



Roy Joseph Cleveland

August 6, 1943 - February 5, 2016

Roy Joseph Cleveland passed away at age 72 on Friday, February 5, 2016 at his home in Willcox, Arizona.

Roy was born in Killam, Alberta, Canada on August 6, 1943 to Roy Sr and Olive Cleveland who predeceased him as well as three brothers and a sister. He is survived by his loving wife Linda whom he married on November 4, 1971 in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada; Daughter Monica (James) Hayes of Virginia; son Kelly Cleveland and grand daughters Savannah Clelland and Emily Cleveland of Sierra Vista; daughter Nancy (Clinton) Welch and grandchildren MacKenzie and Brady of Willcox. He is also survived by his sisters Olive Wolfram of Calgary, Alberta, Canada, Grace Walton of Stony Plain, Alberta, Canada, Harriet Monk of Ponoka, Alberta, Canada and Violet Lorenschiet of Grimshaw, Alberta, Canada.

Roy served in the Canadian Navy and retired from the Vision Oil Tool Company as a Fishing Tool Supervisor. He was a member of the Royal Canadian Legion and a member of the Willcox Elks Lodge #2131.

Memorial services will be held at the Willcox Elks Lodge 2131 at 3pm on Wednesday, Feb 10, 2016.

Services entrusted to Westlawn Chapel, Mortuary and Crematory of Willcox, Arizona. You may express condolences at www.westlawnchapelmortuary.com

Previous Events

Memorial

FEB **10**. 3:00 PM (MT)

Willcox Elks Lodge 2131
247 E. Stewart St.
Willcox, AZ 85643

Tribute Wall



“ *Roy Joseph Cleveland*

January 30, 2023 at 12:50 AM



“ *Richard And Dorothy Hoyler lit a candle in memory of Roy Joseph Cleveland*



Richard and Dorothy Hoyler - February 21, 2016 at 09:30 AM



“ *1 file added to the album New Album Name*



LaDonna Burgess - February 19, 2016 at 01:27 AM



“ *Danny and Judy Chastain*



Judy Chastain - February 11, 2016 at 07:25 AM

AF

“ I first met Roy when I interviewed him for a Job. It was a very short interview and at the time I did not know I had met a good friend for life! I knew within the first 5 minutes Roy was special, he had character , confidence and clearly made his priorities clear to me...his family. The next time I met Roy was on the roof terrace of our staff house in Luanda Angola behind some razor wire where Roy became my professor in the fine art of BBQ. I spent 2 years being mentored by Roy in the fine art of cooking various things on a BBQ Pit. He also taught me a lot about life and family , he made me laugh a lot and he set the standard for discipline and commitment when it came to work. Although we parted company after 2 years we stayed in touch and Roy brought Linda to Brazil to meet my family and I returned to Willcox to meet his lovely Family , we kept in touch for the last 13 years although now I regret not seeing him as much as we could have.

We will never forget Roy and we will stay in Touch with Roy's family, I feel very lucky to have known Roy and will miss him. I will think of him often and talk of him often and encourage other to do the same. He was a Legend!

Andy Ferguson - February 11, 2016 at 02:07 AM

NF

“ Our sincerest condolences to the family of Mr. Cleveland. Our thoughts are prayers are with you



Nita Faccio - February 10, 2016 at 07:54 PM

JG

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Jennifer Goebel - February 10, 2016 at 03:56 PM

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Jennifer Goebel - February 10, 2016 at 03:53 PM

JG

“ Jennifer Goebel lit a candle in memory of Roy Joseph Cleveland



Jennifer Goebel - February 10, 2016 at 03:50 PM



“ Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Roy Joseph Cleveland.



February 10, 2016 at 10:21 AM

ML

“ *I'm honored to have met you my friend, I enjoyed our time together.* ”



Mickey Little - February 10, 2016 at 08:39 AM

KS

“ *We are so happy to have been able to spend time with you the last 2 years. You will be missed.* ”



Karon, Mickey and Shyra - February 10, 2016 at 08:34 AM

GF

“ *Gayle and Trevor McCarthy and family purchased the Cherished Memories - All White for the family of Roy Joseph Cleveland.* ”



Gayle and Trevor McCarthy and family - February 10, 2016 at 12:46 AM

BB

“ *Barbara & Dennis Burdek lit a candle in memory of Roy Joseph Cleveland* ”



Barbara & Dennis Burdek - February 09, 2016 at 09:02 PM

TG

“ *Trevor & Gayle...Australia lit a candle in memory of Roy Joseph Cleveland*



Trevor & Gayle...Australia - February 09, 2016 at 05:59 PM

TM

“ *Trevor, Gayle McCarthy...Australia lit a candle in memory of Roy Joseph Cleveland*



Trevor, Gayle McCarthy...Australia - February 09, 2016 at 05:57 PM



“ *So glad we were able to meet this wonderful man always put a smile on your face...he exuded happiness you will be greatly missed by all who had the pleasure of knowing you...until we meet again*



Jennifer Wortman - February 09, 2016 at 04:17 PM



“ *Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers was purchased for the family of Roy Joseph Cleveland.*



February 09, 2016 at 03:56 PM

JC

“ *Joey, Dee Dee, Britt & Stacey Cagnina purchased the Eternal Memories for the family of Roy Joseph Cleveland.*



Joey, Dee Dee, Britt & Stacey Cagnina - February 09, 2016 at 03:46 PM



“ *Cherished Memories - All White was purchased for the family of Roy Joseph Cleveland.*



February 09, 2016 at 01:28 PM

RP

“ *Ron Piesik purchased the Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White for the family of Roy Joseph Cleveland.*



Ron Piesik - February 09, 2016 at 09:20 AM

KH

“ *Kevan, Vicki, Hayley, & Hayden lit a candle in memory of Roy Joseph Cleveland*



Kevan, Vicki, Hayley, & Hayden - February 09, 2016 at 08:38 AM

KH

Vicki

Kevan, Vicki, Hayley, Hayden - February 09, 2016 at 08:39 AM

LF

“ *Love always Henry Betty and Family purchased the White Sympathy Baskets for the family of Roy Joseph Cleveland.*



Love always Henry Betty and Family - February 08, 2016 at 09:28 PM

ED

“ *Esther Dixon lit a candle in memory of Roy Joseph Cleveland*



Esther Dixon - February 08, 2016 at 07:10 PM



“ *Sincerest Sorrow - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Roy Joseph Cleveland.*



February 08, 2016 at 05:18 PM

PM

“ Our deepest sympathy to the family of Roy. We have so many good memories of our days as friends together during the ostrich days in Willcox. We shared so many dinners together planning and learning about the ostrich business. So much work learning a new business, but the most important part of the ostrich business was the friends we made as we met new people moving to Willcox to share in the beginning, and sadly the end, of the business.



If the conversations became a bit dull and boring, Roy always had a way to get the mood on the upbeat side, and a few laughs along the way. He and Linda were such gracious host. We, truly, have missed the fellowship.

We pray, Linda and family, for each of you to get through this loss, and we know that with the Lord's help and guidance, you will make it.

Know that you have many friends praying for each of you, and God will be there for you.

God Bless!

Patsy and Pete McCanne

Patsy McCanne - February 07, 2016 at 08:46 PM

AT

“ Anselmo And Bertha Torres lit a candle in memory of Roy Joseph Cleveland



anselmo and bertha torres - February 07, 2016 at 05:31 PM

EV

“ *Erlinda I Valenzuela sent a virtual gift in memory of Roy Joseph Cleveland*



Erlinda I Valenzuela - February 07, 2016 at 04:11 PM

MV

“ *Michael R Valenzuela lit a candle in memory of Roy Joseph Cleveland*



Michael R Valenzuela - February 07, 2016 at 04:10 PM

SA

“ *Susan And John Arbuthnot lit a candle in memory of Roy Joseph Cleveland*



Susan and John Arbuthnot - February 07, 2016 at 02:27 PM

LX

“ *Love Olive, Michael, Jo-Anne, Rhonda & families xoxo purchased the Arms of the Angels Sympathy Basket for the family of Roy Joseph Cleveland.*



Love Olive, Michael, Jo-Anne, Rhonda & families xoxo -
February 07, 2016 at 12:56 PM



“ *Betsy Ajeman lit a candle in memory of Roy Joseph Cleveland*



Betsy Ajeman - February 06, 2016 at 12:12 PM