



JOHN "ED" RUSSELL

January 3, 1956 - October 13, 2014

OBITUARY FOR JOHN "ED" RUSSELL

RUSSELL, John "Ed", age 58 of Middletown, Ohio, unexpectedly went to be with the Lord on Monday, October 13, 2014 at his residence. He was born January 3, 1956 in Killeen, Texas and lived in Middletown all his life. He was employed for over 15 years at Amtex in Lebanon, Ohio. Ed was a member of Towne Boulevard Church of God. He loved spending time with his family, especially his grandchildren. He enjoyed fishing in his spare time. Preceding him in death was his father, John C. Russell. Ed is survived by his wife of 34 years, Ellen (Wagoner) Russell; three sons, Nathaniel Russell, Joseph Russell and Matthew (Stephanie) Russell; three grandchildren, Elizabeth Autumn Russell, Matthew Edward Russell, Jr. and Preston Bober, with one on the way; his mother, Clarice (Taulbee) Russell; one sister, Lisa (Shannon) Korson; one niece, Allison Korson; one nephew, Evan Korson; and many cousins, friends and church family. Visitation will be Friday, October 17, 2014 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Towne Boulevard Church of God, 3722 Towne Boulevard, Middletown, Ohio 45005, followed by services at 1:00 p.m. with Pastor Mitchell Burch officiating. Interment will be at Butler County Memorial Park, Trenton, Ohio. Arrangements by Herr-Riggs Funeral Home, 210 S. Main St., Middletown. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.herr-riggs.com

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“ JOHN "ED" RUSSELL

September 13, 2022 at 09:07 PM



“ sorry to hear about your loss Ed was a good friend to us u will be surely missed after the times we had together like play basketball and coming over to visit .i will never for get you .from helton family and jeff teasdale

jeff teasdale - October 17, 2014 at 08:54 PM



“ sorry to hear about your loss EDwas a really good friend to us and the times we had like going to school and visting us at our house and shooting guns and pay basketball. your my true friend i will never forget you .from helton family and jeff teasdale

jeff teasdale - October 17, 2014 at 06:17 PM



“ Ellen - you are in our hearts and in our prayers - I was privileged to work with Ed at 2 different companies and am a better person for having known him - Darrell and Carolyn Rose

Darrell Rose - October 16, 2014 at 08:55 PM



Thank you for those kind words about Ed.
His sister.... Lisa Korson

Lisa Korson - October 16, 2014 at 10:01 PM

JH

“ *My sympathy to the family! You are in our family's prayers. Pray you are comforted by The Lord in the days to come. Peace be with you all.*

Janet Hogan - October 16, 2014 at 07:30 PM

LK

Thank you so much, Janet! I don't know how people get thru these things without the love & support of Christian friends, and the peace we have in knowing where Ed is.

Lisa Korson - October 16, 2014 at 09:50 PM

NF

“ *I went to school with Eddie. He was a gentle soul. May Gods peace surround your family.*

nancy ferguson - October 16, 2014 at 04:47 PM

LK

Nancy, you DID know Ed--- he WAS a gentle soul for sure! Thank you for caring & sharing that with us. Ed's sister... Lisa Korson

Lisa Korson - October 16, 2014 at 10:00 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of JOHN "ED" RUSSELL.*



October 16, 2014 at 04:23 PM

JB

“ Ellen, Clarice, Lisa, and the entire family:

I am so heartbroken over the sudden death of my lifelong friend, and true friend. Ed always made me feel important in his eyes and loved to talk about day to day life, or ask my advice as his sounding board. He was a joy to be around, and I could go on and on about my experiences with him, as well as some experiences without him that concerned him.

With growing family commitments I know we stopped visiting as much as we did when our kids were very little (We would go to the Russell's and they they would come to the Birch's). I know Ed has gained the reward that all believers desire and yearn for. But today I feel a great loss. Personally I have lost Ed Russell, who I could not help but love like a brother, and who treated me like a brother.

Heaven will hear his humor, but the earth is somewhat darker and sad without him.

John Birch - October 16, 2014 at 02:35 PM

LK

Thank you so much for your kind, loving words about Ed, John. He really did love & care about you along with so many others. He had a big, loving heart!

We appreciate you taking the time to share. We are hurting... But leaning completely on our Lord!

Lisa Korson - October 16, 2014 at 09:45 PM

ER

“ So sorry for your lost



evanna romans - October 16, 2014 at 01:11 PM

 Gina
Murray

“ To the Russell Family. I am so sorry for your loss, Ed was such a kind person. I remember him from Freshman High School and found him to be such a nice person. God must have needed him to take him so unexpectedly; he is now rejoicing with the angels. Gina Murray

Gina Murray - October 16, 2014 at 12:35 PM

LK

Thank you, Gina! Yes he is! That is what gives us the peace to get us thru this! Lisa Korson

Lisa Korson - October 16, 2014 at 10:03 PM

CG

“ Ed had such a gentle nature. I was so happy and fortunate to have seen him several times over the last couple years. Always enjoyed talking to him. It was so apparent the love he had for his family, church and friends. Ellen and sons, my heart goes out to you as I know how much he will be missed. All my love, hugs and prayers. Cissi Glickfield

Cissi Glickfield - October 16, 2014 at 11:18 AM

DG

Mrs. Russell, Ellen, and Clarice, I'm so sorry for your loss. Eddie was the greatest. He will forever be in my heart and memories.

Debi (Lambert) Gagné - October 16, 2014 at 07:30 PM

VG

“ Ellen...we are so sorry for the loss of your husband....Our prayers are with you and your children.....sending Prayers to you and Clarice.....God Bless you in this time of sorrow..” Gary & Vickie Garing

Victoria Garing - October 16, 2014 at 10:23 AM

LK

“ *I cannot tell you how hard it has been to lose my brother. But, knowing where he is & that he has reconnected with our Dad brings us peace. Thank you for all your love & prayers for our family. Ed loved people & would have appreciated how you are caring for us. Our family loves you all! Lisa Korson*

Lisa Korson - October 16, 2014 at 08:33 AM