



## Alton Knight

August 17, 1940 - April 21, 2016

Alton Knight, 75, of Soso passed away at his home Thursday, April 21, 2016.

Visitation will be at Memory Chapel on Saturday, April 23, 2016 from 5 until 8 p.m. with services on Sunday at 3:00 p.m. Burial will follow at Union Line Cemetery in Soso immediately after the service. Rev. Jim Taylor will officiate.

Alton was a life-long truck driver, but also served as a deputy sheriff for the Jones County Sheriff's Office and Chief of Police with the Soso Police Department.

Alton is survived by his wife, Geraldine, of 55 years, two sons, Douglas Knight (Daphne) of Washington, DC and Dwayne Knight (Kellie) of Missouri; three grandchildren, Jason, Kristin, and Austin; and five great grandchildren, Addison, Laney, Cain, Jamison, and Grayson.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Rancie and Laurie Knight; brother, Milburn; and his sister, Hildred.

Alton was a man of few words, loved his family, was proud of his boys, and lived by his faith he believed in.

Pallbearers will be Ricky Hill, Trace Hill, David Holifield, Lynn Harvey, Macon

Davis, and Jason Green.

To sign the online guest book, visit [www.memorychapelareel.com](http://www.memorychapelareel.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Union Line Cemetery

Corner of Jefcoat Road and Union Line Road  
Soso, MS 39480

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **23**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Memory Chapel Funeral Home  
3100 Audubon Drive  
P. O. Box 674  
Laurel, MS 39440  
(601) 428-5235  
memorychapel@comcast.net  
<https://www.memorychapellaurel.com/>

## Service

APR **24**. 3:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Geraldine and family, so sorry for your loss. Alton was such a nice person - always looking out for the comfort of others and will be missed by many. Martile Moss

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**Martile V. Moss** - April 24, 2016 at 09:24 PM

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“ My father in-law was a man of few words and those who knew him knew this to be nothing but pure fact. He was one of the most honest men I have ever known. He was a very humble man that was full of pride and proud of his sons Douglas and Dwayne. He never treated me as a daughter in-law, he treated me as a daughter. He is in final days as always wasn't full of conversations but was funnier than usual and did make us laugh more. I will remember the way you would hold my hand and squeeze it and not want to let go. There are lots of things I will hold dear in my heart, too numerous to count. I will remember you always and much I loved you. There will always be a special place in my heart just for you💕💕.



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**Daphne Knight** - April 22, 2016 at 11:40 PM