



## Ronald L. Anderson

GERMANTOWN HILLS - Ronald L. Anderson, 64, of Germantown Hills, IL, passed away at 7 a.m. on Tuesday, January 2, 2018, at his home.

He was born on April 23, 1953, to Clarence L. and Geneva (Williamson) Anderson in Peoria, IL. He married Jeanette Virgil on March 5, 1983, in Tazewell County. Surviving are his wife; one son, Caleb L. (Colleen) Anderson of Germantown Hills; one daughter, Elizabeth Anderson of Germantown Hills; one sister, Kay (Jim) Druin of East Peoria; five brothers-in-law; three sisters-in-law; sixteen nieces and nephews; and several great-nieces and great-nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother, Jay Anderson; and mother and father inlaw, Valarie and Eugene Virgil.

Ron was a sales manager in grocery retail and wholesale in Peoria for 37 years, retiring in 2012.

He was a member of Faith Evangelical Free Church in Metamora, where he was a Deacon, Sunday School teacher and nursery worker. He was a volunteer softball, baseball, basketball and soccer coach for his children, as well as Assistant Cub Scout Pack leader. Ron was a wonderful Christian man who loved his wife and spending time with his family and his dogs. He loved Jesus and walked in His footsteps every day. Ron loved to study the Bible, play guitar, watch the Los Angeles Dodgers and play video games. He lived a life of service to God and to his friends and family. He welcomed all people into his life, never judging, only offering support and love. His patience, kindness, calming presence and giving heart will be missed by all who knew him.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, January 6, 2018, at Faith Evangelical Free Church in Metamora, with Pastor Dan Leman officiating. Visitation will be held from 4 to 7 p.m. on Friday, January 5, 2018, at Mason Funeral Home Germantown Hills Chapel. Cremation rites will be accorded after his service.

Memorials may be given to Faith Evangelical Free Church, 1337 Lourdes Road, Metamora, IL 61548; or the American Cancer Society, Central Illinois Chapter, 4234 North Knoxville Avenue, Suite B, Peoria, IL 61614. Online condolences at [www.masonfuneralhomes.com](http://www.masonfuneralhomes.com).

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