



## Ronald Ogden Bowers

February 20, 1945 - January 18, 2022

The staff at Heishman Funeral Home Inc. send condolences to the family of Ronald Ogden Bowers.

Ronald Ogden Bowers, 76, of Woodstock, passed away Tuesday, January 18, 2022, at Shenandoah Memorial Hospital in Woodstock. A graveside service with military honors by Edinburg VFW Post#2447, will be held Saturday, January 22, 2022, at 2:00 p.m. at Cedarwood Cemetery in Edinburg. Pastor Beverly Funkhouser will officiate. The family will receive friends Friday from 6-8 p.m. at Valley Funeral Service in Edinburg.

Mr. Bowers was born February 20, 1945, in Arlington, VA., son of the late Albert Ogden Bowers and Imogene Foltz Bowers. He was a 1963 graduate of Central High School and a 1972 graduate of Lord Fairfax Community College where he earned a degree in Business Management and Applied Sciences. He was an army veteran and formerly worked for the unemployment commission and retired in 2003 as a soil scientist for the Shenandoah County Health Department. He was a member of Woodstock American Legion Post#199, Edinburg VFW Post#2447 and past president of the Skyline Street Rods.

He is survived by his wife, Bonnie Miller Bowers whom he married on November 1, 1982; daughter, Crystal Bowers Eye and husband, Michael of Maurertown; stepson, Richard Funkhouser and wife Teresa of Toms Brook; brother, Donald R. Bowers and wife Janet of Edinburg; sister, Carolyn Huether

and husband Charles of Greer, SC; three grandchildren, Carter Ogden Eye, Briar Rhodes Eye and Emory Miller Eye; step granddaughter, Leslie Funkhouser Hawkins and husband Zachary; step great granddaughter, Hollis Hawkins; two nephews, Jeff and Tim Bowers and niece, Rebecca Shepherd. Family would like to send a special thank you to his loyal confidant, Robert S. "Pee Pee" Mowery.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Shenandoah County Animal Shelter, 268 Landfill Rd., Edinburg, VA 22824.

Ronnie loved classic cars, specifically 1955-1957 Chevy's. He could easily be found enjoying his weekend at local car shows and flea markets or spending time "tinkering" in his garage. He also enjoyed daily trips to Wal-Mart, a good joke, and a good bargain; as he often said, "my name's Jimmy, I'll take anything ya give me". He will be missed greatly by family, friends, and especially his four-legged furry friends.

Online condolences may be left at [www.valleyfs.com](http://www.valleyfs.com)

Arrangements by Heishman Funeral Home Inc., Valley Funeral Service Branch, Edinburg

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **21**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Valley Funeral Service  
14116 South Middle Road  
Edinburg, VA 22824  
(540) 984-3700  
secretary.valleyfs@yahoo.com  
<https://www.valleyfs.com>

## Graveside Service

JAN **22**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Cedarwood Cemetery  
214 S. Main St  
Edinburg, VA 22824

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ronald Ogden Bowers*

January 30, 2023 at 03:03 AM



“ *Ronald Ogden Bowers*

January 30, 2023 at 12:44 AM



“ *Godspeed Ronnie O.*



Rebecca Zirkle - January 25, 2022 at 09:45 AM



“ *I just want all to know how deeply saddened we were on the loss of Ronnie Bowers. We were very close and proud to call him as friend and will miss him very much. We are feeling the pain and sorrow at this difficult time. Ronnie is in Heaven now and as most who knew him, he is probably running around up there looking for a 1955 Chevy to buy. Robert (Peepie) & Virginia Mowery*



Robert S. Mowery - January 24, 2022 at 10:44 AM

BL

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Becky Lytton - January 23, 2022 at 12:07 PM

GG

“ Bonnie and family, we send love and prayers at this difficult time. Ronnie was a special man who will be greatly missed.

Gary and Margaret Good - January 20, 2022 at 07:23 PM

GF

“ Our sincere condolences to the Bowers family. Ronnie was a great and close friend of ours. He will be sadly missed. From Gary Rhinehart, Sr. (Pee Wee) and Frances.

Gary (Pee Wee) Rhinehart and Frances. - January 20, 2022 at 04:00 PM

JH

“ Such a great man and will be miss by many. He certainly did enjoy his cars and I was lucky enough to actually drive them. I definitely will cherish the moment we spent laughing on our trips the the auctions for Edinburg Motors. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Joshua Helsley - January 20, 2022 at 01:20 PM



“ Thoughts and prayers to the entire family. Enjoyed talking to him at the car shows

Kevin Windle - January 19, 2022 at 09:06 PM

MC

“ Our thoughts and prayers to all the family. Donnie sorry for the loss of your brother our thoughts and prayers are with you.

*James & Margie Conner*

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**Margie Conner** - January 19, 2022 at 07:20 PM

LS

So sorry to hear of this very sad news. Please know our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this difficult time. He surely will be missed by so many. 🙏🙏

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**Larry and Peggy Sue Stickley** - January 20, 2022 at 04:25 PM

NK

My deepest Condolences to a long time friend, R.I.P. Ronnie.

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**Nelson Keller** - January 25, 2022 at 12:05 AM

JF

“ Our Sincere condolences to the family and our street rod friends of The Skyline Street Rods club

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**Jack & Darlene Fulk** - January 19, 2022 at 06:49 PM