



## Donald Eugene Rovenstine

June 23, 1937 - April 25, 2006

Donald Eugene Rovenstine, age 68, of Fair Play, MO. passed away Tuesday, April 25, 2006 at 4:52am at Citizens Memorial Health Care Facility in Bolivar, MO. following a lengthy illness.

He was born June 23, 1937 in Bolivar, MO. to William (Bill) Henry & Maude Zelda (Jones) Rovenstine also of Fair Play.

After graduating from Fair Play High School in 1955 Don enlisted in the United States Army where he served for ten months.

Don's two oldest sons Jeff and Darin Rovenstine were born during two previous marriages to Virginia Smith of Bolivar, Missouri and Sue Umberger of Olive Branch, Mississippi respectively. Don then met and later married Beverly Scroggins of Pleasant Hope on March 30, 1972. Unto this union three children were born, Ted in 1973, and a set of twins Chuck and Zella in 1975.

Don was a valued Electrician for many years while owning his own business, Blue Jay Electric, and finishing his career working for Sechler Electric in Springfield. He also was a fine craftsman enjoying woodworking as a hobby while supplying Bass Pro Shop with unique hand crafted displays. Don enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren, working outdoors, and attending services as Harvest Assembly in Fair Play.

Don is preceded in death by his parents Bill and Maude Rovenstine. He is survived by his Wife; Beverly (Scroggins) Rovenstine, 4 Sons; Jeff, Darin, Ted and Chuck Rovenstine, 1 Daughter; Zella Simpson, and 14 Grandchildren.

Funeral Services will be 10:00am Friday, April 28, 2006 at Butler Funeral Home, Bolivar, MO. with Pastor Lyle Shaulis officiating. Burial will follow at Barron Creek Cemetery with a dinner immediately afterwards held at Woodlawn Community Building. Visitation will be from 7-8pm Thursday, April 27, 2006 at the funeral home. Pallbearers are Jeff Rovenstine, Darin Rovenstine, Ted Rovenstine, Chuck Rovenstine, Billy Simpson, and Dale Scroggins. Honorary Pallbearers are Willis and Jones Bivens, Gerald Wolfe, Kenneth and Bill Hopper, and Richard Fisher. Donald will be well remembered and loved by many forever. Friends may sign the guest book or send private condolences at [www.butlerfuneralhome.com](http://www.butlerfuneralhome.com)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Donald Eugene Rovenstine*

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ *Donald Eugene Rovenstine*

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *So sorry to hear about your loss. I know Danielle and Travis will want to know about Don's passing. May God give you comfort during this sad time.*

*Our Love,  
Glenda Polodna Taylor  
Danielle Swearengin  
Travis Polodna*

**Glenda Polodna Taylor** - April 29, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. My heart goes out to you at this time in your lives! My prayers are with your family. Melinda*

**Melinda Wedge (Floyd)** - April 28, 2006 at 12:00 AM