



## Monty Ray Meredith

December 6, 1952 - July 20, 2016

Monty Ray Meredith of Waldron, Arkansas passed from this life, Wednesday, July 20, 2016 in Egypt, Arkansas. Monty was born December 6, 1952 to Silas Montaing Meredith and Della Mae (Langston) Meredith in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Monty was 63 years, 7 months and 14 days old.

Monty was well known for helping those in need. He loved to ride his Harley. He also enjoyed fishing and being on his farm and driving his tractor. He looked forward to spending time with his children and grandchildren.

Monty leaves behind to cherish his memory, son, Eric Meredith and wife Sheri of Jefferson, Arkansas and one daughter, Montessa Nikki Elkins and husband David of White Hall, Arkansas . Pappy will forever remain in the hearts of his grandchildren: Paige Meredith, Colton Meredith, Tessa Elkins, Tre Elkins, Elizabeth Roberts, Corey Roberts and Shawn Roberts. Monty will be missed by all that knew him and the many whose lives he impacted, including a host of aunts, uncles, cousins and a multitude of friends.

Monty was preceded in death by his parents, Montaing and Della Meredith.

Monty's life celebration service will be at 2:00 p.m. Monday, July 25, 2016 at the Heritage Memorial Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Rickey Hunt officiating. Interment will follow in the Birdsvew Cemetery in Waldron, Arkansas.

Arrangements are being entrusted to the Heritage Memorial Funeral Home in Waldron, Arkansas.

Monty's pallbearers will be David Doyel, Nathan Goodner, Wes Goodner, Allen Langston, Jeremy Slaten, Bubba Slaten, Dean Langston and Buddy Slaten. Honorary pallbearers will be Tom Langston Jr., BJ Langston, Charles Goodner, Raymond Taff, Ray Langston, Mike Meredith, Troney Langston.

Monty's visitation will be Sunday, July 24, 2016 at 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. at the Heritage Memorial Funeral Home in Waldron, Arkansas where Monty's family will receive friends from 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m.

The family would like to welcome friends and family to join in Monty's last ride with the motorcycle of your choice.

Monty's family will be receiving friends and visitors at 5584 Suncrest Road, Waldron, AR.

# Cemetery Details

## Birdsview Cemetery

City Lake Road  
Waldron, AR

# Previous Events

## Family Will Receive Friends

JUL 24. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Heritage Memorial Funeral Home  
1879 West 6th Street  
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## Celebration of Life

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# Tribute Wall

JW

“ *Monty Ray was a friend though school and after. I remember Monty sitting behind me on the school bus pestering me until I laughed. Monty entertained everyone on the bus. Monty Ray was unique. Heaven you gained a man with a kind heart.. Monty Ray and Jeff are probably making everyone laugh.*

jackie wright - September 05, 2016 at 11:43 AM

PS

“ *Patricia Stout lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



Patricia Stout - September 04, 2016 at 12:46 PM

PS

*RIP until we meet again!*

Patricia Stout - September 04, 2016 at 12:48 PM

MD

“ *Marianne Decker lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



marianne decker - August 20, 2016 at 10:13 AM

LM

“ Lisa McEntire lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith



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**Lisa McEntire** - July 31, 2016 at 11:29 PM

NS

“ My family will always remembered him,,after my husband pass away ,,and he will see us around town of Waldron he will make sure to talk to me and my little girl,,just to tell us how he missed coming to our house for dinner and got acquaintance with us,,and before we say bye ,,he will make sure to tell us ,,if you need any help just call me...  
Nellie, Esther and the rest of the family



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**Nellie Slater** - July 31, 2016 at 12:14 AM

JJ

“ Julie Johnson lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith



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**Julie Johnson** - July 28, 2016 at 05:12 PM

MD

“ *Mindy Doster sent a virtual gift in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



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**Mindy Doster** - July 27, 2016 at 09:16 AM

LJ

“ *I remember Monty and me riding out 80 in the 70s on our bikes, and when he was in Boles. He always had a smile you couldn't forget. I last saw him at elm park a few months back when I was with my other bike riding buddies, he had to stop and see our bikes. We talked a little about old times. Monty had the same unforgettable smile. I'll see you over there Monty., Larry Jones*

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**Larry Jones** - July 26, 2016 at 09:08 AM

DH

“ *Sorry for your loss*



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**Don Hamilton** - July 25, 2016 at 11:39 PM

BR

“ Judy's Drive In will never be the same. We are going to miss our friend-our protector. Monty Ray always made sure he stayed at night until the last one of us was safely in our car and on our way. If the weather was bad or the roads were bad, Monty Ray followed us, or drove us home. He was always helping with projects we had going on at Judy's. There are not enough words to express how much we are going to miss you Monty Ray. I'm going to miss him pulling up to the drive through window with an arm load of our coffee cups. We love you and until we get to hang out on the porch again, we will be missing you. See ya friend. From the Gang at Judy's Drive In.

Brauna Richmond - July 25, 2016 at 08:31 AM

TR

So sorry for your loss. I went high school with Monty. A nice guy.  
Teresa Scott

Teresa Scott Rodebush - July 26, 2016 at 11:47 AM

JH

“ We were sorry to hear of Monty passing away he will be greatly missed by all that knew him he would help anyone in need if he could the family is in our prayers and thoughts godbless janet, Kenneth, Jeremy and Nathan hunt



janet hunt - July 25, 2016 at 06:03 AM

MA

“ Michael Atchley lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith



michael atchley - July 25, 2016 at 05:37 AM

BA

*“ Monty was always a fun guy to be around, I always thought a lot of Monty , he was a good friend, tho I haven't seen him in years, so sad to hear of his passing. He will definitely be missed . Prayers for his family and friends*



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**Brenda Bowles Althuzius** - July 25, 2016 at 03:00 AM



*“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Monty Ray Meredith.*



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July 24, 2016 at 09:59 PM

KF

*“ I have always loved Monty... He was always the kindest and amazing man to be around.. He was always fun and loved all of us. One day when I was 8 years old he rode into Oklahoma city on his motorcycle, long hair and leathers. I just knew we were something special.. He always made sure we had fun and knew he loved us. Monty was received into heaven with his mom, dad, maw and paw.. Until we all meet again, I send my deep sorrow and love to his entire family. I am sorry for your loss..*

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**Kimberly Frost** - July 24, 2016 at 09:41 PM



“ 64 files added to the album LifeTributes



Heritage Memorial Funeral Home & Crematory - July 24, 2016 at 12:29 PM

AA

“ Beautiful solid person ! His family and friends will miss him immensely ! He was a great friend to have !

Anthony Albert - July 24, 2016 at 11:43 AM

KL

“ Kathy Stricker Langston lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith

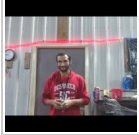


Kathy Stricker Langston - July 24, 2016 at 09:23 AM

JF

“ Monty was a friend...He was a hoot to be around. Will miss that... Monty, say hi to Jeff Earle and Hunker for me.

Joey Findley - July 24, 2016 at 09:04 AM



“ *Danielle Meyer lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



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**Danielle Meyer** - July 24, 2016 at 12:47 AM



“ *Melinda Slater lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



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**Melinda Slater** - July 23, 2016 at 09:46 PM



“ *So sorry to hear this. Me, him and Jeff Earl used to have a big time. Miss those times.*

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**Tuny Puckett Hunt** - July 23, 2016 at 09:26 PM



“ *Ralph And Lydia Butler lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



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**Ralph and Lydia Butler** - July 23, 2016 at 09:14 PM

LD

“ *Linda Angel Davis lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



Linda Angel Davis - July 23, 2016 at 08:10 PM

RL

“ *Ray and Judy Langston purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Monty Ray Meredith.*



Ray and Judy Langston - July 23, 2016 at 06:58 PM

KS

“ *Lightning a candle for Monty*



Kathy Slater - July 23, 2016 at 06:23 PM

TH

“ *Praying for all of the Family, so sorry for your loss.*



Tammy Lunsford Houston - July 23, 2016 at 05:17 PM

KI

“ *Share a memory of Monty Ray Meredith or send condolences to the family.*



Kevin & Cozette Isom - July 23, 2016 at 03:04 PM

LB

“ *Prayers to the family .Monty was an old classmate and friend for many yrs .Larry & Christine Frost-Bowles*



Larry Bowles - July 23, 2016 at 02:10 PM

MS

“ *Mr And Mrs JL Ridenhour And Sons lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



Mr and Mrs JL Ridenhour and sons - July 23, 2016 at 01:30 PM

 Teresa Brixey

“ *Teresa Brixey lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



Teresa Brixey - July 23, 2016 at 01:15 PM

KW

“ *Kim & Dearl Golden & Dee Williams purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Monty Ray Meredith.*



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**Kim & Dearl Golden & Dee Williams** - July 23, 2016 at 01:13 PM

 Misty Mitchell

“ *Monty was one of the greatest men with the biggest heart I've met. May he rest in piece.*

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**Misty Mitchell** - July 23, 2016 at 11:48 AM

FC

“ *Frances Cary lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



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**Frances Cary** - July 23, 2016 at 11:48 AM

 Bridgett Manning

“ *Bridgett Manning lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



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**Bridgett Manning** - July 23, 2016 at 11:34 AM

Nancy  
Lynch

“ Nancy Lynch lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith



Nancy Lynch - July 23, 2016 at 11:09 AM

BM

“ Monty and I was in school together he was always a card fun to be around and do anything for you. In later years we would see each other at Wal-Mart and talk. I will miss him and his smile.



Bonnie May - July 23, 2016 at 10:58 AM

LP

“ Lisa Pace lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith



Lisa pace - July 23, 2016 at 10:41 AM

OL

“ Sharron, I am very sorry to hear of Monty's death. I didn't get to know him but feel like I did from all the comments made to and about him - obviously a super nice person. Please share my condolences with the rest of your family. Love you, Oleta



Oleta Goodner Lewis - July 23, 2016 at 10:39 AM

SG

“ *Sharron Goodner lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



Sharron Goodner - July 23, 2016 at 10:34 AM

SG


*Monty and I were more like brother and sister instead of aunt and nephew. I could always count on Monty to lend a hand when I needed help. His first question was always "what do you want me to do". He will be missed beyond what words can express. RIP My family and I love you.*

Sharron Goodner - July 23, 2016 at 10:38 AM

KT

“ *Cuz I loved you like my brother, any we had some good times together, you will be greatly missed by all of my family. Love you Ken Taff and family*

Kenneth L Taff - July 23, 2016 at 10:31 AM

 Juanita  
N Greg  
Godfrey

“ *Juanita N Greg Godfrey lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



Juanita N Greg Godfrey - July 23, 2016 at 10:15 AM

BS

“ *Monty was a good friend an brother we rode a lot of miles together, we had a lot of good times*

Bub Scott - July 23, 2016 at 10:05 AM

VM

“ Vicki Metcalf lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith



Vicki Metcalf - July 23, 2016 at 09:48 AM

VM

“ Vicki Metcalf lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith



Vicki Metcalf - July 23, 2016 at 09:47 AM



“ He was a constant source of smiles when I saw him. He always talked to me like he knew me my whole life. Sometimes I couldn't understand every thing he said but due to my hearing problems and his speaking thing it was bound to lead to issues communicating. I'll not forget him. He was a blessing.



Paula Jean - July 23, 2016 at 09:30 AM

MS

“ WE LOVE YOU ,AND YOU WILL BE MISSED BY MANY ,YOU HAVE TOUCHED AND HELPED THE LIVES OF MANY ,SAVE A SPOT FOR ME IN HEAVEN AS ONE DAY I WILL BE THERE WHEN GOD IS READY FOR ME ,REST IN PEACE LOVE YOU!!

marsha stringer - July 23, 2016 at 09:19 AM

CA

“ My heart goes out to Eric,Nicky and the rest of the family. I never knew Monty but his children is a testament to the kind of Father he was, Always giving and ready to help at a moments notice. My husband JR and I will be praying for the family during this time of sorrow.



Carrol Ashcraft - July 23, 2016 at 08:56 AM

SM

“ I'll never forget Monty Ray's spunk for life. If you was around him you was having a good time.. He was there for my wedding with his big ole camera around his neck dressed all in black.. He knew something I didn't lol.. RIP Cuz.. love you..

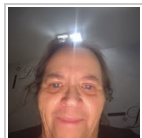
Stacia Meredith - July 23, 2016 at 08:10 AM



“ He was a good person. He did a lot 4 my family. He got my husband out of a lot of trouble. He will be missed. What a shocker. He done a lot 4 a lot of people all over Arkansas. RIP MONTY



Crystal Gleason - July 23, 2016 at 07:36 AM



“ R.I.P. Monty you was and always will be one of a kind.



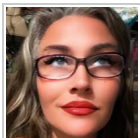
Loretta Murray - July 23, 2016 at 04:12 AM

MA

“ *Monty you will be missed by many Family Members & Friends, RIP Monty Will Miss You*



Marilyn - July 23, 2016 at 01:28 AM



“ *Always there when people needed you the most. The time never mattered. You truly will be missed. Sending prayers to your loved ones. Until we meet again RIP*



April Rasdon - July 22, 2016 at 11:54 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Monty Ray Meredith.*



July 22, 2016 at 11:16 PM

SY

“ *Our thoughts & prayers are with you all.  
Jake Helms  
Joey, Stacy & Zach Yarbrough*



Stacy Yarbrough - July 22, 2016 at 10:13 PM

BZ

“ *Billy And Cassie Zimmer lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



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**Billy and Cassie Zimmer** - July 22, 2016 at 10:09 PM

SS

“ *Oh so heartbroken!! Always there when I needed him!! So lost right now!! Prayers for Nikki and Eric!! Love you all!! RIP my sweet cousin! Ur ride is over! Love always!*



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**sherry slaten** - July 22, 2016 at 10:07 PM

SS

“ *Prayers for your family! So sorry...for your families loss! Michael and Shanna Smith*

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**Shanna Smith** - July 22, 2016 at 09:57 PM



“ *Monty you will be greatly missed you were always there when I need a friend. I can't belive your gone.my prays go out to your family in this time of need. RIP*

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**Melissa Heinrich** - July 22, 2016 at 09:35 PM

SW

“ Shirley Watkins lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith



Shirley Watkins - July 22, 2016 at 09:21 PM

TA

“ Teresa Ashlock lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith



Teresa Ashlock - July 22, 2016 at 09:12 PM

TA

“ Wow...such a sweetheart! Always had kind words for my family and myself. I'll miss you my friend..Teresa & kendel

Teresa Ashlock - July 22, 2016 at 09:08 PM

SE

“ Sue Essman lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith



sue essman - July 22, 2016 at 08:42 PM

TC

“ *Sad to hear this! Monty was always a good friend to me! He will be missed by many people, especially the Class of '71!!!*



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**Teresa Culpepper** - July 22, 2016 at 08:10 PM

CW

“ *Will miss my friend. Lot of memories. It is time to rest now. You always tried to take care of the world. Love you always buddy nothing will ever be the same again without you.*



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**Connie Weaver** - July 22, 2016 at 08:10 PM

VM

“ *I've known Monty Ray and his family all my life. As I got older we didn't go around them as much but I don't care if it was months or years in between the times that we saw each other; Monty would always greet me with a smile and a hug. I will always remember Monty as being a good friend. R.I.P my friend.*



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**Vicki (Cox) Mason** - July 22, 2016 at 07:59 PM

DD

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. Monty was a nice man, always friendly and respectful when I would run into him. In my prayers.*



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**Darla Dozier** - July 22, 2016 at 07:52 PM

PW

“ *Paula Ward lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



Paula ward - July 22, 2016 at 07:26 PM

SL

“ *Shawnda Lister lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



Shawnda Lister - July 22, 2016 at 07:23 PM

RB

“ *He was a Great man an Friend to all!!He will be missed by all.*

Richard Bard - July 22, 2016 at 07:13 PM

JH

“ *James Harvey lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



James harvey - July 22, 2016 at 07:04 PM

LK

“*Monty and I go WAY, WAY BACK. We really became acquainted when I was in junior high. He and I were in band together. He always looked out for me like a big brother. He called me "Little Reggie." He always greeted me and , I'm sure everyone, with a big smile. He had a special place in my heart and I have sweet memories of happy laughter times with him.*

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**Lisa Kennedy** - July 22, 2016 at 07:01 PM

Mary Hattabaug

“*Mary Hattabaug lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



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**Mary Hattabaug** - July 22, 2016 at 07:01 PM

TT

“*Monty was a good friend for many years. He will be missed by all of us. Prayers for his family.*



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**Thurston & Beth Tinder** - July 22, 2016 at 06:58 PM

JN

“*John Napier lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith*



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**John napier** - July 22, 2016 at 06:57 PM

AE

“ So sad to hear this . Just saw Monty on Sunday as he stopped to see if I needed a ride as I was walking for exercise. He was also a classmate of mind from 1971. He will be missed by many. God bless your family.

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**arlene english** - July 22, 2016 at 06:52 PM

 Brandy Brown

“ Brandy Brown lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith



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**Brandy Brown** - July 22, 2016 at 06:51 PM

SS

“ Shannon Slater lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith



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**Shannon Slater** - July 22, 2016 at 06:48 PM

MB

“ Monty will be missed by all that knew him. He was a great man. Prayers are with the whole family



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**Mae Byford** - July 22, 2016 at 06:48 PM

Mae Vincent

“ He was a very good person an a great friend, we will miss you Tommy (Cajun) Leleux & Mae Vincent



Mae Vincent - July 22, 2016 at 06:43 PM

Misty Isom Passmore

“ Misty Isom Passmore lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith



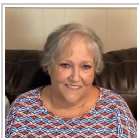
Misty Isom Passmore - July 22, 2016 at 06:16 PM

CC

“ Cindy Claunts lit a candle in memory of Monty Ray Meredith



Cindy Claunts - July 22, 2016 at 05:33 PM



“ I have been friends with Monty all my life and he was a great guy. Praying for his family and friends at this sad time. You will be missed by many!  
Love & Prayers, Cathy Waganer Sandifer and Family



Cathy Sandifer - July 22, 2016 at 03:28 PM