



## Ronnie Freihaut

May 1, 1958 - December 4, 2019

Freihaut, Ronnie, of House Springs, Missouri was born May 1, 1958, in Saint Louis, Missouri, to Walter and Genevieve (nee Halmich) Freihaut and entered into rest, Wednesday, December 4, 2019 at the age of 61 years, 7 months and 3 days.

He is preceded in death by his parents and one brother, Stephen Freihaut.

He is survived by his lifetime companion, Joni Freihaut,

three (3) children, Justin Best of House Springs, Missouri, Jasara "Sara" Freihaut of Fenton, Missouri and John "Buck" Freihaut of House Springs, Missouri,

seven (7) grandchildren, Connor Payne, Johnny Payne, Jurnye Best, Jaxyn Best, Justyce Best, Marley Freihaut and Cash Freihaut,

two (2) siblings, Gary (Carol) Freihaut, and Jerome (Diana) Freihaut,

and many other family and friends.

Ronnie Freihaut is a name people hear and associate with a man who will be remembered for his infamous story telling, loud hearty laughter, and for being

truly like no other. He was high-spirited, always unapologetically true to himself, and a legend in his own right. He loved to socialize, he never met a stranger, and had a generous heart known to open his home to anyone in need. Ronnie embraced his country roots and was fond of the time he spent with his three brothers at their small family owned farmed. He graduated from Northwest High School where he played football, went all state, and held the state record for the most quarterback sacks. Ronnie had a skill for carpentry that lead to a successful career where he retired as a Superintendent from J.S. Alberici. Ronnie would not deny being a sinner Monday through Saturday, because he knew he would be forgiven at church on Sunday, and rarely missed Sunday mass. He would proudly admit to being a "Momma's Boy", and ironically met her at the gates of heaven on the night of her 100th birthday. Ronnie will be missed by many, but those closest to him will always be convinced that he was a Superhero whose legacy will not be forgotten.

Visitation will be held Tuesday, December 10, 2019 from 3:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. at Chapel Hill Mortuary, 6300 Hwy 30, Cedar Hill, Missouri 63016. Service Wednesday, December 11, 2019 10:00 a.m. at Chapel Hill Mortuary, 6300 Hwy 30, Cedar Hill, Missouri 63016 with the interment to follow at Our Lady Queen of Peace Cemetery Byrnesville. A luncheon will be held at Knights of Columbus in House Springs. Family and friends can review and share stories, photos and condolences online at [www.stlfuneral.com](http://www.stlfuneral.com) and follow details of this event and others in the community at [www.facebook.com/stlchapelhill](http://www.facebook.com/stlchapelhill).

# Cemetery Details

## Our Lady Queen of Peace Cemetery - St. Columbkille

Shaffrey Lane  
Byrnesville, MO 63016

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 10. 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Chapel Hill Mortuary - Cedar Hill  
6300 Highway 30  
Cedar Hill, MO 63016  
(636) 274-4100  
info@stlfuneral.com  
<https://www.stlfuneral.com>

## Service

DEC 11. 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Ronnie Freihaut*

January 06, 2023 at 10:46 PM



“ *My condolences go out to all of Ronnie's family and friends. I went to grade school with Ronnie at Our Lady Queen of Peace for 8 years we were in the same classes all day long. What shenanigans took place in our classroom of 30-32 kids all the same ages from 1st grade to 8th grade. I always liked Ronnie in fact I had a crush on him for most of those years. The one thing he did notice about me was in 6th grade he came up behind me put his hands on my shoulders and said Pat you have shoulders big enough to play football. I was mortified, at about age 12! That class gave those nuns and teachers lots of memories I am sure to talk about for years. I pray for all of you that your great memories of Ronnie give you plenty of smiles and laughs for years to come. God Bless y'all. Pat Witeka Hanson*

**Patricia Witeka Hanson** - December 13, 2019 at 12:41 PM



*If you ever see this, please know how appreciated it is you took your time to share this! 5 years later this post brings his family laughter on a day we dearly wish we could still hear his! God Bless*

**Jasara Freihaut** - December 04, 2024 at 07:47 PM



“ *Sweet dreams Ronnie will miss u and always think about u your friend and until we meet again love ya annalee*

**Annalee shreves** - December 11, 2019 at 12:51 PM

ML

“ So I have known Ronnie for 45 years. My parents moved across the street from Walter and Geneva when I was 3. Ronnie and Jerome were still at home. I remember one snow day Ronnie took Geneva to Tom Boy ( it was a grocery store where Price Chopper is). We were in Geneva's big car. I was in the back seat with a foot on each side of the hump and my arms on the front seat with my face right there. It must have been bad because there was no one out. I remembered looking at Western Auto and Ben Franklin and it was a ghost town. Ronnie came to a stop at Tom Boy. He said it looks bad hold on. Well next thing I knew I tumbled over in the backseat. Geneva was yelling at him and Ronnie was rolling with laughter. That was my first donut. It may have been that same storm where Jerome and Ronnie took us sled riding on car hoods. In summer we would have the windows open and you could hear his laugh from the backyard. Ronnie was truly one of a kind. I'm sorry for your loss.

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**Maureen Lindsey** - December 11, 2019 at 09:33 AM

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“ So sorry for your loss

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**Inez Quennoz** - December 11, 2019 at 07:00 AM

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“ So sorry to hear this news. Ronnie was great fun in High School and I will always remember his teasing, laughter and smile. Prayers for his family at this difficult time. Cindy (Davis) Putz

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**Cindy Putz** - December 11, 2019 at 05:56 AM

TC

“ One of the funnest and funniest guys I've known. High School was a long time ago, but certainly not forgotten because you were there. We had some fun times and I am so glad that I was able to see you again after so many years. Soar high my friend!! You will never be forgotten!

*Sending my sincere condolences to the family!!*

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**Terri Cook** - December 10, 2019 at 03:12 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ronnie Freihaut.*



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December 10, 2019 at 12:48 AM

MN

“ *My deepest sincere condolences to the Freiheit family. Rest in peace Ronnie.*

*Melba Nunn*

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**Melba Nunn** - December 07, 2019 at 09:23 AM