



Rommy Mack Henley

August 7, 1942 - January 23, 2024

Rommy Mack Henley was born August 7, 1942, in Morrilton, Arkansas, to Vendis Faye Love and Arlie Denton Henley both from Scotland, Arkansas. He was preceded in death by a brother, Arlie Denton Henley, Junior, and both parents.

He died on January 23, 2024, at home in Russellville, AR. He was 81. He is survived by his wife, Elisabeth, also of Russellville; son Rommy D. Henley, of Cave Springs, Arkansas; daughter Holly Elisabeth Pace, of Russellville; a brother, Don Wesley Henley, of Nunnely, Tennessee, and six grandchildren: Hannah Chapman of Fort Smith; Tabitha Pace of Russellville; DeLaney Henley of Springfield, Missouri; Macey Henley of Durango, Colorado; Rommy A. Henley of Fayetteville; and Montgomery Henley of Cave Springs.

Rommy graduated from Morrilton High School in 1960 and from Arkansas State Teachers College in 1965. He served in the Missouri and Arkansas National Guards. For most of his life, he was an Independent Insurance Agent. He owned Advantage 1 Insurance Agency in Fort Smith and in Russellville until retirement in 2019. He had a special interest in children with mental and physical disabilities and worked at the Arkansas Children's Colony in Conway while in college and later served on the board of Bost, Inc. in Fort Smith. He was a pilot and a light sport aircraft enthusiast.

Rommy was instrumental in starting an Explorer's class and a Men's Bible Study Fellowship class in Fort Smith and later served on the Board of Ozark Conference Center.

Rommy was raised to be a gentleman, a family man, a loyal friend, and a great defender of anyone younger, smaller, or less 'advantaged'. He was a prolific reader, a student of history, and loved an opportunity to mentor young men in business and marriage. He was a man of deep faith and his genuine love for Jesus Christ transformed his life and enriched the lives of his family and friends.

At the time of his death, Rommy had been the recipient of the excellent care provided by Russellville's Arkansas Hospice personnel since September 2023. He will be interred at Pleasant Grove cemetery. The family would like to request that in lieu of flowers, gifts in his honor be made to Arkansas Hospice, (222 John Babish Drive , Russellville, Arkansas 72801, designated gifts to Russellville Office), to New Life Ranch (160 Colcord Rd, Colcord, OK, 74338 - or online at www.newliferanch.com/donate) or to Bible Study Fellowship (Bible Study Fellowship, 19001 Huebner Rd, San Antonio, TX, 78258 or online at www.bsfinternational.org/support). Memorial service will be 2:00 p.m. Monday, January 29, at Harris Chapel with Rev. Howard Wheeler officiating.

Cemetery Details

Pleasant Grove Cemetery

2826 Pleasant Grove Loop
Scotland, AR

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JAN **29**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Harris Funeral Homes - Morrilton
1325 Oak St
Morrilton, AR 72110
(501) 354-4575

Tribute Wall

AD

“ I'm sorry to hear of Rommy Mack's passing. His mom and my mom were 1st cousins. I also took care of his mom when she was in Baptist Hospital in Little Rock. He was a good man.

Allena Dixon - January 30, 2024 at 01:46 PM

CC

“ Carmen Coates lit a candle in memory of Rommy Henley



Carmen Coates - January 29, 2024 at 11:50 AM

RT

“ Rhonda Tanner lit a candle in memory of Rommy Henley



Rhonda Tanner - January 28, 2024 at 07:41 PM

JK

“ Rommy invited me to Bible Study Fellowship in 1975 and the result was I became a Christian. He was one of the strongest Christian men I have ever known He also became a very special and great friend. Jerry Kennedy

Jerry Kennedy - January 27, 2024 at 11:14 AM

RW

“ *Ray Wilkett lit a candle in memory of Rommy Henley*



Ray Wilkett - January 25, 2024 at 02:11 PM



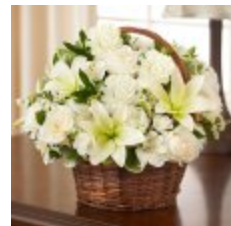
“ *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Rommy Mack Henley.*



January 25, 2024 at 12:53 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All White was purchased for the family of Rommy Mack Henley.*



January 25, 2024 at 11:27 AM



“ *Multicolor Bright Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Rommy Mack Henley.*



January 24, 2024 at 09:41 PM