

## Mr. Richard Lynn Philpot

February 9, 1960 - November 18, 2020

Richard Lynn Philpot, 60, of Mena, Arkansas died on Wednesday, November 18, 2020 in Mena, Arkansas.

He was born February 9, 1960 to Leon Philpot and Jeannie Gann.

Richard loved to watch Razorback and Bearcat sports, collecting cowboy hats, and above all else, WWE wrestling.

He is survived by his parents, Leon and Monta Philpot, Jeannie Gann, and Buddy and Sue Bean; brother, David Philpot and wife Bernice; sisters, Kim Hurst and husband Danny, Shelly Ward and husband Dane, Heather Barron and husband John David; grandmother, Vera Gann and special friend, Ed McCormick.. He is preceded in death by his grandparents, Walter and Gracie Philpot, and Nolan Gann.

Honorary Pallbearers are Greg Philpot, Levi Romine, Adam Hurst, Mark Hurst, Tyler Hurst, Austin Hurst, Alex Hurst, Dexter Ward, Peyton Barron and Drew Barron. Graveside service will be Friday, November 20, 2020 at 10:00 a.m. at Cherry Hill Cemetery under the direction of Beasley-Wood Funeral Home.

Visitation will be 6:00 p.m.-8 p.m. Thursday, November 19, 2020 at the funeral home.

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**Cherry HIII Cemetery** 

Cherry Hill, AR,

## **Events**

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Graveside 10:00AM

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## Comments



Man, I just found out about Richard. I'm so sorry for his loss. May God Bless you! Even though I no longer live in Mena, I will always be a Bearcat. It gives me goosebumps just thinking of Richard shaking my hand and telling me good luck before we started every football game. Richard was the Light in "Friday Night lights" at Boyd stadium. RIP sir, you will not be forgotten!!

Torrey Mawk - December 07, 2020 at 03:36 PM



I made a great friend when I was rehabbing in 2018 (I couldn't walk). O the fun I had visiting with him especially on sat mornings after I left rmnr. I deal rewarded I'll always remember those special Times!!

Edward Mccormick - November 21, 2020 at 03:02 PM



Richie and I grew up together
Playing in the park as children as we where in vacation bible school
I would hold his hand and we would cross the street to the park
Both of us never forgot those times

I enjoyed seeing him as I would go visit my mother and he would be waiting to say hi

One day soon when we get there he will hold my hand and help me cross over the golden streets

Darla Wiles Martel

Darla Martel - November 20, 2020 at 11:00 PM



Praying for the family. There was never a dull moment when Richard was around. Everyday when I went to see my Mother, Richard and I discussed the Hogs and the Bearcats. I promised him a peacock feather for his cowboy hat but I never got it there. We will miss you Richard.

Donna Hendricks

Donna Hendricks - November 20, 2020 at 07:12 PM



We are so sorry to hear of your loss! I admired Richard's can do attitude and independence in spite of his physical drawbacks. May God receive his soul in heaven and give you comfort and peace. Becky

Becky Parker - November 20, 2020 at 05:16 PM



I had the privilege of caring for Richard and enjoyed a special relationship with him. He liked to be called cowboy when he was wearing his hat and often we would visit and share a soda in the dining room. Richard never let his infirmity direct his life and we often went on road trips with other residents. Rest In Peace Richard. Donald J Fortunato Sr

Donald "Donny" J Fortunato Sr - November 20, 2020 at 01:14 PM



I met Richard while I was in nursing home, ok ne day in cafeteria I was setting by myself in corner as he was entering he saw my John Deere hat after that we were together every meal I left after 5 weeks able to walk. I went back most every Saturday and other days to c him. His birthday was a blast! Wish I spent more time with him. Cya in next life cowboy I'll bring u a nother hat

Edward Mccormick - November 21, 2020 at 06:33 AM



Love and sympathy to Leon and Monta Philpot and other family members in the passing of Richard. Bill and I are so very sorry for your loss.

Flora/Bill McChristian - November 19, 2020 at 06:44 PM



Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Richard Lynn Philpot.



November 19, 2020 at 09:48 AM