

Ronald Earl Bailey



70, a resident of Lincoln, Arkansas, passed away July 20, 2005 at his home. He was born February 19, 1935 at Jetmore, Kansas, the son of Doris Earl and Wilma Clark Bailey.

Ronald was a Navy Veteran and retired from Tyson Foods where he was employed as an electrician.

He was preceded in death by his wife Willene Bailey, his father, mother, and step father, Vernon Tonar.

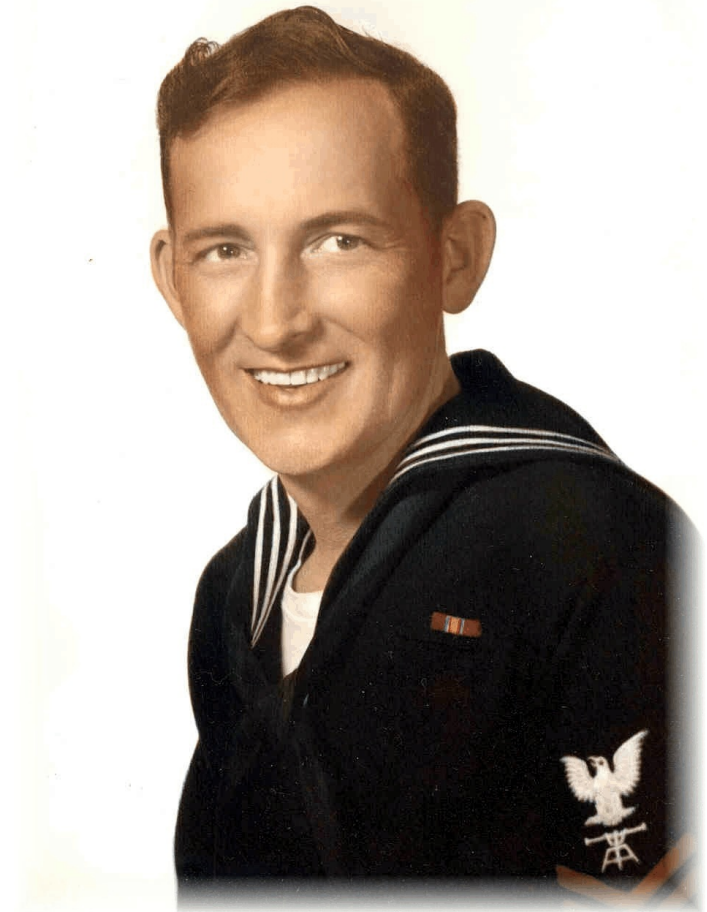
Survivors include three daughters, Pamela Ann Killman of Siloam Springs, Arkansas, Samantha Dee Harvey of Lincoln, Arkansas, and Rhonda Leontine Wilhite of Evansville, Arkansas; two sisters, Barbara Bailey of Lewis, Kansas, and Francis Smith of Jetmore, Kansas; five grandchildren, Brenton O'Brien, Nathaniel O'Brien, Katelyn Harvey, Jesse Wilhite, Eric Wilhite; one great-grandchild, Jacob O'Brien.



APPRECIATION

On behalf of the Bailey family, we wish to express their gratitude for your many kindnesses evidenced in thought and deed and for your attendance at the funeral service.

**Luginbuel Funeral Home
Prairie Grove, Arkansas**



Ron Bailey

February 19, 1935 - July 20, 2005

IN LOVING MEMORY OF OUR FATHER, BROTHER & GRANDFATHER

God saw you getting tired
and a cure was not to be
so he put his arms around you
and whispered "Come with Me"

With tearful eyes
we watched you suffer
and saw you fade away
although we loved you dearly
we could not make you stay
A golden heart stopped beating
hard working hands at rest
God broke our hearts to prove

He only takes the best.

Pamela Ann, Samantha Dee, Rhonda Leontine, Barbara, Francis,
Brenton, Nathaniel, Katelyn, Jesse, Eric & Jacob



WHEN THE DOOR FINALLY OPENS

The door finally opened and now I can go.
I've waited for this since the day I was born.
I'm going to miss you, and I hope you miss me,
But please don't be sad. I'm where I should be.

Like a cocoon. I'm free now to fly.
I merely changed over I didn't die.
The body I used to live on Earth
was simply a loan, a vessel of birth.
I'll still be with you, in all that you do,
Loving and caring and watching for you.
I'll make myself known to you, from time to time.
You'll think of me then and remember a time
When we were together or something I said,
You'll have to smile and then shake your head.

That'll be me, right there by your side,
Nudging and hugging you with my arms open wide.
Remember, I love you, and I always will.
I'll see you again, but it won't be until
the door finally opens and you can go through...
I'll be the one that's waiting there for you.



CELEBRATING THE LIFE & MEMORY OF

Ron Bailey

DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE

Saturday, July 23, 2005 – 2:00 p.m.
Luginbuel Chapel - Prairie Grove, Arkansas

ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude Music

"One More Day"

Diamond Rio

Obituary

Bruce Thompson

Prayer

Words of Comfort

Closing Prayer

"Amazing Grace"

Katelyn Harvey

Family Memories Video

"If There Hadn't Been You"
"You'll Be There"

Billy Dean
George Strait

Postlude Music

**GRAVE SIDE SERVICES WILL NOT BE HELD AT THE CEMETERY.
THE FAMILY WILL REMAIN AFTER THE SERVICE TO VISIT WITH FRIENDS.**

FINAL RESTING PLACE

Vineyard Cemetery - Evansville, Arkansas

PALLBEARERS

Matthew Reed - Phil Reed - Mel Reed
Brenton O'Brien - Nathaniel O'Brien - Jesse Wilhite

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Joe Huffaker - Bill Waltz - Ci Smith - Walt Reed
Bruce Kyle - Charlie Creek - Ken Humphrey - Bud Reed

MEMORIALS

In Lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Arkansas Regional Organ Recovery Agency - in the name of Ronald Bailey, 1100 N University, Suite 200 - Little Rock, Arkansas 72207.