

"I'll Fly Away"

*Some glad morning when this life is o'er
I'll fly away
To a home on God's celestial shore
I'll fly away (I'll fly away)*

*I'll fly away, oh glory
I'll fly away (In the morning)
When I die, Hallelujah, by and by
I'll fly away (I'll fly away)*

*When the shadows of this life have gone
I'll fly away
Like a bird from prison bars has flown
I'll fly away (I'll fly away)*

*I'll fly away, oh glory
I'll fly away (In the morning)
When I die, Hallelujah, by and by
I'll fly away (I'll fly away)*

*Just a few more weary days and then
I'll fly away
To a land where joy shall never end
I'll fly away (I'll fly away)*



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Obituary

Mr. Ronald Winfred "Ronnie" Grimes, 77, of Pulliam Mill Road, Dewy Rose, husband of Michele Joan "Mickey" Grimes, passed away on Wednesday, May 13, 2026, at his residence.

"Let Me Go"

When I come to the end of the road
and the sun has set for me,
I want no rites in a gloom-filled room;
Why cry for a soul set free?

Miss me a little, but not for long,
and not with your head bowed low.
Remember the love we once shared,
miss me, but let me go.

For this is a journey we all must take,
and each must go it alone.
It's all part of the Master's plan,
a step on the road to home.

When you are lonely and sick at heart,
Go to the friends we know.
Bury your sorrows in doing good deeds,
miss me, but let me go.

-Christina Rossetti

Ronnie was born in Elberton on April 23, 1949, and was a 1968 graduate of Elbert County High School. He was a stone cutter having retired from King's Monument Company. Ronnie enjoyed hunting and fishing, and never missed an opportunity to enjoy a good yard sale. He loved riding motorcycles and playing guitar and making music.

Surviving, in addition to his wife Mickey, to whom he was married on December 13, 1969, are his children: Tami (Johnny) Berryman of Canon and Billy (Crystal Dye) Grimes of Elberton; sister, Tricia (Eddie) Grizzle of Elberton; grandchildren: Kyle Campbell, Chelsea (Brent) Driscoll, Mackenzi (Kyle) Rosier, Brody Grimes, Brittin Grimes, and Briar Grimes; and great-grandchildren: Bailey, Dawson, Maverick, Hudson, and Madilyn.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Billy Matthew Grimes and Naomi Ruth Smith Grimes.

A time of visitation celebrating Ronnie's life will be held on Sunday, May 17, from 2:00p.m. until 4:00p.m. at Berry Funeral Home. Burial will be in Elmhurst Cemetery at a later date.

Those wishing may sign the online guestbook at berryfh.com.

Berry Funeral Home & Crematory of Elberton is respectfully in charge of arrangements for Mr. Ronald Winfred "Ronnie" Grimes.

