



Ed Ussery

December 30, 1949 - April 24, 2015

Ed Ussery, age 65, of Morrilton, passed away, Friday, April 24, 2015. He was born December 30, 1949 in Georgia, a son of Samuel R. Ussery and Joy Easter Bradke Ussery. He served in the Army R.O.T.C and retired as a Special Education Teacher after 36 years of service. During his career he taught at the Center for Exceptional Children, Pine Bluff Training School for Boys, and worked for the Museum of Automobiles on Petit Jean Mountain, as well as being a Special Education Teacher and Bus Driver with the South Conway County School District. He was a member of the Arkansas Teachers Association, Christian Motorcycle Association, Rialto Pickers, and Sacred Heart Catholic Church. He was also a Relay for Life team captain in the local Conway County chapter.

Survivors include his wife, Janie Pinter Ussery of Morrilton; son, Ira Ussery and wife Pam of Perryville; daughter, Angela Long and husband, T.C. of Alma; brother, Dennis Ussery of Enola; sister, Kathryn Ussery Mace and husband Robert of Enola; grandson, Thomas Long of Alma; granddaughters, Lydia Ussery of Perryville; Monica Long of Alma; Maria Long and Cecilia Long both of Alma.

Funeral Mass will be 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, April 28, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church with Father Jack Harris officiating. Burial will be a Sacred Heart Cemetery by Harris Funeral Home of Morrilton. Rosary will be 6:30 p.m. Monday, April 27, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church with a visitation following. Donations may be made to Sacred Heart Catholic Church Building Fund,

Conway County Relay for Life or Action Shredding and Recycling.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ed Ussery*

January 30, 2023 at 02:08 AM



“ *So sorry to hear about Mr. Ussery passing. I worked for South Conway County School District in the kitchen. He was so nice and you could tell from his students that they all really liked him and enjoyed the class with him. Praying for the family.*

Carol Wren - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM



“ *You are all in our thoughts and prayers. Ed was a good friend to many. He will be missed.*

James and Sharon Wilson - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM



“ *I will never forget his love and patience for all children but especially for the special ones he taught. He was indeed an angel to so many whom he taught and to those who worked with him. His smile will be missed so much. You never met him that he didn't have a smile that made everyone feel so good. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family.*

Charlotte Heidenreich - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM



“ *Janie, I am so sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my prayers. I am so happy that I got to teach with you and Ed. Paula Coan*

Paula Coan - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM

MF

“ We are very sorry to hear of the passing of Mr.ussery he was a wonderful neighbor.

Mr and Mrs Lindsey, Mr and Mrs Carl Brown, Betty Jackson Kelly F - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM

PJ

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Patt Johnson - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM

AH

“ We are praying for the Ussery family. I enjoyed seeing Ed's smile at school. He was a wonderful man. Love to Janie and the family. Bill and Ann Hall and Family

Ann Hall - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM

LH

“ Janie and family,

I wish I knew the words to say to help comfort you all. Ed was one of the most wonderful men that I have ever known. He was so kind, loving, and compassionate. Heaven gained a beautiful angel when God called him home. May you all take comfort in knowing that he is in God's arms, and he will always be with you all!! I can just imagine him right now visiting with Ben. Please know that I love you all, and if you need anything, I will always be here for you!! I love you!!

Lynlee Holland - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM

PP

“ With deepest sympathy to Ed's family. He was such a sweet man. He worked at the Museum with my Mom, Mable Brannon, for many years. He was so kind to everyone, especially to her. My boys & I always looked forward to seeing Ed when we went to the Museum. He had the greatest smile! I'm so sorry to hear of his death. I will share this with my Mom, who is now in a nursing home. She will be very sad to hear of his passing and will be praying for your family. May God surround you with the comfort that only He can give.
~~ PhylissPhelps

Phyliss Phelps - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM

JH

“ I was so sorry to hear about Eddie and know you will miss him very much. I will always remember how good he was to my Granny when he lived with her while going to UCA. He was always so kind, big smile, big laugh, and you could tell he loved his Aunt Glad. His sweet soul will be missed on this earth.

Jawanda Holloway - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM



“ Janie, I don't have the words to tell you how sorry I am about lossing Ed. He was such a special man. He will forever hold a special place in my heart. Mat God comfort and bless you. Love you, Jan

June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM

DP

“ Ed was a wonderful man. I have known him for years and never saw him that he didn't have a friendly face, a smile and a hug. He was always happy and so loving toward everyone. He never met a stranger. Upon meeting him you would think that you had known him forever. He was easy going, laid back and so patient and kind. He had a special compassion and understanding for those with special needs. His inner gentleness radiated throughout his spirit and touched all those who were blessed to meet him. I will not forget his smile or his love for others. He will truly be missed by all! My deepest heartfelt sympathy goes out to all of his family. I love you all!

Dena Kay Polk - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM

SS

“ Janie and family,
I'm so sorry to hear about your loss. Ed was a good friend, He will be sorely missed by all who knew him as family and friend!

Sam and Kathie Smiley - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM

JF

“ So Sorry to hear of Ed passing. He was a awesome neighbor.

Jeremy Brown and Tamara Farmer - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM

PS

“ My heart goes out to you guys.

Pam Smith - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM

SC

“ We are very sorry about your loss. You are all in our prayers.

Suzanne (Mallett) Chapman - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM

DM

“ Janie, in this sad time for you and the children , I will remember you in my prayers. I remember when you and Ed got married, he was so nice. You were blessed to have such a good husband and he was blessed to have you. Take care of yourself. Love Donna McGee

Donna McGee - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM

FL

“ So sorry for your loss he will be greatly missed. God bless you and keep you. Your family will be in our prayers

Farrell & Louise Lentz - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM

EG

“ Out thoughts & prayers are with your family with the loss of your loved one. Sorry we were unable to attend the services.

Emmet & Carolyn Gadberry - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM

T(

“ Mr Ussery was a very good man, he was my bus driver for many many years, so he pretty much saw me grow up, he was strict, but kept order on our bus, an never put up with any bull, an i liked that about him, even as a kid, not now days where you see kids jumping all over the buses these days, i'm so sad to hear of his passing. My prayers are with his family.

tina (hale) - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM

SE

“Mr. Ed,” as we always called him, was a gentle, kind man. He made a difference in many lives. Sharon loved him, as he was her teacher years ago at the Center for Exceptional Children and also in later years, she never forgot him or Janie. Sharon wanted me to be sure and write this message and be sure you know she still missed him. He will be missed by all who knew him and loved him.

Shirley & Sharon Epperson - June 29, 2018 at 07:28 PM



“Our thoughts and prayers are with all of the family. Mr. Ussery lived not far from us and always had a smile every time we saw him. May God be with you all to bring comfort and strength to your family. Love and prayers, Ricky & Dee Dee Hill, Alex Hill, Mandy & Jeff McCurrie and Family.

April 27, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“I will miss Ed's larger than life smile and sense of humor. I don't think I've ever known a kinder or gentler man than Ed. My experiences with him also knew him as a fine musician. I will miss his contribution to our group. I don't look at my 6-string banjo without thinking of him.

May God's grace be with you during this difficult time.

April 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM