



## Richard Allan Skidmore

December 7, 1957 - November 22, 2017

Richard Allan Skidmore, 59, of Elkview passed away Wednesday, November 22, 2017 at CAMC General Division, Charleston.

He was preceded in death by his father, Bernard J. Skidmore.

He was a laborer for Big Chimney Auto Diesel, Elkview. He also attended Zion Methodist Church, friendly and also a US Marine Veteran.

Richard loved people and staying busy.

He is survived by his best friend and love of his life, Brenda Kemp of Elkview; daughter, Sara Beth Bowden of Duncanville, AL.; mother, Wilma Cunningham of Friendly; sister, Sue Todd of Friendly; brothers, Perry Skidmore of Friendly and Joe Skidmore of Elkview; one granddaughter. Also he was survived by several grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

A celebration of Richard's life will be at a later date.

You may visit Richard's tribute page at [chapmanfuneralhomes.com](http://chapmanfuneralhomes.com)

Bartlett-Chapman Funeral Home, family owned and located at 409 Sixth Ave., St. Albans is honored to serve the Skidmore family.



# Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Allan Skidmore*

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October 06, 2023 at 08:41 AM



“ *Went to Zion Methodist Church on top of Friendly Hill with Richard and Brenda. We all enjoyed our MYF meetings and dances. Lots of memories made on Rippentuck Rd. with all of us. We learned of God and his love, sounds there's no doubt Richard is with our Maker. God Bless Our Friends.*



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**Angela** - April 05, 2018 at 08:05 AM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,  
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,  
  
May your memories of Richard Allan Skidmore, give you peace, comfort and strength...*

*Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete. I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be forgotten..*

*My thoughts  
and prayers to the family of ....*

*US Marine Veteran, Richard Allan Skidmore, is “A True American Hero” God Bless†*

*† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 †*

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**Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum** - November 25, 2017 at 08:21 AM

DH

“ *Our hearts and condolences go out to the Skidmore Family, May God be with you.  
Davy & Dana Harper*



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**Davy & Dana Harper** - November 24, 2017 at 10:26 PM

BD

“ *Beth Doty And Rob Doty lit a candle in memory of Richard Allan Skidmore*



**Beth Doty And Rob Doty** - November 24, 2017 at 08:01 PM

RJ

“ *Robyn Jones lit a candle in memory of Richard Allan Skidmore*



**Robyn Jones** - November 24, 2017 at 07:34 PM

JH

“ *Jerry And Darlene Hayes lit a candle in memory of Richard Allan Skidmore*



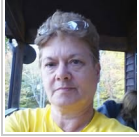
**Jerry and Darlene Hayes** - November 24, 2017 at 05:18 PM

MS

“ *Marla Stevens lit a candle in memory of Richard Allan Skidmore*



**Marla Stevens** - November 24, 2017 at 04:22 PM



“ So sorry Sue for you and your families loss prayers sent. Love Janie and Kathy

Janie Yost Kehl - November 24, 2017 at 04:12 PM



“ Steve & Sandy Kelley lit a candle in memory of Richard Allan Skidmore



Steve & Sandy Kelley - November 24, 2017 at 01:25 PM



“ Tammy @ Worden Rustemeyer lit a candle in memory of Richard Allan Skidmore



Tammy @ Worden Rustemeyer - November 24, 2017 at 01:15 PM



“ will always remember the great times we had in Friendly, Rich sure could be a hoot, fondly keeping him in my thoughts, Prayers for Brenda and family



Deb Barnhart - November 24, 2017 at 01:01 PM