

Kelley Joe Lewis

age 61, a resident of Farmington, Arkansas, passed away peacefully Sunday, October 8, 2017. He was born November 9, 1955 in Fayetteville, the son of Carl and Virginia Ratliff Lewis of Durham, Arkansas.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Kelley loved hunting, fishing, canoeing, and kayaking. At the time of his death, he lived in the home that he and his wife built together in 1976. After graduating from Elkins High School in 1974, he began finishing concrete. He would go on to open his own business, Kelley Lewis Concrete, with Linda in 1996, a business which would last 21 years. He worked 44 years as a concrete finisher.

Survivors include his wife of 40 years, Linda Marie Lewis; one son, CPT Kevin Wayne Lewis and wife Ashley of Fayetteville, North Carolina; two brothers, Dempsey Lewis and wife Kathy and Dana Noel Lewis all of Durham; brother in law Jackie Hamblen and wife Faye of Farmington; two nieces Hailee and Anna Lewis; three nephews, John Lewis, Justin Hankins and Gary Hamblen. Kelley had many other relatives and friends who loved him dearly and will miss him greatly.

**APPRECIATION**

On behalf of the family, we wish to express their gratitude for your many acts of kindness, and for your attendance at the funeral service.

Luginbuel Funeral Home
Prairie Grove, Arkansas

online guest book, visit www.luginbuel.com

***Kelley Joe Lewis***

November 9, 1955

October 8, 2017

Outdoorsmen Prayer



Thank you Lord, for the joy that you bring, for the fish in the lakes and the birds as they sing.

You are the Master Artist and the landscape you draw takes away my breath as it fills me with awe.

The autumn woods full of colors, of orange and red and the dropping ripe acorns upon which your creatures are fed.

A beautiful sunset on a cypress filled lake, shines a myriad of colors which only you can make.

For the sight of a bass as it leaps in the air and the challenge of stalking a whitetail deer.

For the turkey that gobble and the dove that fly low, and the crappie and catfish that lurk down below.

And the thrill that I get from your ducks and your geese, I thank you my Lord for the privilege of these.

And I pray for your wisdom for all that partake of the hunting of game and the fish in the lake.

That our stewardship values are true and are strong, that our ethics are righteous and we never steer wrong.

I pray for the safety of all who enjoy, your great woods and waters, men, women, girls and boys.

CELEBRATING THE LIFE & MEMORY OF

Kelley Joe Lewis

DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE

Wednesday, October 11, 2017 - 2:00 P.M.
Christian Life Cathedral - Fayetteville, Arkansas

ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude	Family Memories Video
Opening Remarks	Steve Dixon
"Here I Am To Worship"	Carolyn Long
Eulogy	Dana Lewis
Words of Comfort & Victory	Red Dixon
"Revelation"	Greg Dixon
Family Memories Video	
"Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)"	
"Redeemed"	
"Peace in the Valley"	
"I'll Fly Away"	

Closing Prayer **Red Dixon**

Postlude Music Selections

GRAVE SIDE SERVICES WILL NOT BE HELD AT THE CEMETERY. THE FAMILY WILL REMAIN AFTER THE SERVICE TO VISIT WITH FRIENDS.

FINAL RESTING PLACE

Cemetery Hill Cemetery - Farmington, Arkansas

PALLBEARERS

Dana Lewis - Kevin Lewis - Dempsey Lewis
Ellis Phillips - Eugene Springston - John Lewis

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Calvin Watkins - Don Terry - Gary Hamblen
Jackie Hamblen - Jeff Watkins

MEMORIALS

Memorials in Kelley's name may be made to New Heights Church, attn: Celebrate Recovery - P.O. Box 8668 - Fayetteville, AR

A SMILE

A smile is like the sunshine that brightens your way.
It gives hope and promises of things for the day.

It will spread a little gladness along your merry way.
It can heal a little hurt you may have received along your path.

So try a little smile as you go along your way. It will help lighten and carry your load of worries of the day.

A smile is something you can't buy, you can't sell, you have to give it away. And you are the only one that can do it. Every time you smile someone will smile back, and you will spread a little sunshine every where you go.

So smile a while from year to year or maybe even laugh, because you never know what may come across your path. It brings joy and happiness to everyone you meet.

It can heal a little hurt from sometime in the unforgotten past, or help to dry a tear that seems to last.

So when you smile at someone you are saying this smile can bring you a bright and beautiful day.

