



Ronald N. Parks

September 4, 1943 - August 11, 2022

Ronald Nath Parks, 78, died peacefully at home on the Double Heart Ranch in Pearce, AZ on August 11, 2022.

Ronny was born September 4, 1943, in Casa Grande, Arizona to Darwin and Bonnie (Kane) Parks. His parents, sister Brenda, and brother David, preceded him in death.

A tragic motor scooter accident at age 15 landed him in a full body cast for 4 months and in the hospital for just shy of a year. Throughout his years he survived 27 surgeries.

Ronny married Kay Currie in 1964. They had 3 children together. He lived in Casa Grande until 2007 when he moved to west Texas.

He lived in Big Spring, Texas until 2011 when he returned to Arizona. He married Karen Straub in 2013 and they lived on the Double Heart Ranch until his passing.

Ronny loved his family and friends, building his business (Parks Cattle Company), ice cream, old western movies, Lord Calvert whiskey and joking around with everyone. He was tough, rough, ornery and often stubborn, but he was loved and respected by many. He taught his children the value of hard

work, integrity and being honest. His favorite place to be was on the ranch with his family.

He is survived by his loving wife, Karen, and children Toby (husband Jay, son Tyler), Rhonda (husband Greg, children Trevor and Kaylee) and Darwin (wife Jocelyn, children Madison, Codey, Micayla, Cydnee, Cutter, David and Tanner), stepson Trent (wife Dawn, children Jason and Simon), and niece Sandra Rodriguez (husband Joe, children Skyler, Jason, Robert and Sierra).

Graveside services were held at Mountain View Cemetery in Casa Grande, Arizona on November 22, 2022.

Memorial services will be held at the Kambitsch Cemetery on the Double Heart Ranch 11:00 am on Saturday, May 20, 2023. With food to follow.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to your local hospice or favorite charity.

Cemetery Details

Kambitsch Cemetery

Clovis Road and Highway 181
Sunizona, AZ 85625

Previous Events

Graveside Memorial

MAY 20. 11:00 AM (MT)

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Tribute Wall



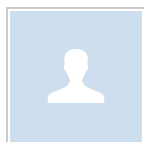
“ growing up in the maricopa/casa grand area my earliest memorys of ronny were him in a bobtail truck with a horse checking cattle he had pastured next to our house. over the years we became friends and fellow competitors in team ropeings in the old casa grand arena.when he moved to willcox we became neighbors for a while. a true gentelman and friend.

dennis williams - May 15, 2023 at 06:47 PM



“ I remember watching you washing down the pavement at a gas station, one of your first jobs. Great picture. Charles.

Charles Gould - February 07, 2023 at 01:50 PM



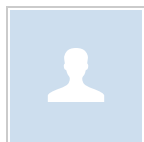
“ Ronald N. Parks

January 30, 2023 at 12:50 AM



“ My thoughts and prayers to the family. May you treasure the memories! Peace and comfort be with all of you!

LaDonna Burgess - November 19, 2022 at 12:50 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Ronald N. Parks.



November 18, 2022 at 04:22 PM

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“ A very respected man, going to be missed by many. Our deepest sympathy to Karen and family.

Chad, Carol & Dylan Case



Carol Case - October 18, 2022 at 07:59 PM

HC

“ *Hollie Corzilius lit a candle in memory of Ronald N. Parks*



Hollie Corzilius - August 14, 2022 at 02:06 PM

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“ *Such a very special man, he will be missed by many. Our deepest sympathy to Karen and family.*

Chad, Carol & Dylan Case



Carol Case - August 13, 2022 at 07:46 PM

CD

“ *Carol Dunagan lit a candle in memory of Ronald N. Parks*



Carol Dunagan - August 12, 2022 at 09:22 PM

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“ *The world lost a very good man. I loved and respected his kindness, his humor and his zest for life. Our deepest condolences to his loved ones.*



dick and cody eastman - August 12, 2022 at 10:37 AM

JM

“ *Jamie Melton lit a candle in memory of Ronald N. Parks*



Jamie Melton - August 11, 2022 at 11:24 PM