



Barry Wade Campbell

March 12, 1953 - October 20, 2021

Barry Wade Campbell, 67, of Augusta, died on Wednesday, October 20, 2021 at his home. He was born March 12, 1953 in Searcy a son of the late Carl Edward Campbell and Pearl Lois Sardin Preller. Barry's life was well explained by a long-time friend, Bobby Brannon, II as follows:

"We lost an icon in the river industry today... Captain Barry Campbell.. I loved and respected Captain Barry Campbell dearly... He was, above all, the very best in his ability at running a towboat. Captain Barry taught many and his legacy will live forever, as so many are still guiding towboats on the rivers of this Nation, delivering goods all across this Great Country in a safe manner. Captain Barry taught me a lot about the river, running towboats and how to run a crew on a boat. He will forever be missed for his leadership, knowledge of the river and especially having a beautiful heart that cared for his crew. I love you my Brother and Pray I will see you again passing on that Ole Man River! Till we meet again!!

Barry is survived by 2 sons, Curtis Wade Campbell and Colten Campbell; siblings, Ed Campbell, Bud Campbell, Charley Campbell, Charlotte Moton and Coletta Brannon.

A memorial gathering honoring Barry's life will be held Saturday, October 23, 2021 from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. at 735 North 8th Street – Augusta, Arkansas. Arrangements are entrusted to Powell Funeral home of Woodruff County. www.powellfuneralhome.net.

Previous Events

Memorial Gathering

OCT **23**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Family Home
735 North 8th
Augusta
Augusta, AR 72006

Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry to hear of Barry's passing. Prayers for all of you at this difficult time.

Helen Odom - October 25, 2021 at 01:13 PM

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“ Leeann Long lit a candle in memory of Barry Wade Campbell



Leeann long - October 22, 2021 at 01:36 PM

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“ Tammy Thacker lit a candle in memory of Barry Wade Campbell



Tammy Thacker - October 22, 2021 at 08:21 AM