



## Ronna Mae Fennell

September 18, 1942 - January 18, 2026

Floyd Alonzo Fennell and Ronna Mae Fennell (née Matt), longtime residents of St. Louis, Missouri, passed away just days apart in January 2026, a reflection of a lifetime spent side by side.

Ronna Mae Fennell was born on September 18, 1942, in St. Louis, Missouri, to Roland A. Matt and Ruth A. Matt (née Stark). She passed away peacefully in St. Louis on January 18, 2026. Floyd Alonzo Fennell was born in St. Louis on January 22, 1939, to Floyd J. Fennell and Ruth Fennell (née Robertson), and passed away on January 15, 2026.

Floyd and Ronna met as teenagers in high school, where a young Floyd proudly took Ronna to the prom—marking the beginning of a lifelong love and partnership. Together they built a life rooted in devotion, simplicity, and shared joys. They were blessed with one daughter, Christine Ann Fennell, who survives them and was the center of their world.

Ronna had a gentle spirit and found happiness in planting and tending to flowers, bringing beauty and color to her home. Floyd enjoyed “fiddling around” the house, taking pride in keeping everything in good order, especially the meticulously manicured lawn. He had a lifelong appreciation for antique cars, enjoyed attending car shows, and collected photographs of classic automobiles.

As a family, they treasured vacations to Branson, Missouri, creating lasting memories together. Floyd and Ronna also shared a love of going out to eat and savoring a good meal, appreciating life's everyday pleasures. Above all, they valued the simple things and lived a modest, contented life grounded in love, routine, and togetherness.

Floyd proudly served his country in the United States Navy from 1957 to 1959, stationed aboard the USS Vega, a commitment he carried with quiet pride throughout his life.

Floyd and Ronna Fennell will be remembered for their enduring love, their devotion to family, and the calm, steady life they built together. Their legacy lives on in the memories they created and the love they shared with their daughter and all who knew them.

# Cemetery Details

## Chapel Hill Mortuary - Kirkwood

10301 Big Bend Road  
Kirkwood, MO 63122  
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# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

JAN 30. 12:30 PM (CT)

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*Please meet at the Chapel Hill Mortuary parking lot to process to the graveside location.*

# Tribute Wall

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“ *I worked many years with Ronna, she had the sweetest personality, I never heard her say a mean word about anybody. As a cashier at Walmart she really had to use her patience. Heaven has a warm, comfortable spot for her and her husband. RIP Ronna*

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