

Jeffery A. Roberts

Occupant Name: Jeffery A. Roberts

Location: Section Z, Lot 0

Date of Birth: 12/21/1946

Date of Death: 4/14/1964

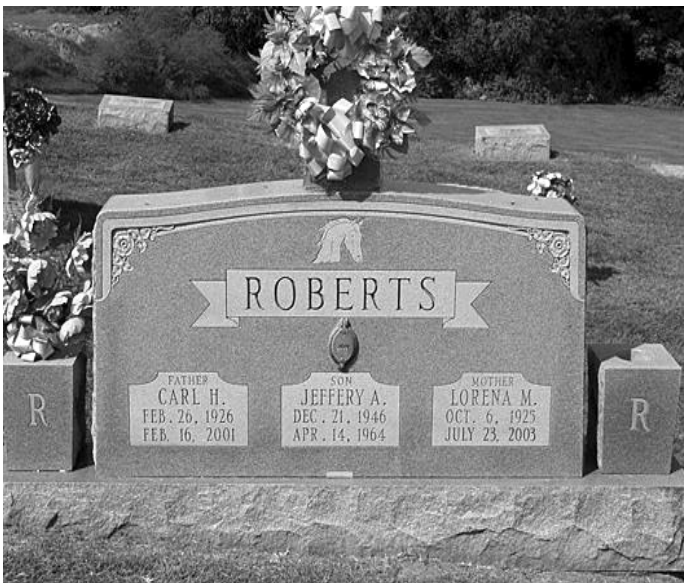
Date of Burial: 4/17/1964

Veteran: No

Lot Owner: Carl Roberts

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



B'town Youth Dies Of Injuries

Jeffery Allen Roberts, 17, of Brownstown, R.I., who was critically injured in an accident April 6 when the car he was driving collided with another automobile at the intersection of Ind. 135 and old Ind. 135 west of Brownstown, died at 2:30 a. m. this morning at Robert Long Hospital in Indianapolis.

Roberts, who was unconscious when brought to Schnock Memorial Hospital here, had been transferred to the Indianapolis hospital in critical condition with head and chest injuries and lacerations above the left eye.

Gerald Prince, 16, of Free-town, R.I., who was in the car with Roberts, also was transferred to Robert Long Hospital in critical condition after the accident. He was suffering with a fractured jaw and nose, a crushing injury to his left shoulder and injuries to his abdomen and possible internal injuries.

Donna Sue Ferguson, 25, of Ewing, was released Monday from Bartholomew County Hospital in Columbus, after having undergone orthopedic surgery the morning following the accident.

Authorities who investigated the accident said Miss Ferguson, who was driving west at about 6:20 p. m. on old Ind. 135, failed to yield the right of way to the Roberts auto, en route south on Ind. 135. The Roberts car struck the Ferguson vehicle in the right front, tearing the entire front and engine away from the Ferguson auto throwing it 75 feet. The car then struck a utility pole 50 feet away, snapping it off. The other car went off the west side of the highway and came to rest in a ditch.

Both automobiles were badly damaged.

Funeral services for Roberts will be conducted at 2:30 p. m. Friday from the Ratcliff Grove Christian Church near Brownstown, with the Rev. Fred Wells, pastor, in charge. Burial in Fairview Cemetery.

Roberts, the son of Carl H. and Lorena Weaver Roberts, was born Dec. 21, 1946, in Jackson County. He was a junior at Brownstown Central High School, an active member of the Future Farmers of America of Jackson County, and of the Ratcliff Grove Christian Church.

Surviving besides the parents are a brother, Carl Roberts, Jr., of Brownstown R.I.; a sister, Donna Sue Roberts, of Brownstown R.I.; his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roberts, of Columbia, Ky., and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Mattie Weaver, of Brownstown.