



## Ronald K Ellison

October 18, 1948 - June 6, 2026

Ronald K. Ellison, 77, passed away on June 6, 2026, at the Manteno Veterans' Home in Manteno, Illinois.

Born on October 18, 1948, in Chicago, Illinois, Ronald was the son of Axel and Anne Kalabus Ellison. He proudly served his country in the United States Army and was a veteran who carried a strong sense of duty throughout his life.

Ronald was a skilled carpenter and business owner who took great pride in his work. His craftsmanship, attention to detail, and dedication to his trade reflected the values he lived by every day. Outside of work, he enjoyed painting landscapes, fishing, and spending time creating and building through carpentry projects.

Though he never married and had no immediate surviving spouse or children, Ronald formed meaningful friendships throughout his life. He was especially close with the staff at the Manteno Veterans' Home, where he found companionship, support, and community.

Ronald will be remembered for his hardworking nature, independent spirit, love of the outdoors, and the friendships he cultivated over the years. His presence will be missed by all who knew him.



# Tribute Wall

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“ Thomas Anthony lit a candle in memory of Ronald K Ellison



Thomas Anthony - June 10 at 02:48 PM

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“ I met Ron at the Veterans Home. Ron was special to me. We talked often and always found common grounds for friendship. Ron painted a beautiful landscape painting for me! It hangs in my foyer so anyone entering can enjoy it as much as I do. I will miss seeing him around the home, in the volunteer office and at Thursdays Coffee and breakfast dates. He will be missed by so many of us volunteers. Janis Cadieux, Volunteer

Janis Cadieux - June 09 at 12:18 PM