



## Ronald Harold White

December 15, 1946 - September 25, 2022

Ronald Harold White, a resident of Noble, OK, was born on December 15, 1946 in Oklahoma City, OK to Jacqueline Fern (Smith) and Ernest Harold White. He passed away in Noble, OK on Sunday September 25, 2022 at the age of 75. He grew up attending Capital Hill schools in Oklahoma City. The family moved to Noble, Ok in 1963 where he graduated high school in 1965. After high School he joined Army Reserves and served from 1965-1968. Married Nancy Jean Blair in 1967 and worked at A.D. Blacks in Norman OK working in the parts department. He went to work for the Frisco Railroad (Which later became Burlington Northern) and took the position of fireman in 1969. He was quickly promoted to Engineer, and also served as the Local Chairman for the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers for many years. The couple lived and had 3 children in Moore ok. They moved to Noble in 1976. Ron retired from the railroad in 1995, after which he pursued a love of motorcycles. He went to work for Freedom Cycles in OKC working the parts counter. He loved working and visiting with the customers whom he made many personal friends. He suffered a severe stroke in October of 2014. Ron never regained the use of his right arm and his speech. But he remained strong very independent.

He is survived by Children-Ronnie White and wife Betsy of Noble Shannon Sawyer and husband Shawn of Sayre, OK. Brian White of Noble GrandChildren-Morgan Meason and husband Chanse Meghan Jordan and husband Bryan Landon Sawyer and wife Mercedi Logan Sawyer and wife

Courtney Matt White and wife Emily Chance Felchlin Kira Felchlin Great grandchildren-Brayden, Sophia, Mason, Makinlee Tj, Nolan, and Chase.

He was preceded in death by his second wife Terri Longfellow White: Parents Ernerst and Jacqueline White.

Visitation will be held on Thursday September 29, 2022 from 5 to 7 PM at DeArman Funeral Home in Wynnewood, OK. Services will be graveside at Oaklawn Cemetery in Wynnewood, OK on Friday September 30, 2022 at 10 AM with Jared Williams officiating.

# Cemetery Details

## Oaklawn Cemetery

Wynnewood  
Wynnewood, OK 73098

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **29**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

DeArman Funeral Home- Wynnewood  
103 E Cherokee St  
Wynnewood, OK 73098  
(405) 665-4554  
<https://www.dearmanfuneralhome.com>

## Graveside Service

SEP **30**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Oaklawn Cemetery  
Wynnewood  
Wynnewood, OK 73098

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ronald Harold White*

October 05, 2023 at 07:47 PM



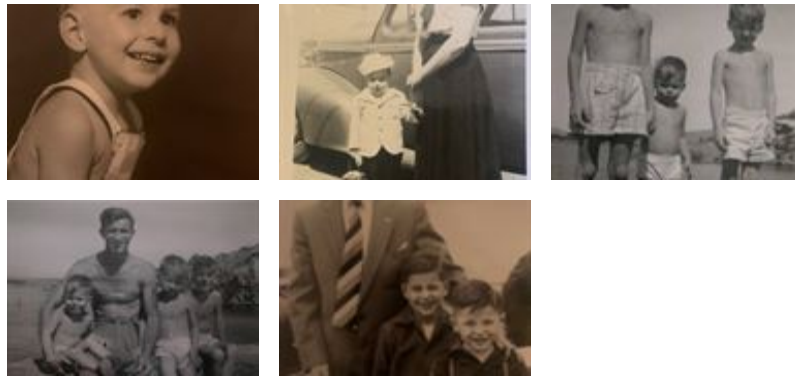
“ *Cowboy was always a dear friend and neighbor. From listening to him play guitar, to buying Harley parts from him. Later after stroke, I would see him walking and take him home. My love always brother. MC Mary. ❤️*



Mary Edwards - October 03, 2022 at 01:21 PM



“ *48 files added to the album Life Tributes*



DeArman Funeral Home - September 29, 2022 at 10:30 AM



“ *Cowboy was a good friend and a great guy. Excellent musician who loved the wind in his face. Rest in Peace my Friend. Cys later. Willie.*

Willard Edge - September 28, 2022 at 05:06 PM

MJ

“ Grandpa, I will never forget your voice saying “I love you babygirl!”  
You meant so much to me and I love you so much!



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**Meghan Jordan** - September 28, 2022 at 02:04 PM

CS

“ 3 files added to the album *Ronnie White*



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**Cathy Smith** - September 28, 2022 at 01:04 PM

JB

“ Ron was a neighbor, friend and even mentor. I credit he and his brother's band for helping inspire me to take up music. He even gave my my first electric guitar. We spent many nights visiting with the White family and it was really great to hear him and my mother sing together.

*Ron was even our Scout leader and of course we were a bit unconventional. I remember him sleeping in his tent on a reclining lawn chair. He was a great father and made things fun for all. My favorite memory is riding in his van and he'd play Freebird over and over.*

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**Jim Black** - September 27, 2022 at 09:02 PM

CS

*Cowboy, I remember when I first saw you. You were so handsome and I was a whole 8 when I met, and I don't remember if I did much but look. I am sure it did not register with anyone else. David is the one I thought was just so funny and he and my brother Steve were about the same age and they hung out together. Then Terry well he was older than me he was probably 13 and but just just weird.*

*I did not actually talk at all but you were all sitting on our sofa in line of size, and it seemed like it was after church or maybe y'all had your picture made cause all y'all but Aunt Jackie were wearing black slacks, white shirts belts and ties. Aunt Jackie looking beautiful in blue and had those little white gloves on and I believe it was a beige-ish light coat and the ever present head scarf on women back then.*

*The first time I ever actually talked to you was at your wedding.*

*It was my first wedding to see. It was formal with big ol' candelabras on either side of the front where they would stand, and a candle on a stand at every one of the pews, and they already had me, I was out past my bedtime and in candlelight pfft, I was big eyed and dreamy and that was the day I started to plan MY wedding. I was the only child that I saw there.*

*So then you come out at the front and I said "mama he is beautiful!"*

*She said no for a man you say he is handsome, so I then said he was "handsome and beautiful." He was wearing black tux pants and a white shirt, tie and jacket. I only saw something like that on Lawrence Welk or Dean Martin. I was mesmerized thru the whole thing. I feel totally inane but I have no clue what the bride looked like or her name, I wanted to stick my tongue out at her but she was pretty and all doodied up like Jackie O'.*

*I told my mother and aunt Jackie both when I grow up I am gonna marry him. Lol. Course they tried to explain cousins and canna marry, and I ignored them foolish women. The cake was good too and started my insatiable curiosity of decorating cakes.*

*Well Cowboy, I canna think of too much more to say, except I know you are basking in the arms of the family and our Lord Jesus. I am gonna miss you my handsome cousin. I love you Cowboy, see ya soon.*

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**Cathy Smith** - September 28, 2022 at 12:55 PM