



## Ronnel Stuart Geveden

January 31, 1959 - November 29, 2023

Ronnel S. Geveden, 64 of New Albany, IN and Cookeville, TN, passed away peacefully on November 29, 2023, surrounded by his family at the University of Kentucky's Markey Cancer Center in Lexington, KY.

A graduate of Ballard Memorial High School in Ballard County, Ky and the University of Houston, Ron was an 'old soul', selfless and wise beyond his years. His patience, curiosity, and inquisitive nature led him on a path of life-long learning. While he worked as a public right-of-way agent for the Kentucky Department of Transportation and later for O.R. Colan Associates of Charlottesville, NC, Ron was happiest as a devoted father to his daughter Rachel and spending time on 'the farm' with his long-time partner Teresa.

Ron is survived by his daughter Rachel Geveden of New Albany, IN, parents Pat and Charles Geveden of Frankfort, KY, partner Teresa Parris of Cookeville, TN, a sister Cindy Praska of Lexington, KY, two brothers, Kim Geveden of Lexington, KY and Chuck Geveden (Mitzi) of Frankfort, KY and several nieces and nephews.

A private service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in memory of Ron Geveden and mailed to the Markey Cancer Foundation, 115 Waller Avenue, Suite 204, Lexington, KY 40503 or online at [UKMarkey.org/donate-now/](https://UKMarkey.org/donate-now/). LeCompte Johnson Taylor is handling

arrangements. Please visit our website to leave messages of condolences.

# Tribute Wall

MA

“ I was very saddened to hear of Ron’s passing. I worked closely with him on several highway right of way projects in WV. He was a man of knowledge, understanding, and character and took a great deal of his time training me in the right of way industry. Beyond work, he also shared many life lessons and stories and was quite simply a joy to be around. He was one of the best colleagues I’ve ever had the pleasure of working with. May he rest in peace and my thoughts and prayers are with the family.

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**Matt** - March 19, 2024 at 02:10 PM

BM

“ Charlie, Pat & Family

*I am expressing deepest condolences on the passing of your Son. Please know you're in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. May the happy memories bring you comfort and peace. May God Bless your Family Always.*  
*Beverly Metcalf*



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**Beverly Metcalf** - December 04, 2023 at 01:56 AM

KH

“ *My minds eye will always remember Ronnel as one to always share a beautiful sincere smile. He could always share a good story with you in a way that was a true art. So sad for his loved ones in this loss.*



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**Karen Hargrove** - December 01, 2023 at 05:45 PM

CP

“ *Teresa, I'm so very sorry for this great loss... my heart is broken for you & Ron's family!* 🙏🙏💔💔💔💔☐☐

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**Connie Post** - December 01, 2023 at 02:37 PM

MI

“ *So many great memories of a long ago time. So close to Ronnel and his family at ine time. Taking it hard. I hope the family can find some comfort in knowing how well he was liked and the high regard I hold them all love Michael buddy*

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**michael** - December 01, 2023 at 08:34 AM

KC

*So sorry for the loss of Ronnel! Prayers for your family. He was a nice guy.*

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**Keytha Piper Coo0er** - December 01, 2023 at 02:29 PM

RP

*Much love & many prayers to Ronnel's family & friends.*

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**Raylyn Peyton** - December 01, 2023 at 04:40 PM

TH

*So saddened to hear this. What a great person and always pleasant company. Had I known he was at UK, I would have been there. Love and prayers to all the Gevedens. Tonia Hall*

**Tonia Hall** - December 01, 2023 at 06:28 PM

ME

*So sorry to hear of Ronnel's passing. He was a wonderful person, always kind, & always smiling. Prayers to his family.*

**Melinda** - December 01, 2023 at 06:51 PM



*I was so saddened to hear of Ronnell's passing and send my prayers of recovery from grief to his father Charles, Mother Pat, Sister Cindi and Brothers Chuck & Kim I've known the Geveden family and have considered them as one of the greatest of influence to my life since the days when I was only a small child living down the street from their home in Wickliffe, Ky. Ronnell was years older than me (eight years) but he called me names like "cool breeze" and gave me my first pocket knife.. I was amazed an older popular kid like Ronnell always made time to make me feel like I mattered... (his entire family was the same) and I'd say the connection with Ronnell and his family was a profound influence of positivity when I needed it most. Heaven will have trouble ever finding anyone more easy to like than Ronnell Geveden*

**Billy Schiller** - December 12, 2023 at 02:00 PM