



Ronald E. Keener

May 8, 1948 - April 15, 2024

Ronald Edwin Keener, 75, went home to be with his Lord and Savior, Jesus, peacefully, surrounded by family, on Monday, April 15, 2024, at Myrtle Beach Grove, in Myrtle Beach, SC.

Ronald "Ed" was born on May 8, 1948, in Fairmont, West Virginia, to the late Willie "Bill" Keener and Mary Ruth Fletcher Keener. He is predeceased by 3 brothers and 6 sisters: Kathleen Kaddel Keener, William Clifton Keener, Owen Eugene Keener, Mary Louise McCourt (Otha), Wannalee Vandergrift (Denzil), Betty Lucille Harbert (Steve), Nelda Marie Rush (Delbert), Myrtle Belle Sloan (Charles), and Conley Keener. He is survived by his sister, Rosaleen Ethel Heil (Jack) of Wheeling, WV, as well as many nieces and nephews.

He is also survived by his wife of 55 years, Andrea Ellyn Reed Keener of Myrtle Beach, SC, his daughter Kelly Anne Jordan (Steve) of Conway, SC, his daughter Rebecca Ellyn Toomey (Pat) of Longs, SC, his 4 grandchildren, Stephen Jordan II (Kayla) of Anderson, SC, Patrick Toomey II of Longs, SC, Katelyn Mintz (Ben) of Greer, SC and Macayla Roth (Deven) of Longs, SC, as well as one great granddaughter, Josephine Jordan of Anderson, SC.

Ed worked for over 30 years as a millwright in Barberton, Ohio, where he retired from Babcock & Wilcox corporation.

Ed enjoyed fishing, hunting, working on cars, growing a garden and spending time with family. He was a devoted and faithful husband, father, son, brother, uncle and friend. His grandchildren knew him as "Papaw" and they loved and appreciated him very much.

Ed was always willing to lend a helping hand. He was loved and will be missed by all who knew him.

A memorial service will be held at a later date.

In lieu of flowers or donations, please consider sharing a happy memory of Ed with his family.

Condolences and memories may be sent to the Keener family at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com or c/o Goldfinch Funeral Home 606-610 Beaty Street Conway, SC 29526. Please include the name of the deceased on the condolence.