



Lonnie L. Meece

February 12, 1960 - January 5, 2013

Lonnie L. Meece, age 52 of Mattoon, passed away at 4:21 a.m. on Saturday January 5, 2013, at Sarah Bush Lincoln Health Center, Mattoon, IL. A private memorial service will be held at a later date. Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Lonnie was born on February 12, 1960 the son of Lemuel and Lillian Mae (Painter) Meece. He married Mary Logan on July 4, 2000 in Mattoon, IL, She survives. He is survived by his stepson Adam Farris and his fianc' Tiffany Conlin of Mattoon, IL; stepdaughter Amanda Sexson of Arcola, IL; sister Rose Larson of Silverrun, Mississippi; grandchildren Brandon Drake of Casey, IL, Damian Apke of Mattoon, IL;; brother in law Matt Veach of Oakland, IL; sister in law Carrie Veach of Oakland, IL and brother in law John Logan and wife Lee of Glendale Heights, IL; sister in law Beth Slack of Bear Creek, NC;; mother in law Shirley Dunifer of Bear Creek, NC; father in law William Logan of Oakland, IL. He is survived by neices Betsi Willmore and husband Brandon of Tuscola, IL; Kelly Yarborough Hill and husband Lonnie of Casey, IL; Vanessa Pellagini of Las Vegas, NV; nephews Brad Veach of Champaign, IL; Eric Veach of Oakland, IL; Casey Slack of Bear Creek, NC; Tony Logan of Loretto, TN; Michael Pellagini. He had several great neices and nephews. He is also survived by a special friend Fraya Vaughn of Phoenix, Az. He is survived by numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and his sister Pam Cox. Lonnie proudly served his country in the United States Army as a demolitions expert, and was a member of the Special Forces Unit.

He enjoyed working with wood and metal and enjoyed drawing. He also enjoyed assembling model cars and was an avid Nascar and Formula One racing fan. Lonnie also enjoyed camping and spending time outdoors. Lonnie was also a Chef and he enjoyed cooking. He also loved music. But most of all he enjoyed family and spending time with his grandsons. And he was someone you could always depend on.

Memorials in his honor may be made to the family.

Tribute Wall



“ *Lonnie L. Meece*

October 08, 2023 at 07:40 PM