



Charles Rodney Ellis

September 14, 1936 - January 13, 2021

Mr. Charles Rodney Ellis, 84, of Wynne, died on Wednesday, January 13, 2021, at CrossRidge Community Hospital.

Rodney was born on September 14, 1936, in Wynne, Arkansas, to the late Uliss Ellis and Mabel Hamrick Ellis. He married Lillian Roberts in 1954 and they raised one son, Roger. He owned several Sonic franchises in Tennessee and Kentucky. After retirement they returned to Wynne. He was a member of the First Assembly of God in Wynne.

Rodney is survived by his wife of 66 years, Lillian Roberts Ellis of the home, son, Dr. Roger Ellis of Wynne, sister, and Jolene Etheridge of Wynne.

Visitation will be held on Saturday, January 16, 2021, at Kernodle Funeral Home from 12 to 1 PM. Funeral services will follow at 1 PM with Rev. Matt Hodges officiating. Burial will be in Harris Chapel Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Assembly of God Building Fund.

Arkansas Department of Health guidelines for COVID-19, states that face coverings are required for any indoor gatherings, please always maintain social distancing. Thank you for your kindness and cooperation in following these guidelines.

Cemetery Details

Harris Chapel Cemetery

Wynne, AR 72396

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 16. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Kernodle Funeral Home
315-325 E. Union Avenue
Wynne, AR 72396
(870) 238-2323
kernodlefuneralhome@gmail.com
<https://www.kernodlefh.com/>

Funeral service

JAN 16. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Interment

JAN 16 (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Rodney was my employer at Sonic for 16 years. I didn't realize it until i moved to different jobs how much of a true mentor he and Lillian were to me. They instilled a great work in my hands and in my heart and that has never left me. My heart is broke for him to leave this world but I know he is rejoicing in Heaven and our Sonic family will meet up again some day. Love you Miss Lillian

Kristie Talley - January 15, 2021 at 09:45 PM