



Donald Robert Craig

August 6, 1953 - June 19, 2021

Donald Robert Craig, 67, of Searcy went to be with his Heavenly Father on Saturday, June 19, 2021.

Don was born on August 6, 1953 in Memphis, TN to Robert and Wilma Craig. He graduated from Messick High School in 1971. After high school, he studied music at Memphis State University and went on to earn an electrical engineering degree.

In 1977 he moved to Pine Bluff, AR where he began working for AP&L (Entergy). He continued to work with them for 35 years.

He married the love of his life in 1988 and later settled in Searcy where they raised their three children.

Don devoted his life to walking with the Lord and served Him faithfully in the church. He enjoyed singing hymns and playing the piano. His hobbies included woodworking, leather crafting, and playing the guitar.

Don is preceded in death by his parents Bob and Wilma Craig who have already gone to be with the Lord.

Don was greatly loved and will be deeply missed by his wife of 33 years, Julie Craig; his children, Rebekah (Casimiro) Crawford of Aomori, Japan, Robert Craig of Houston, TX, and Deborah Craig of Searcy; his brother, Tom (Pam) Craig of Germantown, TN; his sister Sally (Mike) Woods of El Paso, TX; and many cousins, nieces, and nephews.

Visitation and funeral services will be held at Powell Funeral Home in Searcy. Visitation will be held Thursday, June 24 from 6-8 p.m.

Funeral services will be Friday, June 25 at 2 p.m.

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

Cemetery Details

Oaklawn Memorial Gardens

100 E. Moore Ave.
Searcy, AR 72143

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 24. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services (Searcy)
2602 W. Beebe-Capps Expy
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Funeral Service

JUN 25. 2:00 PM (CT)

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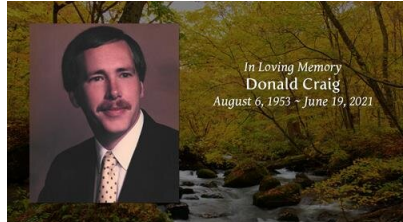
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Tribute Wall



“ Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Donald Robert Craig



Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services - June 24, 2021 at 09:22 AM

JU

Lovely video. Kelly and I really enjoyed seeing all the photos. Thank you for posting it. -- Julie

Julie - June 24, 2021 at 12:39 PM

JE

Beautiful. It seems like you shared some very special, precious and memorable times together. Thank you for sharing these memories with us. Sending love and prayers out to you all. -- Joshua E.

Joshua Elander - June 25, 2021 at 11:04 AM

AK

“ I knew Don when we both attended Messick. He was steady as a rock when a lot of chaos was going on. Sorry to hear of his passing

Anthony(Tony) Kain - October 14, 2021 at 07:18 PM

RB

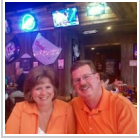
“ The memories will live in the heart's who new don i was blessed to have him as my son in law

Ruby Bradley - July 02, 2021 at 09:56 PM

RB

“ Beautiful memories thanks for sharing

Ruby Bradley - July 02, 2021 at 09:52 PM



“ Sorry to learn of Don’s passing. I worked with Don at Entergy in Searcy in the early 90’s and will always remember his tenacity in solving difficult problems. Dandy Don is the reason I climbed the “pamper pole” during a ropes course event that our management team participated in. May God grant Don’s family His peace that passes all understanding! Wayne and Kay Warren, Brandon, MS.

Wayne Warren - June 24, 2021 at 11:16 PM

RB

Don was a special son in law i was so happy when he married my daughter Julie i knew he would be a wonderful husband to Julie and a great dad to his children they had a wonderful marriage i was very happy for them

Ruby Bradley - July 02, 2021 at 09:35 PM

JU

“ Thinking of you all. Praying you get many comments and reminders from family and friends about what a wonderful person Don was.

You are in our prayers.

Much love,

Kelly and Julie Elander

Julie - June 24, 2021 at 12:24 PM

BG

“ *Bill & Sally Gooch purchased the Ghirardelli Gift Basket for the family of Donald Robert Craig.*



Bill & Sally Gooch - June 23, 2021 at 11:15 PM

BG

“ *Don and I worked together at Entergy for many years. He was a great friend and outstanding engineer with impeccable character. Sally and I send our love and prayers to the family. I have fond memories of my time in Searcy with Don. He will be dearly missed.*

May God Bless...

Bill & Sally Gooch

Bill & Sally Gooch - June 23, 2021 at 11:07 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Donald Robert Craig.*



June 23, 2021 at 07:16 PM

EP

“ Julie,
Should say that the news came as a shock; but with the isolation over past year It's hard to be shocked by anything these days. Nevertheless, I hope you know how much we've missed y'all, but will cherish my memories of Donnie Bob forever. All the Craigs and Pearcys use to mix it up pretty well.
Jr Percy - Springfield, IL

ELMER PEARCY - June 23, 2021 at 07:09 PM

JC

“ So sorry to hear of Don's passing. Don was a great individual and employee of Entergy. We also lived in Searcy and worked for AP&L/Entergy and enjoyed our relationship with Don. Our prayers go out to all the family during your time of loss. God bless.
Jerry & Ann Carlton

Jerry & Ann Carlton - June 23, 2021 at 06:57 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Donald Robert Craig.



June 23, 2021 at 06:46 PM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Donald Robert Craig.



June 23, 2021 at 12:29 PM