

Reed Johnson Jr.
August 30, 1935 - June 7, 2021

Reed Johnson Jr., age 85 of Englewood, passed away on Monday, June 7, 2021. He was born in Buckhorn, KY on August 30, 1935. Reed was preceded in death by sons, Richard and Michael. He is survived by wife Carol, daughter Cynthia (Dennis Vavra) of Oviedo, FL, son Douglas. Grandchildren Ryan (Wendy), Sean of Boston, MA, Lindsay, Jonathan of AZ, and Mileah. Great grandchildren Dallas Lee, Dezmond, Darrian, Destyn, Solomon. Brother and sister in law Donald and Patty Seitzinger of Canal Winchester, Ohio and Sister in law Anna Bell of Lexington, KY.

Reed served in the U.S. Navy 8 years. Employed by Neff Folding Box Co. A member of Englewood United Methodist Church, the Kentucky Colonels, Printing House Craftsmans Club and was president for one year, The Mature American Citizens Club, Masons and American Legion Post 707 where he served as Chaplain. Most recent, The Earl Heck Senior Citizens Club where he was most happy playing bingo and cornhole with so many friends there. Reed also volunteered at Cypress Pointe, St. Mary's Hospital in LaFollette, TN. And V.P. for the MAC Club in Englewood. He was an avid fan of UK Basketball, Little League Baseball and NASCAR. In earlier years, he so enjoyed best friends Dick and Shirley Brown, Galen and Martha Dickey, Doug and Nancy Knoblock and their thirty year running card club.

A Celebration of Life will be held at 5:30 p.m. on Friday, June 25, 2021 at the Earl Heck Community Center (201 N. Main Street, Englewood). Online condolences may be made to the family at http://www.KindredFuneralHome.com

## **Events**

JUN 25	Celebration of Life	05:30PM
	Earl Heck Community Center	
	201 N. Main Street, Englewood,	OH, US, 45322

## **Comments**



Carol, Love to you and your family. I think about his health issues in the past and recall your devotion. So glad he enjoyed a long and active life. Love, Christy Amlin

Christy Amlin - June 25 at 08:57 AM



Our deepest condolences to the Johnson family and friends. I have been a Reed Johnson fan forever. I will never forget his generous support and loyal friendship to our family. His playful humor, from the "claw" to his contagious laugh. He was one of the Dads that looked after all of the kids on our street. He once picked up a model T car, that I drove off the track at Kings Island. I was too little to be driving. He saw the fear in my eyes and saved the day. It turned out to be a precursor to many creative stories of damaged Chrysler company cars, which he always seemed to think were funny. He was on to me for sure. He was a loyal friend to my father, dedicated to their friendship in the good times and in the roughest of times. I will always be grateful for his kindness and generosity. May he Rest In Peace and his memory comfort all that miss him.

Chris and Jill Brown

Chris Brown - June 24 at 09:30 PM



66 Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Reed Johnson Jr..



June 23 at 11:12 AM



Our thoughts and prayers go out to Reed's family and friends. Reed and Carol have been part of our family at the Earl Heck Center for many years now. Reed was one of the kindest people I've ever known and he is going to be dearly missed by all of us at the Heck Center.

Earl Heck - June 18 at 09:52 AM



Wow. What can I say. The last member of the Fearsome Foursome, Reed, Doug, Galen, and Vito, my Pops. That group was synonymous with our childhood. I remember summer nights listening to the Reds and running around the neighborhood. I recall card games when we were in the basement listening to the the adults hooting and hollering. I remember Reed and my Dad making the trips to drop me off and pick me up in college. I remember having a few adult beverages at the legion. He and the other guys were like second Dads to us. RIP, I know the other three have been looking for a fourth.

Thomas Brown - June 17 at 08:21 PM



Carol and family, Charlie and I were saddened to hear that Reed had passed away. We have many fond memories working with Reed at Neff Folding Box. So sorry for your loss. Kathi and Charlie Keeler

Kathi & Charlie Keeler - June 14 at 12:17 PM



Reed was truly one of the sweetest people I've ever known. I never heard an unkind word from him about anyone, ever. He was generous with the hugs and had a way of making you feel special, even when you didn't see him for long stretches of time. He will be missed until we see him again.

Joy McPherson - June 13 at 02:24 PM



Our heartfelt condolences to Carol & family for the loss of Reed. He was one of the kindest men we were blessed to know. He brought a smile to everyone he met & left our hearts a little happier with the honest love he had for people. He will be missed and I thank God for allowing Reed to cross our paths.

Sincerely, Kathie Burns & Pauline Watson

Burns Kathie - June 12 at 09:38 AM