



Webster Dale "D. J." Johnson

August 28, 1957 - February 9, 2024

After a courageous battle with cancer, Webster Dale "D. J." Johnson passed on February 9, 2024 peacefully at home with family at his side.

As a young man of barely 18, he enlisted and served his country in the U. S. Navy. He was assigned to the U.S.S. Ramsey, port of call was San Diego, CA. He was a signalman and part of the Wespac/Shellback Initiation. Upon leaving the Navy he worked many years in the offshore and inland oil drilling industry. In his later years he worked with the tree/wireline services as a tree surgeon.

He enjoyed fishing, music, and playing with his pet pot-bellied pigs. He loved writing and telling humorous stories to friends and family. He loved his family and wanted everyone he knew to call him "PawPaw".

He was preceded in death by his mother Nettie Ruth Ainsworth, father Roy Webster Johnson, and grandparents Vernon D. and Mary Alice Wood.

He is survived by his wife Sarah Johnson, sons Webster Dale Johnson Jr., Roy "Kenny" Johnson, and Addison Toop, daughters Sadie Johnson (Ira) and Katie Alexander (Aaron). Grandchildren are Joseph, Javion and Ira Johnson, Sarah Rose Manuel, Deveon Cunningham, Jr., Mane, Prynce Alexander Kuriana Johnson, Kaitlyn, Roy "Bubba", Brandon, Elizabeth and Mason Johnson, and Talon Toop. Great grandchildren are Paisley, Abigail and

Kaystin Johnson. He is also survived by his sister, Dianne White (Rodney), a host of nieces and nephews and life-long friends Ray, Donna Holifield and Andrew Young.

Memory Chapel Funeral Home is in charge of the services. Graveside services will be Wednesday, February 14, 2024 at 2:00 p.m. at Antioch Church Cemetery in Bay Springs, MS Pastor Joey Miller to officiate.

A special thanks to the staff at St. Joseph Hospice, the nursing staff of 2nd West at SCRMC, Dr. Rogers, Dr. Pimperl, Pastor Joey Miller, friends and family that were so supportive during his battle with cancer.

“Don’t worry Poppa Bear, we got this!” your family.

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

Cemetery Details

Antioch Baptist Church Cemetery

1611 Hwy 18
Louin, MS 39338

Previous Events

Graveside Service

FEB 14. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ My daddy was a strong man. He called him self the Highlander. Now he can rest. I love you Daddy and I miss you so much. Daddy you looked so good yesterday. Memory Chapel did a wonderful job. They went above and beyond for me yesterday. It means the world to me that they really cared about everything I talked to them about at your graveside. I love you Daddy.

Sadie Nicole - February 15, 2024 at 11:18 AM

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“ You will be truly missed -



Ann - February 14, 2024 at 05:43 PM

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Love you 🥰 -A

ann - February 14, 2024 at 07:28 PM

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“ DJ you will be so missed down here. Please take care of my baby Beau, until God calls me home. Y'all are not just our friends, y'all have been our family for 40 plus years . I know it must be beautiful in Heaven and what a glorious reunion we will have when God opens up the Heavens for our Eternal home! I can only imagine! Sam loves y'all (Sandra and children)

Sandra Giles Hilbun - February 14, 2024 at 12:31 PM

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When I First Heard I Was Shocked After Awhile It Hit Me So Sad For Y'all's Loss He Touched My Soul Long Ago It Was Great Time To Be Thanks RiP Brother In Law

Ronald Bridenbaker Ex Brother In law - February 15, 2024 at 11:03 AM



“ *Memorial Honor Blanket was purchased for the family of Webster Dale "D. J." Johnson.*



February 13, 2024 at 10:35 PM

JC

“ *Thoughts and prayers go out to Dale's Family and Friends. Dale and I went to school together and had alot of good memories about Dale. We also used to run around the Skating Rink behind the McDonalds down town ,alot of good memories there to with Dale and Earl Woods.*

Jimmy Clark - February 12, 2024 at 10:09 PM