John Byard Spear was born September 1, 1966 in Siloam Springs, Arkansas. He passed away at his home in Fort Worth, Texas on Easter weekend 2025.

He leaves behind his godchildren, Brinkley Florence and Brayden Florence; his parents, Randall and Anna Cuzick Spear; a brother and his wife, Randy and Angela; a niece, Abby and her husband, Terry Lee Kirkland and their children Brooks, Charlie and Hope; and a niece Gracie and her husband, Sam Ammons.

John was blessed with many aunts, uncles, and cousins who were a big part of his life.

John graduated from Prairie Grove High School in 1984 and the University of Arkansas with a degree in Computer Science in 1988.

John accepted Jesus Christ as his personal Savior on April 1, 1973.

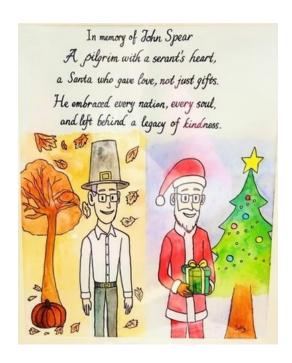
John was known for his cake decorating skills, helping his friends, doing skits with his dummy, Danny O' Day and being a big time Snoopy fan.

John spent many years leading a large ESL program at his church and many years helping in the nursery at Southcliff Baptist Church in Fort Worth.

John enjoyed spending time with his godchildren and their mother, Jenni Tharp. He cherished every moment of watching them grow up. He spent a lot of his time watching them participate in many activities and loved joining them on family vacations.

John will always be remembered for his dynamic personality. Family parties were a lot more fun if he was there!

He will be greatly missed!

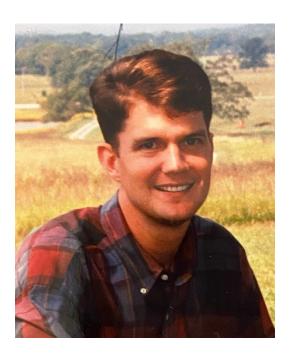


#### APPRECIATION

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.

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# Celebrating THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF



## John Byard Spear

September 1, 1966 April 21, 2025

### VICTORY

When this perishable body
puts on imperishability,
and this mortal body puts on
immortality,
then the saying that is written
will be fulfilled:

'Peath has been swallowed up in victory." "Where, O death, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting?

The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our lord Jesus Christ.

I Corinthians 15:54-57

#### **CELEBRATING THE LIFE & MEMORY OF**

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#### DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE

Friday, April 25, 2025 - 10:00 A.M. Landmark Baptist Church Siloam Springs, Arkansas

#### ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude Family Memories Video

Opening Prayer Paul Young

"I Can't Even Walk, Without You Holding My Hand" Landmark Singers

Eulogy Randy Spear

"Sanctuary" Landmark Singers

Words of Comfort Jack Bedford

Closing Prayer Paul Young

"Victory In Jesus" Congregational

Postlude

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

#### **PALLBEARERS**

Cousins

#### FINAL RESTING PLACE

Edmiston Cemetery Morrow, Arkansas

### TWENTY THIRD PSALM

The LORD is my Shepherd;
I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:
He leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil:
for Thou art with me:
Thy rod and Thy staff
they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies:

Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORP forever.