



Donnie Lynn Rouse

November 9, 1972 - January 10, 2026

Donnie Lynn Rouse, 53, of Romance, Arkansas departed this life on January 10, 2026 at Unity Health in Searcy, Arkansas.

He was born November 9, 1972 to Donald Lee and Deborah Pearl Rouse.

Donnie was a man who found joy in the simple, meaningful moments of life. He loved the outdoors, especially hunting—most of all deer hunting—and fishing, where he felt most at peace. Donnie had a gift for making people laugh and could always bring a smile to those around him. He was extremely caring, never hesitating to help anyone in need, and his kindness left a lasting impression on all who knew him. He also enjoyed riding horses, a passion that reflected his free spirit and love for life. He will be greatly missed by those that knew him.

He is survived by, his children, Alex Holland (Tara) and Andrea Greer (Kyle), his grandchildren, Deniece, James, Easton, Gracie, Hope, Faith, Kyle Jr., and Everly, his mother, Deborah Pearl Rouse, his sisters, Rhonda Maxwell (Tirl) and Crystal Moses. He is also survived by several nieces, nephews, and extended family members.

He was preceded in death by his father, Donald Lee Rouse and his son, Fletcher Rouse.

Funeral services will be conducted on Friday, January 16, 2026 at 2:00 p.m. at

Powell Funeral Home in Bald Knob, Arkansas with Brother Rodney Westmoreland officiating. Visitation will be held prior to services from 1:00 p.m. until 2:00 p.m. Burial will follow services at West Point Cemetery in West Point, Arkansas. Those honored to serve as pallbearers are Alex Holland, Tirl Maxwell, Cody Weeks, Colt Weeks, Connor Weeks, Drake Rouse, Kyle Greer, and Shawn Harris. Honorary pallbearers are Chance Gray and Corey Spangler.

Arrangements are entrusted to Powell Funeral Home Bald Knob-Judsonia.

Cemetery Details

West Point Cemetery

West Point, AR

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 16. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services (Bald Knob)
1272 Highway 367 North
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Donnie Lynn Rouse*



Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services - January 15 at 09:42 AM

AN

“ *Good riddens, one less tweeker on the earth*

anonymous - March 27 at 01:23 PM

KP

“ *I am so very sorry to read this about Donnie. My heart is so broken for his family. May God bring comfort to each one of you and the memory help you through the hard times. Prayers being said*

Kay Phillips - January 16 at 08:16 AM

BM

“ *I knew Donnie as a young boy. Full of life, and kind. He grew into a fine young man. Many loved him. Prayers and blessing to his family.*



Bobbi Mitchem-Joslin - January 15 at 10:44 AM

HS

“ Cowboy I will miss you more than words can describe but mostly I will miss all the laughs and jokes we had together , every joke I know I learned from you ! You were one of the best friends I ever had , always there for me in my darkest days. I never told your thank you enough I don't know where I would be in life if it weren't for you saving me multiple times in the middle of nowhere and with absolutely no one to call for help but you. You will be remembered as the big funny caring cowboy that always helped anyone in need. My condolences to Ms Debbie and the family I love ya cowboy RIP till we meet again my dear friend.....

Holly Sanchez - January 15 at 09:25 AM

TJ

“ Cowboy, I can't remember not 1 time when I called or needed a hand with something or just showing up out the blue , did you ever turn me away or not say I can't. Brother you meant a lot to more people than you will ever know. I hope heaven is all you ever dreamed of. Tell your pops and your boy I said hello. We are already missing you down here. Save me a seat at your table. You were one hell of a friend,son and father. Love ya cowboy!!

Tommy Jelks - January 15 at 04:44 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Donnie Lynn Rouse.



January 13 at 08:26 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Donnie Lynn Rouse.



January 13 at 07:29 AM



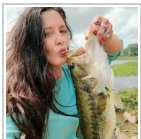
“ Clay Gross planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Donnie Lynn Rouse.

Clay Gross - January 13 at 07:29 AM



“ Donnie, was one of a kind in many ways. He truly had a way of touching people making a bad day turn into a good day. The one person I know that could remember every joke that he told you and never telling the same one over unless you wanted him to. This man would give the shirt off his back if he thought you needed it. He will truly be missed by all that new him. My prayers go out to his mother, siblings, kids and all the rest of his family. Prayers to all of you.

Loyde Cummins - January 13 at 12:42 AM



“ Tanya Roper lit a candle in memory of Donnie Lynn Rouse



Tanya Roper - January 12 at 09:50 PM



“ Tanya Roper sent a virtual gift in memory of Donnie Lynn Rouse



Tanya Roper - January 12 at 09:49 PM



“ "Dear Donnie, you were more than just a friend to me. Your love for family, your infectious laughter, and your cowboy hat will be deeply missed. Thank you for the waffle house breakfasts you shared with me and Em, thank you for being a roof over Jeremiah and Scots heads when needed the most, thank you for all your love that felt as comfortable as HOME to so many. I'll cherish the memories of our bass fishing trips and late-night conversations. Dear God. 🥺🥺 I never wanted to miss you like this. Blessed with the BEST was having a friend in ❤️ YOU. Rest in so much LOVE and peace, dear friend." All my love and prayers go out to your ❤️ Mom , ❤️ Sister, and entire family 🙏🙏🙏

Tanya Roper - January 12 at 09:45 PM



“ My sweet friend! My heart breaks for your family! I'm glad you messaged me last week and needed sprite and soup bc I will cherish those last conversations. You showed me that new grandbaby so proudly! You always had wisdom for me, always had a smile even being sick. Thanks for all the laughs, you left a impact on this world! Rest Easy Cowboy!!

Amanda Lindsey - January 12 at 02:03 PM



Love you ❤️ Amanda 🙏🙏🙏

Tanya Roper - January 12 at 09:46 PM