

Walter L. "Dub" Southerland

March 15, 1952 - September 8, 2023

Walter Leonard "Dub" Southerland, 71, of Bald Knob, passed from this life on Friday, September 8, 2023 at his home surrounded by his loving family. He was born March 15, 1952 in Searcy a son of the late Leroy and Bertha (McGee) Southerland. Dub was a 1970 graduate of Bald Knob High School. He was a gifted athlete and excelled in all sports. He was a member of the 1969 Bald Knob Bulldog State Championship football team. Mr. Southerland was a devoted follower of the Lord and had been a member of the Agape Church of White County for over 30 years. He was an avid outdoorsman and loved crappie fishing and hunting. Dub was an extremely talented carpenter and began working in construction as soon as he graduated high school. He also worked in pipeline construction, retiring in 2017. Mr. Southerland mentored many young men on the job. He shared his wisdom and talents with those willing to learn and did so with patience and kindness. Through all his accomplishments in life, his family was what he was most proud of. He was a deeply devoted family man and adored his grandchildren. His philosophy was, "if my family is good, I'm good." Dub was a faithful husband, wonderful father, loving grandfather and a generous neighbor.

He is survived by his wife of 31 years, Linda Southerland; children, Jason Jones (Lori), Kristin Southerland (Freddie Shaw) and David Jones (Mary Brady); grandchildren, Braden, Walter, Ramsey, Spencer, Vance and Madeline and a great-granddaughter on the way, Baby Shaw; siblings, Steve Southerland, Wade Southerland, Tim Southerland, Karen Cox and Diann

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A celebration of Dub's life will be held on Saturday, September 9, 2023 at 3:00 p.m. at the Powell Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Debbie Collison officiating. Friends may visit the family Saturday from 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Those honored to serve as honorary pallbearers are Winston McAnelly, Barry Storey, Kevin Ables, Vernon Martin, Gary Little, Vinnie Zomant, Troy Roberts, Sam McGillvray, Dennis Adkins, Tony Comer, Jane Ellis, Tory Storey, Tim Edwards and Kenny Beard.

Arrangements are entrusted to Powell Funeral Home, Bald Knob – Judsonia.
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Previous Events

Family to receive Friends

SEP 9. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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Celebration of Life

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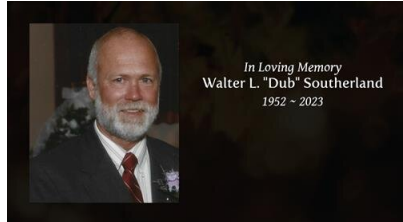
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Tribute Wall



“ Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Walter L. "Dub" Southerland



Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services - September 09, 2023 at 01:29 PM

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“ Phillip And Marcheta Goodin lit a candle in memory of Walter L. "Dub" Southerland



Phillip and Marcheta Goodin - September 12, 2023 at 03:22 PM

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“ Your Family @ Sleeve Seal purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Walter L. "Dub" Southerland.



Your Family @ Sleeve Seal - September 11, 2023 at 12:50 PM

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“ Your Family @ Sleeve Seal planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Walter L. "Dub" Southerland.

Your Family @ Sleeve Seal - September 11, 2023 at 12:50 PM

HR

“ *Uncle Dub was a wonderful Uncle and sweet and kind and loving 😊. Love you and miss you*

Heather Runyan - September 09, 2023 at 10:24 PM

BD

“ *So sad to see this,,,,May God Bless all of the family and comfort you in the days to come.*

Brenda Heard Davidson - September 09, 2023 at 05:43 PM

MD

“ *Margaret Davis lit a candle in memory of Walter L. "Dub" Southerland*



Margaret Davis - September 09, 2023 at 01:21 PM

MS

“ *I so loved Dub and Linda so sorry to hear of his passing I know the gates of heaven are open wide to welcome him home.*

Mary Lou Smith - September 09, 2023 at 10:07 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Walter L. "Dub" Southerland.*



September 08, 2023 at 10:20 PM



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