



Ross, Charles Lee

1953-2023

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Decatur ~ Charles Lee Ross, 69, went to be with our Lord Monday, Feb. 13, 2023. Funeral is 1 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 18, 2023, at First United Methodist Church in Decatur, with burial at Oaklawn Cemetery. Family will receive friends 6 to 8 p.m. Friday at Hawkins Funeral Home in Decatur.

Paul Milligan will officiate. Pallbearers include Charles Jonathan Ross Jr., Eric Devon Ross, Tom Talamantez Jr., Marcus Talamantez, Abel Talamantez Jr., Phillip Joseph Rosas, Troy Wolf and Francisco Amador Sr. Honorary Pallbearers include Austin Bowles and Monty Smith.

Charles was born April 14, 1953, to Roy Ross Jr. and Laura Frances Walker in

Decatur.

He was united in marriage Oct. 14, 1978, to Anita Talamantez in Decatur. He was a retired crew foreman after many years with Oncor.

He was preceded in death by his father, Roy Ross, Jr.; his mother, Laura Gardner Walker; and a sister, Jonnie Walker.

Those left behind to cherish his memory are his wife of over 44 years, Anita Ross of Decatur; his sons, Eric Ross and wife, Connie, and Charles Jonathan Ross and Sarah; daughter, Nikki Rosas and husband, Phillip; 10 grandchildren; his sister, Ruth Walker; brother, Jerry Ross and wife, Heidi; numerous extended family members and a host of friends.

Donations can be made in Charles's name to the Wise County Committee on Aging, Decatur Lions Club and St. Jude's Children's Hospital.

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