



Donald Wayne Eaton

July 30, 1944 - July 2, 2022

Donald Wayne Eaton, 77, of Huntsville, Arkansas was born on July 30, 1944, to George Carl Eaton and Kitty Ruth Sanders Eaton in Huntsville, Arkansas. In 1962, he married his 1st wife, Linda Paschall Eaton to which 3 children were born John, Joy, and Julia. They later divorced and he was remarried to Judy Autry Eaton to which 2 daughters were born, Jenifer and Jessica. In 1962, he was driving a milk truck working on chicken farms and catching turkeys. He also worked other manual labor jobs until he started driving for Georges and Tyson delivering feed. He eventually started driving for Tune Trucking until his retirement. In his spare time, he loved spending time with family and friends. He loved spending time with his son, John, who passed in 2020 and his family. He still would go help his grandson Michael in the turkey houses. He has always had a love of music and was known by many who have heard him play. He used to play in West Fork at the Little Ole' Opry for many years, and many other venues too numerous to mention. He was always a hit at the family reunions where his family, especially his mother, loved to hear him play. He had a love of hunting and riding his 4-wheeler, which he did often. He enjoyed spending time and helping out at Jones Tire Shop of Huntsville or having a meal at the Crossbow Restaurant where he loved teasing the waitresses.

Survivors include his daughters, Joy Rhoads of Winterset, IA, Julia Eaton of St. Charles, IA, Jennifer Ainsley and Jessica (Marcus) Ames of Springdale, daughter-in-law Brenda Eaton of Huntsville, AR, 17 grandchildren and 15

great-grandchildren. Donald is preceded in death by his parents George Carl and Kitty Ruth Eaton and his beloved son, John Michael Eaton.

The Family will receive friends Saturday, July 9, 2022, at 9:00 A.M. at Brashears Funeral Home. Services will immediately follow at 10:00 A.M. with Jim Spurlock and Travis Dotson officiating. Pallbearers will be Michael Eaton, Elijah Ansley, Blake Ansley, Shelby Ansley, Dylan Ames and Marcus Ames. Honorary Pallbearers; Kyle Eaton, James White and Darrell Jones. Interment will follow at Big Sandy Cemetery. Services are entrusted to Brashears Funeral Home of Huntsville

Cemetery Details

Big Sandy Cemetery

7693 Madison County Road #2340
Huntsville, AR 72740

Previous Events

Receive Friends

JUL 9. 9:00 AM (CT)

Brashears Funeral Home and Crematory
509 North Gaskill Street
Huntsville, AR 72740
(479) 738-2123
<https://www.brashearsfuneralhome.net/>

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

JC

“ *RIP Don*

Jerry and Sandi Carter - July 08, 2022 at 08:51 PM

CP

“ *We wanted to say that we will miss Mr. Donald Eaton. He was a great person. We enjoyed seeing Donald at Jones tire and service during the week. My dad especially liked Donald a lot. My Dad built Donald a box blind for him. We are sorry for the families loss. God bless the Family*



Tallant, Nancy & Chad Parker

Chad David Parker - July 08, 2022 at 05:38 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donald Wayne Eaton.*



July 08, 2022 at 01:54 PM

MS

“ *You are in my thoughts and prayers during this time of your loss.*

Margaret (Mrs. Austin) Smith - July 08, 2022 at 12:29 PM

CW

“ Donald was by best buddy and friend growing up . My dad Noel Easterling had a service station and his folk worked hospital at Huntsville we played Roy Rogers and Dale Evans . Cowboy and Indians We had lots of f fights and fun . Back when we had to find our own entertainment. Love that boy he was like my brother We go out pasture ride calf's . We had a Grit paper route and deliver papers , I could go on and on . Last time I seen him he was working at a tire shop in Springdale came to my rescuer fixed my tire . Love Prayers to all the family I know he will be missed. Lost my Husband 6 months ago I know how hard it gonna be just trust God every thing is in his Hands Carolyn Easterling Wright

carolyn Wright - July 07, 2022 at 08:07 PM