



Lonnie Lee Mann Sr.

November 27, 1941 - February 7, 2021

Lonnie Lee Mann, Sr., age 79 years, a resident of rural Equality, passed away unexpectedly Sunday evening, February 7, 2021.

Lonnie was born November 27, 1941 in Royalton, Illinois. He was the son of Lonnie William Mann and Lucy (Craft) Mann.

On March 17, 1962, Lonnie was united in marriage to Ivanell Harris in Vienna, Illinois. She survives.

In addition to his wife, Lonnie is survived by: 3 sons – Lonnie Mann, Jr., Brian (Christy) Mann, and Heath (Amy) Mann; a daughter – Lynell (Chris) Watson; grandchildren – Lonnie III, Kyleigh, Mattie, Cody, Brittany, Blake, Brett, Brock, and Ky; great grandchildren – Lonnie IV, Evie, Brian, Jacob, Ivanell, Octavia, Lakota, and Aubrey; a brother – Alan (Rose) Mann; as well as many wonderful nieces and nephews. Lonnie was anticipating the birth of another great grandchild in May 2021.

In addition to his parents, Lonnie was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents, William and Nell Craft; sisters – Sara “Sally” Cheatham, JoNell Ramsey, and Debbie Mann; and a brother – Mitch Mann.

Lonnie was a graduate of Royalton High School. He worked in the masonry

industry for many years before founding Mann Masonry and Construction. Later, in 1990, Lonnie and his son Heath started Double M Campground. Following his retirement, Lonnie spent time pursuing a number of his hobbies, including woodworking. He made everything from furniture to picture frames in his shop. Lonnie was also an avid outdoorsman through the years. He enjoyed hunting, particularly hunting coons, squirrels and ducks. Lonnie also liked to fish and raise and ride horses.

In accordance with his wishes, there will be no visitation or funeral service. A memorial gathering will be held at a later date.

Tribute Wall



“ *Lonnie Lee Mann Sr.*

January 30, 2023 at 12:19 AM



“ *Ivanell and All of Lonnie's Family :*

I just recently learned of his passing. My Deepest Condolences to You and your Family !!!

It was My pleasure to take care of his oxygen needs while I was at Medicine Shoppe ! Every time I went to your house , He Always had a smile on His face ! He was always more concerned about how my day was going , than complaining about his !!! He was indeed a Special Man ! I genuinely looked forward to making my oxygen delivery to him ! Again , My Deepest Condolences to You and your Family !!!

Sincerely ,

John Maxey

John C Maxey - May 23, 2022 at 12:20 PM

MW

“ My deepest sympathies to the Mann family. No words can express the sadness I feel for you. This is a great loss and I am certain Lonnie will be dearly missed by all of you.

I know my father considered Lonnie a dear friend and enjoyed spending time with him, especially coon hunting.

I have many fond memories of our family visiting Lonnie and Ivanelle and their family when I was a child. I always enjoyed those visits.

Maybe now Lonnie and Dad are talking horses and coon hunting again!

Deepest condolences,

Mel. (Evilsizer) Whitten, DVM

Mel. Evilsizer Whitten - February 18, 2021 at 07:58 PM

YS

“ *Fond memories of Lonnie at the campground. Ron and Vetta Summers*

Yuvetta Summers - February 18, 2021 at 07:58 AM



“ *Mrs. Fields With Sympathy Combo Tin was purchased for the family of Lonnie Lee Mann Sr..*



February 12, 2021 at 12:44 PM

LH

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Lonnie was a good man, very caring, and compassionate. My husband Mike Horn worked for him for a few years. He and Ivanelle were good to us. I know he will be missed, but I also believe he will be joining Mike in Heaven as Mike passed away on October 31, 2020. They will be working buddies again, laying those blocks and bricks. My heart aches for all of you. Special prayers for Ivanelle as I know this is going to be very difficult, and also to the children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren.

Leisa A Horn - February 10, 2021 at 11:53 PM

JM

“ What a wonderful friend and next door neighbor, Lonnie was, I will truly miss him driving his 4 wheeled machine to our home a couple times a month, just to say hi,, this neighborhood will never be EXACTUALLY to same again,, Rest Peacefully my friend, I will think of you often.....

JoJo Moomey - February 09, 2021 at 09:41 PM

JF

“ Joseph Friedt lit a candle in memory of Lonnie Lee Mann Sr.



Joseph Friedt - February 09, 2021 at 07:41 PM

RW

“ *Reba Williams lit a candle in memory of Lonnie Lee Mann Sr.*



Reba Williams - February 09, 2021 at 03:43 PM

DS

“ *Lonnie was one of the most wonderful men I've ever known. Always had a smile on his face and he always had a joke to tell me. I can't begin to tell you how good Lonnie & Ivanell have been to me and my son throughout the years. Many great memories. I sure will miss him! 💕💕*

Donna Kearney Smith

Donna Smith - February 09, 2021 at 03:35 PM

SM

“ *Even though I haven't seen Lonnie in years he was always so nice and funny. I know he will be missed terribly by all of his family. My prayers are with all of you in this time of great sorrow! May god comfort you! RIP Lonnie*

Susan Mann

Susan Mann - February 09, 2021 at 03:16 PM

SR

“ My heart is very heavy with losing such a wonderful man. A man that has been such an important and impacting part of my growing years. Always a smile and kind face, a hug, and an I love you. Coon hunting, blackberry pies or getting a face scrub with a sugared rag; every moment was a memorable one. Such a wonderful sense of humor, a contagious laugh and joke to ensure your ribs to hurt. I can not begin to say how much I loved Uncle Pat, how much I love Iva Nell and my cousins. My most heart-felt sympathy, prayers, strength, and love for you all.



*Rest in Peace Uncle Pat, I love you.
Sharon Kay*

Sharon Ragland - February 09, 2021 at 02:18 PM

RW

*It's so very hard to say goodbye to someone that means and is loved so much.
Uncle Pat and Uncle Alan were such tall, loving giants to us kids when we were growing up. So much love and happy memories, a whole life time worth. I love you Aunt Ivanell, my heart is broke for you and family. My condolences and love to you all.
Rest easy Uncle Pat, I love you.
Prayers.
Rebie*

Reba Williams - February 09, 2021 at 03:41 PM

SB

“ I loved Lonnie's sense of humor. He made Double M campground a fun place to go. We camped at his campground for 23 years We had a lot of talks and fun pranks with him. My kids always loved being around him and are still excited if they happen to see him in the restaurant.

Sandy Bierman

Sandy Bierman - February 09, 2021 at 01:34 PM

CS

“ So sorry for your loss. You all are in my thoughts and prayers!

cara sidwell - February 09, 2021 at 11:44 AM

PB

“ So many memories and happy times ! I grew up with this family. Our Dads hunting and our families gathering for meals .
my heart is hurting for this beautiful family .

Patty Treadwell Brown - February 09, 2021 at 10:57 AM

TM

“ Tom & Carmen Murrie lit a candle in memory of Lonnie Lee Mann Sr.



Tom & Carmen Murrie - February 09, 2021 at 10:09 AM

B(

“ *My heart goes out to everyone. Uncle Pat was truly a amazing man*



Bethany (Buzz) - February 09, 2021 at 09:01 AM