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DES ARC, AR — Coleman Dale Sisson, Sr., a lifelong resident of Des Arc and a respected businessman, passed away on December 24, 2025. He was 89 years old.

Born on March 27, 1936, Mr. Sisson was the son of a local farmer and carpenter. A man of profound intellect and industry, he established his service station business at the age of 25. He served the Des Arc community for over five decades, retiring at age 75.

Known for his quiet demeanor and steady hand, Mr. Sisson was a pillar of strength to those who knew him. He was a self-taught man of immense wisdom who possessed the rare ability to fix anything.

An avid outdoorsman, he found great joy in the woods and the Raft Creek bottoms. He was a man of disciplined character, remembered for his constant smile, calm temperament, and unwavering dedication to his family. His legacy is one of hard work, intelligence, and a lifelong commitment to his community.

Mr. Sisson is survived by his wife, Lawanna Sisson, and his sons, Coleman

Dale Sisson, Jr. and Dennis Sisson. He is also survived by his brother, Carroll Sisson, and a host of extended family and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents. Bluford and Jessie Sisson, and four brothers: Frank, Billy, Ozzie, and Robert.

Visitation and Services

Family and friends are invited to attend a visitation on Saturday, December 27th, from 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm at the Gospel Mission Church in Des Arc. Funeral services will be held the same day at 1:00 pm at the church, with interment to follow at Welcome Home Cemetery in Des Arc.

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

Cemetery Details

Welcome Home Cemetery

Hwy 11
Des Arc, AR

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 27. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Gospel Mission Church
210 Mission Ln
Des Arc, AR 72040

Funeral Service

DEC 27. 1:00 PM (CT)

Gospel Mission Church
210 Mission Ln
Des Arc, AR 72040

Interment

DEC 27 (CT)

Welcome Home Cemetery
Hwy 11
Des Arc, AR

Tribute Wall

DH

“ *Mr .Dale is a man that others could only dream of being..*

Dennis Hughes - December 29, 2025 at 02:31 PM

HJ

“ *I am sad that I did not learn of Dale’s passing in time to attend the service. My condolences to LaWanna and all the family. Dale and LaWanna were respected business owners in Des Arc for a lot of years. May their descendants carry on their legacy.*

Hattie Mae Jenkins - December 27, 2025 at 09:18 PM

MC

“ *Dale was a very sharp classmate and a good friend.*

Manuel Castleberry - December 27, 2025 at 04:48 PM

RS

“ *Mr. Dale was a great man and had a mind like no one else, he took care of our vehicles for many years and done all he could to help you. He knew what was wrong with your vehicle before you even said . RIP Mr Dale and thank you....*



Randy and Laura Stice - December 26, 2025 at 06:09 PM

RM

“ Risa Custer McKay purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Coleman Dale Sisson, Sr..



Risa Custer McKay - December 26, 2025 at 03:14 PM

RM

“ Risa Custer McKay planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Coleman Dale Sisson, Sr..

Risa Custer McKay - December 26, 2025 at 03:14 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Coleman Dale Sisson, Sr..



December 26, 2025 at 02:21 PM