



Ronald "Mack" Lee Sturm

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Ronald Lee “Mack” Sturm, born in Morristown, Tennessee on October 26, 1955, entered eternal rest on May 11, 2025 at the age of 69. He was a beloved husband, father, grandfather, great grandfather, and proud Army veteran and was surrounded by his loved ones at his home in Anacoco, Louisiana.

Mack served his country proudly and honorably in the United States Army. He was awarded the distinguished Silver Star for his exceptional heroism during the Gulf War (Desert Storm). He retired after 23 plus years as SFC. Following his military service, he began a 20 year career with Wampold Companies where he continued to serve his community.

Mack enjoyed traveling with his wife and family and was fortunate to see countries all over the world. He loved fishing and Tennessee Volunteer football. He most enjoyed the simple joys of life where he truly found happiness—especially in the time he spent with his children and grandchildren. Those moments meant everything to him, and his grandchildren will forever cherish those peaceful, joy-filled days with pawpaw.

He was preceded in death by James Dewey Sturm, father; Mary Ruth Bear, mother; Edward Wayne Sturm, brother; Lisa Kay Sturm, sister; Sawyer Hayes, great grandson

He is survived by his wife of 25 years, Billie Sturm; Sons, Ronald Lee Sturm, Jr. (Shelly) and James Edward Sturm (Shirlee); Daughters, Jessica Marie Sturm and Ceceilia Montiel; Stepchildren, Jackie Garrett (Joe) and Brian Rachal; Grandchildren, Timothy Reeks (Jenna), Nicholas Rachal, Zackery Rusmisl, Taylor Reese (Caleb), Koby Garrett (Saidee), Riley Montiel, Emma Rachal, Hunter Rachal, Haley O’Banion, Peyton Sturm, Sydnee Sturm, Kyndal Montiel, Hudson Montiel, Kimoni Sturm, Keenan Sturm; and 5 Great Grandchildren.

Pallbearers: Timothy Reeks, Nicholas Rachal, Zackery Rusmisl, Koby Garrett, Caleb Reese, Hunter Rachal, Peyton Sturm, Hudson Montiel



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Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, May 14, 2025 12:00 P.M. at Labby Memorial Funeral Home in Leesville. Burial will follow at 1:30 P.M. at the Central Louisiana Veterans Cemetery in Leesville. Visitation will be held on Wednesday, May 14th from 9:00 A.M. until time of service at the funeral home.

Words of comfort may be expressed to the family at www.labbymemorialfh.com



Events

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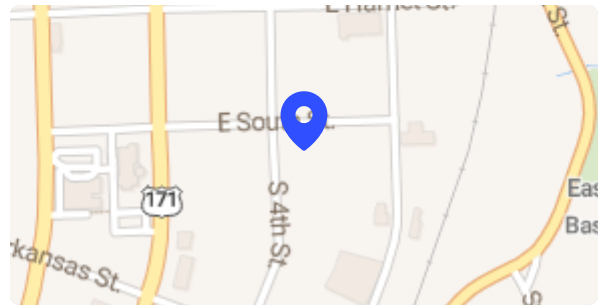
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Visitation

Wednesday, May 14, 2025

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM CT

Labby Memorial Funeral Home (Leesville)
601 S 4th St, Leesville LA 71446

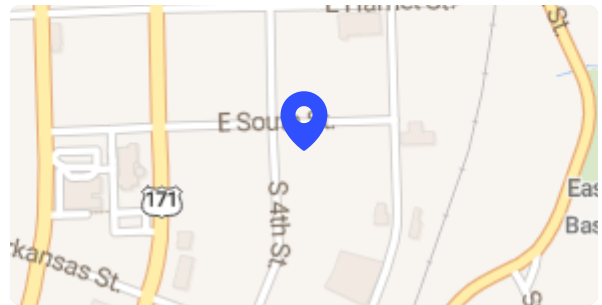


Funeral Service

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12:00 PM CT

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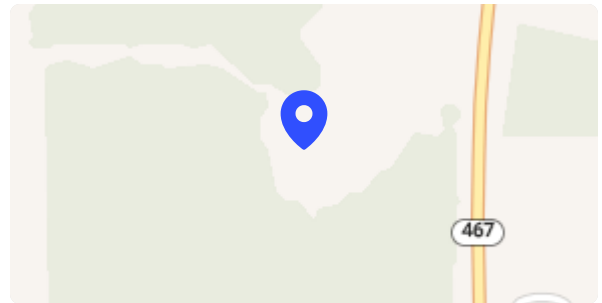


Burial

Wednesday, May 14, 2025

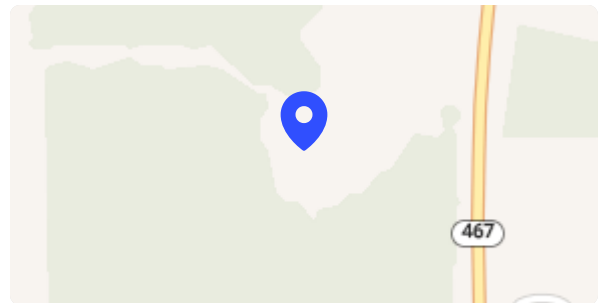
1:30 PM CT

Central Louisiana Veteran Cemetery
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Billy Zie posted:

He often devoted his time to ensuring we understood the mission and purpose, and was consistently both tough and kind. In a way, he behaved like a type of Jesus figure. Just as Jesus gave His life on the cross and rose from the grave so that we could have eternal life through believing in Him, and being baptized, this brother likewise devoted himself to elevating others. I am grateful and miss him greatly. ~ Billy Zie

May 14 at 5:03 PM



Jim Mobley posted:

I served with SFC Sturm in Germany and Iraq. He was a true soldier and hero. I wish his family peace and comfort.

May 13 at 5:21 PM



Troopers Of D/4-8 Cavalry sent a Strength & Solace Spray to the Sturm family.



May 13 at 10:49 AM



Troopers Of D/4-8 Cavalry planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Ronald "Mack".



May 13 at 10:49 AM



Anonymous sent a Vivid Recollections to the Sturm family.



May 13 at 10:29 AM



Denise Smith posted:

Horseshoe Drive Elementary School faculty and staff would like to extend our hearts, thoughts, and prayers for Director Montiel and her family. May you be comforted accordingly to Matthew 5:4.

May 13 at 8:04 AM



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Chris A. planted a grove of 3 Memorial Trees in honor of Ronald "Mack".

May 12 at 4:44 PM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Sturm family.

May 12 at 2:06 PM



Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Ronald "Mack".

May 12 at 2:06 PM



Anonymous sent a Love's Journey to the Sturm family.

May 12 at 12:40 PM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Ronald "Mack" by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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