

## **Ronald Lee McNeer**

**July 28, 1950 – July 6, 2010**

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QUINTON, Va. — Ronald Lee McNeer, 59, formerly of Forest Hill, passed away unexpectedly Tuesday, July 6, 2010, at the home of his mother after a year's battle with heart disease.

Born July 28, 1950, at Hinton, he was the son of Betty Jo Young McNeer of Forest Hill and the late Alfred McNeer.

He lived in the Richmond, Va. area for the past 36 years. He served four years in the U.S. Air Force. Following the service Ron worked as an electronic technician/consultant. Besides his father, Ron was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents, Theodore Dewey and Thelma Keadle Young; his paternal grandparents, Edgar Lake and Blanche Shumate McNeer.

Besides his mother, other survivors include his wife of 37 years, Lavonna Pack McNeer; a daughter, Kristi McNeer Hammond and husband, Corey of Richmond, Va.; a son, Lt. Stacy McNeer with the US Coast Guard in Corpus Christi, Texas; and one grandson, Tyler McNeer. Also surviving are a brother, Richard McNeer and wife, Debra of Richmond, Va.; four sisters, Rhonda Dryden and husband, Chuck of True, W.Va., Rodetta Cook and husband, Ron of Leesburg, Fla., Rose Courtney and husband, George of Charlotte, N.C. and Robin Cantley and husband, Ron of Ballard, W.Va.; several aunts, nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends at the River Valley Baptist Church at Forest Hill on Thursday, July 8, 2010 from 5 to 7 p.m. A celebration of Ron's life will follow at 7 p.m. with Ron Cook officiating. At Ron's request his body will be cremated.

In lieu of flowers, the family request donations be made to the Gideon International.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at [pivontfuneralhome.com](http://pivontfuneralhome.com)

Arrangements by Pivont Funeral Home, 100 Park Ave., Hinton, W.Va.