



Dennis Bohannon

March 30, 1956 - November 7, 2020

Dennis Joe Bohannon, age 64 of Laurel, MS, was called to his Heavenly Home to be with the Lord on Saturday, November 7, 2020. He was born on March 30, 1956, in Jackson, MS. Dennis graduated from Northeast Jones High School in 1974, attended Jones County Junior College and earned a BA degree from the University of Southern Mississippi. He played football and baseball during high school and junior college.

He was former co-owner of KarmelKorn Shoppe / The Popcorn Place in the Sawmill Square Mall for 28 years. He was a retired math teacher and coach for the Jones County School System at West Jones High School. He continued as the football statistician for West Jones High School until his untimely death.

Dennis was a very active member of Oakland Grove Baptist Church where he served as Treasurer, Sunday School Superintendent and operated the sound system. He was also an active member of the Gideon's International and served as the Treasurer for the Laurel North Camp.

Dennis is preceded in death by his Father, Aubrey Joe Bohannon. He is survived by his Mother, Jean N. Bohannon, Sister Diane (Kirk) Smith, Brother David Bohannon of Laurel and Sister Donna (Joe) Buckley of Vancleave, MS, Nephews and Nieces include Chad (Terri) Knight of Laurel, Aubrey E.

Bohannon of Laurel, Matt (Amber) Buckley of D'Iberville, Andrew Bohannon of Laurel, Tyler (Hannah) Buckley of McHenry, Brian (Georgia) Bohannon of Memphis, Morgan (Daniel) Coats of Clinton, Ben Bohannon of Laurel and Maribeth Bohannon of Laurel, Uncle, Jack Bohannon of Memphis, a host of great nieces and nephews and many close special friends.

He was avid sports fan as he followed and supported USM, JCJC and high school sports. He enjoyed spending time with family and friends.

Services will be held on Thursday, November 12, 2020, at Oakland Grove Baptist Church. Visitation will begin at 12 noon and the funeral will follow at 2 PM.

Pallbearers will be his Nephews. Honorary pallbearers will be members of the Laurel North Camp of the Gideons' International.

To sign the online guest book, visit www.memorychapellaurel.com.

Cemetery Details

Oakland Grove Baptist Church Cemetery

2475 Pleasant Grove Rd
Laurel, MS 39443

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 12. 12:00 PM (CT)

Oakland Grove Baptist Church
2475 Pleasant Grove Rd
Laurel, MS 39443

Service

NOV 12. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

RP

“ I met Dennis and his family when I started at SL-100 in 1981. Always made me feel like part of the family. I am deeply Saddened and heart broken to hear of his passing. May the lord comfort his sweet and precious family.

Rick Probst - December 26, 2023 at 08:34 AM

SC

“ To all of the family...we were very shocked & saddened to hear of the passing of Dennis...we first came to know him quite a few years ago @ the "ole" Poole Creek ballfield...& well remember seeing him in the mall @ the yummy popcorn place & @ county wide school meetings...he always had a friendly smile & a pleasant greeting...please know you all have been very much in our thoughts & we ask that God give his peace & comfort to each of you.
Shelton & Rhonda Cooley

Shelton & Rhonda Cooley - November 13, 2020 at 11:53 AM

FC

“ Remember fondly our days at “the Mall,” Dennis and Joe selling popcorn and the Hallmark shop cards! Friends and memories made forever. Dennis will be missed on earth, but Heaven is rejoicing. I can only imagine the reunion with Dennis and Joe. We shall be remembering all of you as you adjust to the sudden loss. God bless and keep you. Ralph and Fay Campbell

Fay C. Campbell - November 11, 2020 at 10:30 AM

JB

“ So sorry to hear about Dennis. My thoughts and prayers are with you all! I remember Dennis as such a happy soul, always with a smile. 💕💕 Judy Lambert Bomar

Judy Bomar - November 11, 2020 at 09:53 AM

MT

Sorry to hear about Dennis .we grew up on Poole Creek Road.He was a very friendly guy I also worked with Dennis at Mcdonald.He will be missed by everyone who knew and loved him.Spread your wings Dennis and fly high

Martha Baty Tew - November 14, 2020 at 08:06 AM



“ This breaks my heart, Dennis was very inspirational part of my childhood, having worked for the Bohannon family for three years at the KarmelKorn shop. Dennis taught me to enjoy math using creative ways in the shop and showing me how important it was. Not only that but there were many inspirational talks about life, girls, friends, work, and most importantly God. Dennis will be missed but the memories that we all have of his humor and kind nature will go on with us. Rest easy my friend you are at home with the lord and say hello to Papa Joe for me.
In Memory,
Joey Parker

Joe Parker - November 11, 2020 at 08:44 AM

FM

“ You were a pleasure to be around at school because you were so positive and usually had a smile on your face. Thanks for making those math meetings more enjoyable and thanks for teaching Kasey about Geometry! 🙏🙏🙏 for your family and you will be missed my friend ❤️

Freida Merchant - November 11, 2020 at 01:27 AM

AR

“ Praying for God's peace and comfort to get you through this difficult time.

David, Angela & April Rudolph

Angela Rudolph - November 10, 2020 at 09:55 PM

RR

“ Was the mentor and friend I needed when I needed it most. A true and everlasting friend that shaped countless lives, in all aspects of the word, a hero to many. My honor to have known you, you will be greatly missed.

Robert Greg Rivers - November 10, 2020 at 07:27 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Dennis Bohannon.



November 10, 2020 at 07:19 PM

GR

“ I was shocked to hear of Dennis' passing. He was one of the good guys. I'd known him since college and used to see him often in the mall at the Popcorn Place. Rest in peace sweet friend. Fly high. God bless his family.

Geri Duckworth Richie - November 10, 2020 at 04:05 PM

JR

“ Coach Bo will always be remembered for his kindness, generosity and his enjoyment for making people smile and feel appreciated. I can remember numerous times in which I traveled to various USM sporting events with him and another group of about 5 to 6 individuals, and a song from the 70's or 80's would come on the radio, and he would reply to me after I said the name of the artist(s), "Okay Coach Risen, what year did the song come out?" Coach Bo was a great person who will be surely missed with his passion for sports, family and friends, and life.

Jim Risen - November 10, 2020 at 02:16 PM

DJ

“ I am so sad to hear of the passing of my friend and classmate. He was always kind and thoughtful to everyone. We shared a love of teaching and he will be greatly missed!

Debra Jones - November 10, 2020 at 01:46 PM



“ I remember Dennis from the Popcorn business; he was always nice and polite and enjoyed his talks. He will be missed by so many people



Amanda Mandy Braswell - November 10, 2020 at 12:37 AM

JB

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



JEAN BOHANNON - November 10, 2020 at 12:11 AM

Donna Breichling

“ I'm so saddened to hear of Dennis's passing. He was such a sweet guy and will be missed greatly. Family and friends are in my thoughts and prayers



Donna Breichling - November 09, 2020 at 09:07 PM



“ 1 file added to the album NEJ Class of 1974



Jan Holcombe - November 09, 2020 at 01:27 PM



“ I was so sad to hear my classmate Dennis passed away. He was such a great guy, and will be missed by all who knew him. I do find comfort knowing he is now with his Heavenly Father in Paradise. ❤️



Jan Holcombe - November 09, 2020 at 01:13 PM

WT

Yes, I believe he's with Jesus.

Wayne Touchstone - November 09, 2020 at 09:52 PM



“ *Jan Holcombe lit a candle in memory of Dennis Bohannon*



Jan Holcombe - November 09, 2020 at 01:09 PM

BW

“ *You will surely be missed. Your laughter and your special wave. Everyone that knew you could tell a story. You were loved by all. Love you, Brenda Walters*

Brenda Walters - November 08, 2020 at 08:27 PM