



## Ronnie Joe Arp

April 1, 1957 - April 23, 2014

Mr. Ronnie Joe Arp, age 57 of Calhoun, passed away Wednesday, April 23, 2014 at his residence following an extended illness. He was born in Floyd County, GA on April 1, 1957, son of Claudia Turner Arp and the late Joe Barnette Arp.

During his earlier years, Mr. Arp was with the Cleveland Indians baseball organization.

He leaves behind three sons, Brady Arp and his wife Tracy of Adairsville, Jacob Arp of Calhoun, and Zack Foster of Calhoun; a daughter, Kristin Arp of Calhoun; his mother Claudia Arp of Cartersville; four brothers, Larry Arp of Cartersville, Andy Arp of Dalton, Phil Arp of Savannah, and Ricky Arp of Milledgeville; and grandchildren, Brock Arp, Drake Arp, and Chandler Arnold. Uncles, aunts, and nieces and nephews also survive.

Mr. Arp will be cremated, and there will be no services. The Arp family will receive friends at Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home Monday, April 28th from 5:00 PM until 8:00 PM.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions be given for funeral expenses to Ronnie Braden Arp, 100 Kuhlman Street, Adairsville, GA 30103.

Online condolences may be left at [www.maxbrannonandsons.com](http://www.maxbrannonandsons.com). Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home is in charge of services for Mr. Ronnie Joe Arp, age 57 of Calhoun.

# Previous Events

## Receive Friends

APR **28**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Max Brannon and Sons Funeral Home

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# Tribute Wall

TF

“ *Brady and family, my thoughts and prayers are with you*

Terina Fowler - April 30, 2014 at 08:08 AM

JS

“ *I was blessed to come to know Ronnie, his mom and dad, and his brothers in 1969. In a career where I coached hundreds of young people, I loved all my "boys", and I take pride that it was said of me "he will fight you for his "boys" because I would. Having said this, you must know that Ronnie was one of the very special ones. What a great young man he was. I also had the pleasure of coaching and teaching Larry, Andy, Ricky, and Phil and I treasure those experiences and memories. Then I got to watch Brady and my son compete against each other in high school baseball. Brady, watching you on the mound was like going back twenty years and watching Ronnie; you carried yourself just like your dad and you had his same mannerisms. I got to experience Ronnie all over again watching you..*

*In a perfect world, coaches aren't supposed to bury their "boys"; rather, "boys" are supposed to bury their old coaches. Unfortunately, I have had to face this sad experience a number of times and it is never easy. It is a bittersweet time of sadness, pain, and yet a flood of good memories.*

*May God hold each of you close in His love and comfort and strengthen and encourage you in this time of sadness and grieving.*

*Coach Shinall*

Jim Shinall - April 29, 2014 at 08:15 AM

KD

“ We were happy that Ronnie was a part of our lives for a few years. And that we shared a beautiful grandchild he will be missed. Our deepest sympathy and prayers go out to the Arp family. Kim & Bob Davidson



Kim Davidson - April 27, 2014 at 09:22 PM

HR

“ Brady and family, my condolences go out to each of you.

Heidi Cleary Ramsey - April 25, 2014 at 04:58 PM

LF

“ Lorna F. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Ronnie Joe Arp.



Lorna F. - April 24, 2014 at 04:15 PM