



Lance Heath Duncan

August 17, 1978 - November 24, 2016

Lance Heath Duncan, 38, passed away Thanksgiving day in Hospice care. He had battled cancer for 36 years. He is survived by his stepmom and heart mom, Marla Duncan of 26 years; an uncle, Rodger W. Duncan (Barbara), Mark Wilson (Sheila); 5 aunts, Barbara Wilson (Jim), Wanda Fuller, Juanita Palmer all of Searcy, and Oleta Matt and Marilyn Bolton of Louisiana. He was preceded in death by his father Montie W. Duncan; his mother, Sharon Duncan Dacus; his paternal grandparents, Vernon and Wyndelene Duncan. Everyone who met Lance was inspired by his courage through adversity. Born Aug. 17, 1978, he endured countless surgeries over the years as he was diagnosed with cancer at 2 1/2 years of age. He was an only child who outlived both parents, who also fought cancer. He rose above his diagnosis by embracing his many blessings. He enjoyed annual trips to the beach, playing golf, riding 4-wheelers and watching hours of Westerns and Dukes of Hazard on TV and helping his grandfather on the family farm. He enjoyed his special relationship with his Uncle Rodger, the two spent many hours together. Services will be private, with burial at Honey Hill Cemetery. Lance will rest in peace next to his father. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to an Education Fund to be established in Lance's name. Donations may be sent to First Security Bank, any location in Searcy. This Education fund will give annually to a White County Graduate Student. A special thank you to his many caregivers, Betty Beck, Martha Kirkpatrick, Lindsey Woods, Jan Powers, Lana Clark and Kristy Burress, Lance loved you all!

Cemetery Details

Honey Hill Cemetery

Honey Hill and Country Club Rd's.
Searcy, AR 72143

Tribute Wall

PS

“ *Pam & Max Sharp lit a candle in memory of Lance Heath Duncan*



Pam & Max Sharp - November 27, 2016 at 11:06 PM

CM

“ *I have found memories of Lance as a little boy, my aunt Reba Betts who was a neighbor of Vernon and Winnie used to watch Lance sometimes. He loved my jeep. We would go sit in it and pretend we were taking grand trips. My condolences to the Duncan family.*

charlotte rice morris - November 27, 2016 at 07:42 PM

CM

“ *Charlotte Rice Morris lit a candle in memory of Lance Heath Duncan*



charlotte rice morris - November 27, 2016 at 07:37 PM

LD

“ *Lana Duncan lit a candle in memory of Lance Heath Duncan*



Lana Duncan - November 27, 2016 at 02:42 AM

BD

“ Lance loved to visit one-on-one. He liked attention without a crowd around. I got in a habit of buying a box of toys from a garage sale and bringing them home for us to gather around and see what was in the box. He, being a young boy all his life, had to explain each toy to me and try it out. Our game was to see who got to keep the most precious ones. If he wanted the toy and I pretended it should be mine, he would get in a deep chuckle and keep that one! He was fun and everyone loved him.

Barbara S Duncan - November 26, 2016 at 03:03 PM

JP

“ Lance has been such a great inspiration to me. Such a brace young man. I love him dearly.

Jan Powers - November 26, 2016 at 12:54 PM

JG

“ I am thinking of you and sending love. Jackie Galban and family



Jackie Galban - November 26, 2016 at 12:24 PM

LB

“ Leah Brooks lit a candle in memory of Lance Heath Duncan



Leah Brooks - November 25, 2016 at 07:50 PM

LB

So sorry for your loss, Barbara Wilson and family.

Leah Brooks - November 25, 2016 at 07:51 PM

DP

So sorry for your loss, Marla, Barbara & Rodger. I haven't seen Lance for several years , but I remember how sweet and kind he was when he was in school with Lisa. Our prayers & thoughts are with all of you ! Jim & Debbie Petty

Debbie Petty - November 26, 2016 at 07:05 PM

ST

Very sorry to learn of this ... Lord's blessing for him...

Strother - November 27, 2016 at 11:24 AM