

John Frank "Johnny" Cheatham Jr.

Age 75, a resident of Lincoln, Arkansas, passed away Wednesday, April 3, 2024 at his home. He was born November 5, 1948 in Hereford, Texas, the son of John Frank "J.F." and Jewel Athalene (Clark) Cheatham.

He was preceded in death by his parents and one sister Joy Athalene Batson.

Survivors include his wife of fifty-five years Anna Cheatham; one son Dean Neal Cheatham and wife Misty; one daughter Karen Lipford and husband Keith; six grandchildren Derek, Hudson, and Kate Cheatham, Garret Lipford and wife Brittany, Caleb and Allee Lipford; one great grandson John Payton Lipford, and one on the way; one brother Jody Clark Cheatham and his wife Darlene; two brothers-in-law Dale Batson and Edwin Roy and his wife Janet; six nieces and nephews Lisa Rawls and husband Caleb, Brad Cheatham and wife Jennifer, Tara Abshier and husband Patrick, Craig Roy and wife Sheryl, Brian Roy, Megan Luttrell and husband Chris, and numerous great nieces and nephews.

Johnny lived and worked in the Lincoln area his entire adult life; working for Summers Butane, The Washington County Road Department and The City of Lincoln.

He was a Texan! The Cheatham's moved from Texas, to J.F.'s hometown in Arkansas, when Johnny was in the 6th Grade. Maybe that explains his passion for horses. He had Quarter Horses even in High School. He enjoyed riding and teaching others to ride. Johnny served his Country in the Air National Guard for 6 years following High School.

Eventually, his (and Anna's) hard work and dedication allowed them to have a commercial egg and beef cattle farm. He was a successful farmer and soon was able to expand his beef cattle operation.

Johnny loved The Lord and he faithfully used the musical talents The Lord blessed him with. He willingly played music for special events throughout the area. He sang and played in the Rexall Rangers for many years as well as playing for The Golden Harvest Quartet. However, one of his legacies will undoubtedly be the number of people he taught to play a musical instrument, including his children and all his Grandchildren.

Johnny always found joy in small things; like rescuing any stray dog, writing and singing a funny song, or telling stories and laughing with people. His creativity knew no bounds and that always made work or all the other things he did with his family, including his siblings and his nieces and nephews a fun day.

Celebrating

THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF



Johnny Cheatham

November 5, 1948

April 3, 2024

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

"The Lord is good, a stronghold
in the day of trouble; he knows
those who take refuge in him."

Nahum 1:7 ESV



"Oh give thanks to the Lord, for
he is good, for his steadfast love
endures forever!"

Psalms 107:1 ESV

**CELEBRATING THE LIFE & MEMORY OF
Johnny Cheatham**

DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE
Monday, April 8, 2024 - 10:00 A.M.
Summers Baptist Church - Summers, Arkansas

ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude Family Memories Video

"Ashokan Farewell"

Opening Remarks Paul Young
Pastor - Summers Baptist Church

Prayer

"Build My Mansion"

Words of Comfort Paul Young

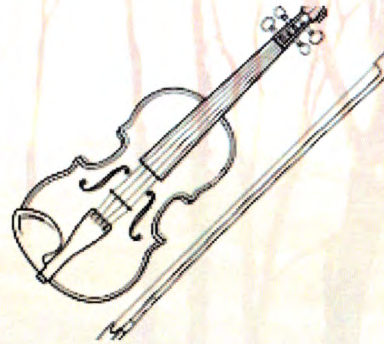
Closing Prayer

"Far Side Banks of Jordan"

Postlude Family Memories Video

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

FINAL RESTING PLACE
Beaty Cemetery
Lincoln, Arkansas



"But I am not ashamed, for I
know whom I have believed, and I
am convinced that he is able to
guard until that day what has
been entrusted to me."

2 Timothy 1:12 ESV