



Avery D. Marsee Jr.

January 15, 1948 - March 16, 2026

Avery D Marsee Jr passed away 3/16/26 in Searcy Arkansas.

Avery was born 1/15/48 in Cincinnati, OH to Avery, Sr and Opal Marsee. He grew up in Conway Arkansas and graduated from Conway High School in 1966.

Avery married Jo Stuart in 1966 and they relocated to Searcy 1967.

He went on to work at Searcy Post Office for 37 years. After retirement he worked for First Security bank for 10 years. Avery was well known within the community as "Avery at the Post Office". Avery and Jo were long time members of Park Avenue Baptist Church and for many years were very active in that community. Although most of them have preceded him in death he had long term friendships throughout the years. Avery was known by his friends, family and community as the man of few words that was always there when someone needed him. And was, for the majority of his adult life, a pillar of this community.

Avery Marsee, Jr is survived by his children: Chris Marsee (Cathy) of Judsonia and Renee Coffinger (Doug) of South Bend, Indiana. Grandchildren: Erica Henderson(John Paul) of Moreno Valley, California, Draik Marsee (Amanda) of Pea Ridge, Arkansas, Sydney Butler (Cole) of Searcy, Arkansas, Stevi Zakrzewski of South Bend, Indiana and 8 great grandchildren as well as sisters Myra Crawford and Denise Jones. He was preceded in death by his wife of 54 years, Jo Marsee, his parents, Avery, Sr and Opal Marsee, Sister Linda Dingley, and Brother-in-Law Bill Crawford.

A funeral will be held at Powell Funeral Home in Searcy on Saturday, March 21, 2026 at 2:00pm. Visitation will be at Powell Funeral Home in Searcy on Friday, March 20, 2026 from 6-8pm.

The family would like to thank Arkansas Hospice and Hannah with Tribute for their invaluable assistance during the difficult last years.

Arrangements are entrusted to Powell Funeral Home of Searcy. www.powellfuneralhome.net

Cemetery Details

White County Memorial Gardens

Eastline Road and Park Avenue
Searcy, AR 72143

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 20. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

MAR 21. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Entombment

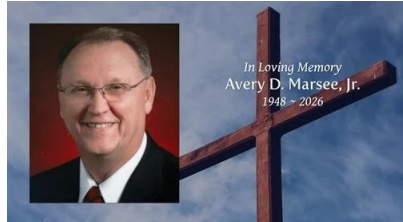
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Tribute Wall



“ *Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Avery D. Marsee Jr.*



Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services - March 20 at 10:41 AM

JP

“ *Jonna Piker purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Avery D. Marsee Jr..*



Jonna Piker - March 20 at 02:42 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Avery D. Marsee Jr..*



March 19 at 07:12 PM

LH

“ *Love and prayers for the family. He was a dear man. Mike & Leigh Anne Hawthorne*

Leigh Anne Hawthorne - March 19 at 06:59 PM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Avery D. Marsee Jr..*



March 19 at 08:51 AM



“ *We are sending our prayers and love to the family. We are praying God will help you in your time of need thank you for being such wonderful friends. John O. Jr and Lynda Bailey Searcy*

John o Jr. and Lynda Bailey - March 18 at 06:32 PM



“ *Steve and Cindy Coffinger purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Avery D. Marsee Jr..*



Steve and Cindy Coffinger - March 18 at 03:42 PM