



Mr. Don Ward

October 26, 1936 - April 5, 2026

Mr. Donald Carrol Ward passed from this life on April 5, 2026.

Don was born in Enola, Arkansas and graduated from Quitman High School in Quitman, Arkansas. In 1959, he was drafted into the United States Army. After basic training, he was stationed at Redstone Arsenal as a military policeman with the 291st Military Police unit. Don met his wife, Zella, while working at Redstone Arsenal. They were married in 1963. Don worked for Martin Industries in Huntsville for 22 years. He retired as supervisor of the parts department in 1996. Don was a member of the First Baptist Church of Grant.

He is survived by his wife, Zella Ward; his son, Keith Ward (Tammy); grandsons, Evan Ward (Melinda) and Justin Ward; granddaughters, Shannon DeVault, Erin Johnson (Marc), Megan Ward, and Taylor Ward; great grandsons, Ethan DeVault, Dane Johnson, Kai Johnson, and Koda Johnson.

Don was preceded in death by his twin sons, Jeffrey and Gregory; and his parents, Bertha and Euel Ward.

Visitation will be held at the Grant Memorial Chapel from 6-8 p.m. on Tuesday, April 7, 2026. Funeral services will be held at Grant Memorial Chapel on Wednesday, April 8, 2026 at 2 p.m. Dr. Chuck Conley and Dr. Steve Stanfield will officiate. Burial will be in Free Home Cemetery. Pallbearers for Mr. Ward

will be Evan Ward, Jim Christian, Harold DeArmond, Bobby Dabbs, Rickey Smith, and David Rhinehart.

Arrangements Entrusted to Grant Memorial Chapel

Cemetery Details

Free Home Cemetery

Free Home Rd.
Grant, AL 35747

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Grant Memorial Chapel
4930 Main Street
P.O. Box 484
Grant, AL 35747
(256) 728-2000
grantmemorial@nehp.net
<https://www.grantmemorialchapel.com>

Funeral Service

APR 8. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



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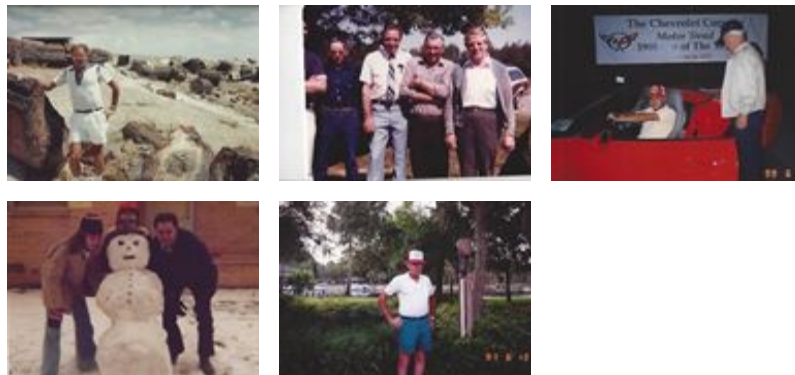
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