



Richard Cary Temple

June 24, 1946 - November 11, 2023

Richard Cary Temple, 77, of Gentry, Arkansas died November 11, 2023, in Fayetteville, Arkansas. He was born on June 24, 1946, to Eugene Temple and Pauline Temple in Warroad, Minnesota. Richard married Wilai Sangchart on October 20, 1968, in Thailand. He enjoyed tinkering, and spending time with his grandchildren. Richard worked at McKee Foods Co. in Gentry, Arkansas for several years and retired in 2013.

He was preceded in death by his parents, and his four siblings, Rosie Brown, Alvin Temple, Dale Temple, and Gary Temple.

He is survived by his wife Wilai Temple of the home; son, Tim Temple and wife Yvonne of Gentry, Arkansas; daughter, Tammy Temple Barringer of Rogers, Arkansas; and two grandchildren, Conner Barringer and Madison Barringer.

A memorial service will be held 2:00 p.m. Friday, November 17, 2023, at Wasson Funeral Home in Siloam Springs, Arkansas.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

NOV 17. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Richard Cary Temple.



November 16, 2023 at 11:16 PM



“ The Ridenhour Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Richard Cary Temple.

The Ridenhour Family - November 16, 2023 at 11:16 PM



“ Your brothers and sisters Local IBEW 386 planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Richard Cary Temple.

Your brothers and sisters Local IBEW 386 - November 15, 2023 at 11:08 AM



“ White Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Richard Cary Temple.



November 15, 2023 at 11:08 AM

FF

“ I worked with Richard at McKee for many years. We had some good conversations. So sorry for your loss. May God comfort you in this difficult time.

Flora Forrest - November 13, 2023 at 03:32 PM

MC

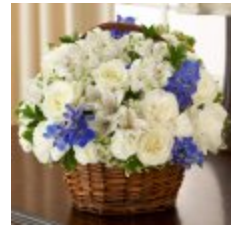
“ Mark Cantrell lit a candle in memory of Richard Temple



Mark Cantrell - November 13, 2023 at 02:30 PM

AA

“ Adair Dental Arts purchased the Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White for the family of Richard Cary Temple.



Adair Dental Arts - November 13, 2023 at 11:22 AM

PC

“ So many fond memories of working with and learning from Richard. Along with his smile and laugh, I miss our friendship.”

Philip Cameron - November 13, 2023 at 08:59 AM

JB

Richard was a great electrician/oven mechanic. I miss his smile and wit. I am thankful that I got to know him and I pray for your family during this time.

jim Barnes - November 15, 2023 at 05:31 PM

MW

I met Richard in 1968 at Udorn AFB, Thailand. We were in Electronic Warfare, responsible for maintaining the equipment used on the F-4 fighter and reconnaissance aircraft to "jam" SAM missiles and AAA. We became good friends and wound up working on different shifts. He was one of two people that I trusted to do the job right. If he told me the equipment was ready to go I knew it was ready. After our military days were over we worked together once again. He was one of the most trustworthy people that I have ever known. My condolences to the family. I know that his passing has left a huge void.

Mack Williams - November 15, 2023 at 09:49 PM

JE

I worked with Richard at Mckees and he was sure a fine fellow. God bless his family

Jack England - November 17, 2023 at 06:30 PM