



Ronald Eugene Morris

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Ronald “Ron” Eugene Morris, age 82, passed away peacefully on April 18, 2021 in his hometown of St. Petersburg, FL with family by his side. He was born September 14, 1938. He is survived by his loving wife of 52 years, Reta, daughters Dawn (Mike), Kristi (Steve), and son Ronald. Grandchildren Anthony, Zach (Rachel), Nick (Elia), Bradley, Cody, Branden, Cameron, Ronald, and Abby. Great grandchildren Miles and Ellie.

Ron was a retired “Estimator” and manager for a local construction company. He enjoyed his retirement years with the love of his life, Reta by his side where they stayed active in their community of friends playing chair volleyball, having game nights, and belonging to several clubs. He was a long-time member of the Salvation Army Church where he spent many hours volunteering as a greeter and helping out where needed.

Ron was an excellent handyman and had a passion for fishing, hunting, wood working, boating, and collecting coins and antiques. He spent many years playing his guitar and singing, much to his family’s delight. He loved getting together with friends and family playing Johnny Cash, John Denver, Merle Haggard, George Jones, and many more. The family enjoyed playing games with Ron so much, not because he excelled at games (because he rarely won), but because no matter what game it was, he would have everyone laughing uncontrollably.

Ron was a proud father of 3, grandfather of 9, and great-grandfather of 2. When his oldest grandson was old enough to talk, he dubbed his grandfather “Pops”, which Ron has been lovingly called since, by everyone in the family. He was clearly a family man who dedicated his life to his wife and children. Everyone who knew Pops loved him. His greatest joy was spending time with his family, laughing and having fun. He laughed at himself often, and when he laughed everyone around him couldn’t help but to laugh too.

He adored his wife and they were inseparable for 52 years.



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Rest in Peace sweet Pops, you will be missed beyond measure.




Events


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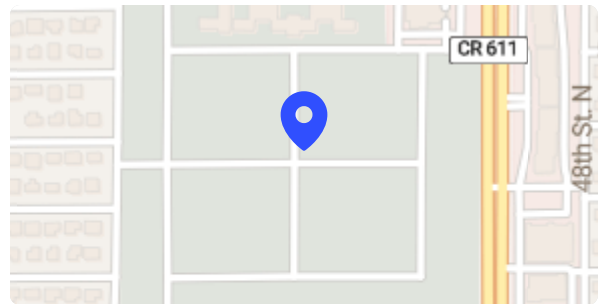
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Visitation

 **Monday**, April 26, 2021

 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET


 **Memorial Park Funeral Home and Crematory**
5750 49th Street North, St. Petersburg FL 33709

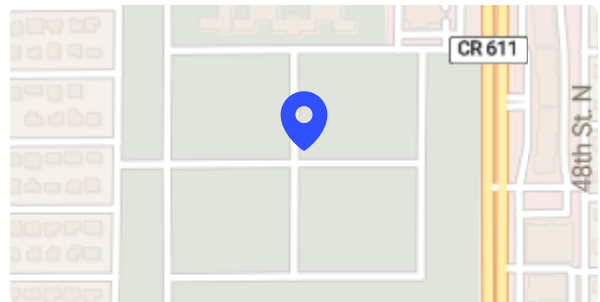


Funeral Service

 **Monday**, April 26, 2021

 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM ET


 **Memorial Park Funeral Home and Crematory**
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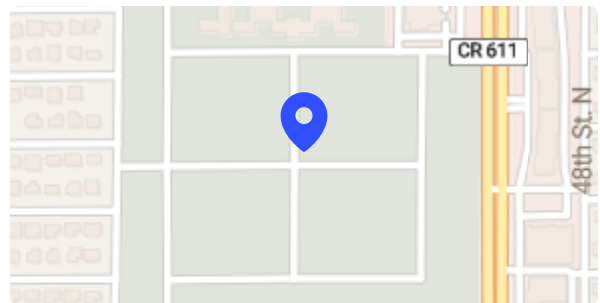


Entombment

 **Monday**, April 26, 2021

 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM ET

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Tribute Wall

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Memorial Park Funeral Home shared a **Video**.

April 21 at 5:32 AM



Vievie Baird sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Morris family.

April 23 at 7:23 AM



Anonymous sent a Crystal Cross Bouquet to the Morris family.

April 23 at 5:33 AM



Susie Salmon lit a candle in honor of Ronald.

Such a kind and gentle man he was.. Remembered always in my heart. He and your MOM were so much in LOVE, and he cherished the ground she walked on. Ron will be missed so much !!! Sympathy to the family and strength to get through this difficult time 😞...LOVE : Susie.:pray::pray::pray::pray:

April 22 at 11:46 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Morris family.

April 22 at 8:32 AM





Media

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Memorial Park Funeral Home shared a Video.

April 21 at 5:32 AM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Ronald by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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