



## Lonnie Jay Davis

December 17, 1951 - April 20, 2022

Lonnie Jay Davis, 70, of Beach, ND passed peacefully on Wednesday, April 20, 2022. Lon was born to Clarence and Ruby Davis in Craig, CO on December 17, 1951.

Lonnie is survived by his loving wife, Cathy Davis; two sisters, Deborah (Dale) Miller of Casper, WY, and Verna (Doug) McKee of Tridell, Utah; his son, Cody (Shanda) Davis; his daughter, Jessi (Jeremy) Polk; eight grandchildren, Dillon, Trenton, Hunter, Chandler, Taya, Kameron, Ruby, Gracie, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Lon was a talented, fun loving, country man who knew no stranger. He dropped out of High School to serve his country in the Vietnam War (173rd Army Airborne Rangers). Lonnie was known for his expertise in saddlery, leatherwork, and horsemanship. He was an avid musician- sharing his talents everywhere he went: writing, playing, and singing his favorite songs. He lived a self-sufficient country life, surrounding himself with good friends, family, dogs, and loved ones. "Papa" was his favorite nickname.

A Memorial Service with Military Honors will be held at 3:00 PM on Saturday, July 30, 2022 at the Sentinel Butte Community Hall and Pavilion. A Friends and Family Dinner will follow services. Condolences may be sent to: Cathy Davis in care of Silha Funeral Home, Box 488, Beach, ND 58621.

Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at: [www.silhafuneralhomes.com](http://www.silhafuneralhomes.com).



# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

JUL **30**. 3:00 PM (MT)

Sentinel Butte Community Center  
Sentinel Butte, ND 58654

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lonnie Jay Davis*

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ *I loved meeting up with Lon and Cathy wherever. We always had a few good laughs. Lon will be missed. Love you, Cathy. Prayers for comfort.*

**Val and Carol Obrigewitch** - May 14, 2022 at 08:41 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



**Lora Hanks** - May 12, 2022 at 01:19 AM



“ *Cathy, I am so sorry to hear about Lon. Bill and I so enjoyed you two when we would come in to dance in Medora. We loved it. I'm sure our guys are having a great reunion as Bill passed away November, 2021. You are in my thoughts and prayers, stay strong, a friend,*

*Betty Austin*

**Betty Austin** - April 27, 2022 at 04:19 PM

RB

“ *Rita Borgos lit a candle in memory of Lonnie Jay Davis*



Rita Borgos - April 24, 2022 at 07:01 PM

RB

“ *Lon was such a wonderful brother-in-law. Just what I could hope for as husband to my sister Cathy. I had the pleasure of their company a couple years back. (I'm on Las Vegas) it was great to have them all to myself. I did share Lon with my littlest grandson Wyatt who loved him right off! They become best pals. I also shared him with my Labrador Kaze. Until Uncle Lon came for a visit, Kaze had not been allowed on my fairly new couch....you can see how long that lasted after they met! I've always loved this picture of the two of them. Kaze is just daring me to say something! I know he greeted Lon with big tail wags and much love in heaven when he heard he was across Rainbow Bridge.*



Rita Borgos - April 24, 2022 at 06:35 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Lonnie Jay Davis.*



April 22, 2022 at 11:20 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lonnie Jay Davis.



April 22, 2022 at 07:52 PM



“ I'm very sorry to to hear of Lon's passing. I really enjoyed sharing stories and memories with him. We'd worked together in NE Washington doing corner research and "hunting" corners for surveying projects. I used to visit his place on Bang's Mountain out side of Kettle Falls. He was a wonderful fellow and pleasure to be around. He'll be greatly missed.  
P. A.

P. A. Olson - April 22, 2022 at 06:31 PM



“ VVA234 lit a candle in memory of Lonnie Jay Davis



VVA234 - April 22, 2022 at 05:42 PM