



CELEBRATING A LIFE

Graveside Service

Lakin-Comanche Cemetery
Ellinwood, Kansas
Wednesday, May 3, 2023, at 2:00 PM

Officiant

Father Terrance Klein

Special Music

"On Eagles' Wings" by Kitty Cleveland
"In the Garden" by Alan Jackson

Military Honors

Fort Riley Honor Guard

Memorial Donations

The family suggests that memorial donations be given to The Parkinson's Foundation.

Appreciation

Ron's family wishes to express their sincere appreciation for all your prayers and kindness, evidenced in thought and deed, and for your presence at this service.

Stockham Family Funeral Home



In Loving Memory
Ronald G. Cunningham
August 5, 1942 - April 26, 2023

TAPS

Day is done, gone the sun
From the lake, from the hill, from the sky.

All is well, safely rest, God is nigh.

Thanks and praise, for our days,
'Neath the sun, 'Neath the stars, 'Neath the sky.

As we go, this we know, God is nigh.

Amen.

*A Celebration of Life
Ron Cunningham*

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Courage

Ronald Gene Cunningham, 80, formerly of McPherson, KS, Ellinwood, KS, and Ohio, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, April 26, 2023, surrounded by family at Pleasant View Home, Inman. He was an agronomist, working at Ohio State University and Kansas State University in the Agriculture Department. He retired from the Army National Guard.

Ron was born on August 5, 1942, in Winfield, KS, the son of Kedric Bogue and Virginia Nadine (Barnes) Cunningham. He graduated from McPherson High School in 1960 and continued his education at Kansas State University.

He was a member of the American Legion and was also a Boy Scout leader.

On September 16, 1967, Ron was united in marriage to Mary Jo Hirsch in Ellinwood. She preceded him in death on January 30, 2022.

Survivors include: three sisters, Karen Base (Jonas) of McPherson, KS, Linda Gardner (William) of Ashland, OH, and Vicky Polreis (Gerald) of Nickerson, KS.

He was preceded in death by his parents, wife, and a brother John Cunningham.

Respect Honor

The LORD is my *Shepherd;*
I shall not want.

He maketh me
lie down in green pastures:

He leadeth me beside the still waters,
He restoreth my

soul:

He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness
for His name's sake. Yea though I walk through the
valley of the shadow of death.

*I will fear no evil:
for Thou art with me;*

Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies

Thou anointest my head with oil; My cup runneth over

Surely goodness & mercy shall follow me

all the days of my life;

And I will dwell in the house

of the LORD *forever.*

- Psalm 23

