



Mr. Guy Ellis

October 6, 1937 - September 7, 2015

Mr. Guy Ellis, 77, of Peoria, IL; formerly of Lumberton, NC, passed away peacefully on Monday, September 7, 2015 at 7:54 PM at UnityPoint Health Methodist Hospital.

Guy was born on October 6, 1937 in Austin, TX to Barney and Edith (Moore) Ellis. He was reared in the Austin, TX school system. He attended Anderson High School then went on to spend the next 17 years enlisted in the US Army. His military tour of duty included the European Corridor and Vietnam. During his military service, he met and married Mary Kirk in 1967 at Fort Bragg in Fayetteville, NC.

Guy leaves to cherish his most precious memories his daughters, Aretha and Trena Ellis both of Lumberton, NC and Yvonda Ellis (Darian Curry) of Charlotte, NC; five step children whom he raised, Pamela Leige, Carolyn Kirk, Tarus Ellis, Toni Ellis and Korell Ellis; one brother, Frank (Bettie) Ellis of Arlington, TX and one sister, Barbara Brown of Peoria, with whom he lived; 24 grandchildren; 13 great grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and friends who adored him. Guy is preceded in death by his parents; wife; one sister and two brothers.

Guy enjoyed life and family. He will be greatly missed.

A funeral service will be held at 11 AM on Monday, September 14, 2015 at Simons Mortuary with a visitation beginning at 10 AM. Rev. Dr. Claude E. Russell, Jr., Pastor of Peoria Friendship M.B. Church, will officiate.

A memorial service will be held at 11 AM on Saturday, September 19, 2015 in

Lumberton, NC. Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements.
Online condolences may be made at simonsmortuary.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **14.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Simons Mortuary Chapel
912 W. John H. Gwynn, Jr. Ave.
Peoria, IL 61605
(309) 674-2638
info@simonsmortuary.com
<https://simonsmortuary.com>

Funeral Service

SEP **14.** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Memorial Service

SEP **19.** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Lumberton, NC
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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Guy Ellis*

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ *Mr. Guy Ellis*

January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ *The only time he ever punished me, he felt so guilty afterward. My daddy and the love of my life. Miss him so much.*



Yvonda Ellis (2nd oldest) - October 28, 2015 at 10:40 PM



“ *I real truly miss my uncle he was the best, you could always count on him*

Cheryl Dismuke - September 14, 2015 at 01:58 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mr. Guy Ellis.*



September 14, 2015 at 07:36 AM