



Roy Lee McConnell Jr.

April 22, 1938 - April 12, 2024

Roy Lee McConnell Jr., 85, of Carthage, Missouri, passed away on Friday, April 12, 2024, in Joplin, Missouri. Roy Lee was born on April 22, 1938, in Jasper, Missouri, to Roy Lee McConnell Sr. and Doris Naomi (Lamb) McConnell. Roy Lee moved to San Jose, California for some time, then made his way back home and has remained in the Carthage area since. He was employed by Dyno-Nobel as a Powder Machine Operator where he dedicated 20 plus years to his work there.

Roy Lee was united in marriage to Phylliss Brandyberry on June 26, 1976, in Reno, Nevada; she preceded him in death on November 25, 2014.

He leaves behind one son, Paul McConnell (Laura) of Ellenwood, Georgia; two brothers, Darrell McConnell of Carthage, and Gary McConnell (Sherry) of Joplin; one sister, Donna Draper (Frank) of Claremore, Oklahoma; several nieces, nephews, and extended family; and some very dear friends.

Roy Lee was preceded in death by his wife, Phylliss McConnell; his parents, Roy and Doris McConnell Sr.; and one sister-in-law, Denise McConnell.

There will be a service for Roy Lee at 10:00 AM on Tuesday, April 16, 2024, at the Faith Life Worship Center of Carthage, Missouri, with military honors.

Condolences may be posted online at www.ulmerfh.com.

Arrangements are under the care and direction of Ulmer Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Park Cemetery

801 South Baker
Carthage, MO

Previous Events

Service

APR **16**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Faith Life Worship Center
736 E. Fairview Ave.
Carthage, MO 64836

Tribute Wall

JH

“ *My condolences to family and friends. We have been good friends since he and Phyllis lived in San Jose.*

Judy Hartley - May 08, 2024 at 11:35 AM

JH

“ *My condolences to Roy's family and friends. We were good friends since living next to each other in San Jose.*

Judy Hartley - May 08, 2024 at 10:37 AM

JM

“ *My deepest sympathy to his family! I have many memories growing up with his family! He was a great man!*
Jenny (Kelly) Mansfield

Jenny Mansfield - April 17, 2024 at 06:51 PM

LC

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with the family of Roy Lee, a 1956 classmate of Carthage High who loved to visit about those days and his love for our Lord. Larry Catron*

Larry Catron - April 16, 2024 at 09:53 AM

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“ Roy Lee came into my life when I was just 16 years old at a little church in Carthage, Evangel Assembly of God. He was such a great Mentor throughout my life and taught me many godly truths that I still live by and teach to others.

I love him and Phyllis and look forward to being with them in heaven.

My prayers and sympathy go out to all of Roy Lee's family and friends.



Catherine "Cathy" - April 15, 2024 at 10:56 PM