



**Ray Henry Rudisill** son of Lester and Esther Virginia Rudisill was born in Carthage, Missouri on March 6, 1951. He passed away late Friday evening, September 15, 1995 at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis, Missouri after receiving critical injuries in an explosion at his work. **Ray** was 44 years, 6 months and 9 days old.

**Ray** and his parents moved to the Dudenville community in 1955 at the age of four. He attended 1st through 6th grade at the Unity School and then attended the Golden City School for grades 7th through 12th. **Ray** graduated from the Golden City High School in the class of '69. While in high school he was active in all class projects as well as several clubs. After graduation **Ray** attended Southwest Missouri State College in Springfield and then later transferred to Drury College. He graduated with a degree in Chemistry from Drury College in 1973.

**Ray** worked at Cox Medical Center in Springfield for two years before moving to St. Louis. He has worked for J. D. Streett and Company as the head chemist for the last 20 years.

Outside of work, **Ray** was active in several organizations. He owned, showed and judged birds at shows all over the country. He was past president of the Missouri Cagebird Society, president of St. Louis Canaries and he was secretary-treasurer of the National Cagebird Show, Inc. **Ray** an active Republican who collected elephants and when relaxing played golf.

**Ray** will be missed by his parents, Lester and Virginia Rudisill of the Dudenville community. Many neighbors and friends will cherish his memory.

*Memorials may be given to the Zion Baptist Church or Golden City Schools  
in care of the funeral home*

*Pugh Funeral Home  
400 Chestnut, P.O. Box 145  
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IN MEMORY OF

**RAY HENRY RUDISILL**

BORN

DIED

**March 6, 1951**

**September 15, 1995**

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MEMORIAL SERVICE

**Sunday, October 8, 1995 2:00 P.M.**

**Dudenville Methodist Church  
Dudenville, Missouri**

OFFICIATING

**Rev. Arthur "Bud" Rogers**

MUSIC

**Rita Elliott and Marilyn Stockdale**

*"He Touched Me"*

**Phyllis Clyman, Accompanist**