - October 01, 2023 at 09:34 PM

LB

“ As a child, Worm gave me my first puppy. Worm has provided a lifetime of memories from childhood through adulthood that I will always cherish. Love & prayers for my Miss Judy.

Lacy Frisby.



Lacy, Jamie, David & Ben - October 01, 2023 at 09:03 PM

DL

“ Dan And Jan Lewis lit a candle in memory of Ronald Dale "Worm" Adkins



Dan and jan lewis - October 01, 2023 at 08:30 PM

VF

“ Everyone has their favorite “Worm Story” He will always be remembered for his quick wit and storytelling ability. We all share a lifetime of memories. Much love & many prayers to his Miss Judy. 🙏



Vickie & David Fox - October 01, 2023 at 08:27 PM