



Dr. Richard Gerald Knight Sr.

January 27, 2019

Dr. Richard Gerald Knight, Sr., age 70, a resident of Deatsville, AL passed away peacefully on Sunday, January 27, 2019 surrounded by his family. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, January 30, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. from the chapel of Brookside Funeral Home with Rev. James Bozeman officiating. The interment will follow at Deatsville Chapel Cemetery. He was born on May 10, 1948 to the late Clayton Samuel and Animerle Wyatt Knight. He had a great love for music. In his earlier years, he played drums in a band "Sharatins Ride". He also played at the Grand Ole Opry with many familiar artist like, Willie Nelson, Crystal Gayle, Jimmy Dean, Brooks & Dunn and many more. He loved to fish and once caught two large mouth bass on a golf course. He will be missed by his family and many friends across the country. Mr. Knight, Sr. is survived by his wife Shirley Knight, sons Richard Gerald Knight, Jr. (Sarah), Robert Douglas Knight (Adina) ;step sons, Edgar Duke (Paige), Kevin Jarman (Debra), step daughters Kimberly Waggoner (Joe), Katherine Hooks (Brian) and many grandchildren and great grandchildren. The family will receive friends on Wednesday, January 30, 2019 one hour prior to services at the funeral home. Brookside Funeral Home of Millbrook, AL directing.

Cemetery Details

Deatsville Chapel Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 30. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Brookside Funeral Home
3360 Brookside Drive
Millbrook, AL 36054
brooksidefuneral@bellsouth.net
<http://www.brooksidefuneralhomeal.com>

Service

JAN 30. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Burial

JAN 30 (CT)

Deatsville Chapel Cemetery

Tribute Wall



“ *Dr. Richard Gerald Knight Sr.*

October 09, 2023 at 12:36 PM



“ *Dr. Richard Gerald Knight Sr.*

October 07, 2023 at 11:21 AM



“ *Mike & Celena Eubanks purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Dr. Richard Gerald Knight Sr..*



Mike & Celena Eubanks - January 29, 2019 at 04:17 PM



“ *I met "Jerry" when I was 5-6 years old in the fifties. He was my friend, then, is now, and will be forever. God Bless You my sweet friend.
Drum on!*

Jackson Bridges - January 29, 2019 at 01:10 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Dr. Richard Gerald Knight Sr..*



January 28, 2019 at 05:34 PM

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“ *RIP!! Richard and I grew up together, went to school together. We started playing music in school at Holtville High School for talent shows, parties etc. After we graduated we started a band 3 3 started playing at the Copa Club in Montgomery last of 67/68. After I got back from the military we play other clubs in the Montgomery area. Richard was a great drummer. We had some great times. RIP, Till we meet again in Heaven. God Bless The family!!*

Tom Williams.

Tom Williams - January 28, 2019 at 04:29 PM