



James Leon Walls

May 15, 1950 - June 18, 2024

Leon Walls, age 74, of Boaz passed away peacefully at home on Tuesday, June 18, 2024.

He is survived by his wife of 55 years; Patti Walls, Son; Jeremy Walls (Scott Stover) Charlotte, NC, Daughter; Melanie Jacobs (Johnny) of Boaz.

Grandsons; Blake Owens (Vanna) and Lane Owens of Boaz. Step-Grandchildren; Trevor Jacobs, Paige and Flynn Stover. Brother; Gary Walls (Diann) of Boaz and Sister; Flonnie Bellamy of Gadsden, and several nieces and nephews.

He is preceded in death by his parents; S.L. and Ruth Walls and Sister; William Dean Vinyard.

Dad served 41 years in the Alabama National Guard and United States Army Reserves, retiring in 2010 as

First Sargent, and enjoyed a long career of almost 40 years at USDA. He was serving as a deacon at

Walnut Grove Baptist Church, went on mission trips with World Changers and Red Apple Baptist Church.

He was also a graduate of West End High School, Class of 1968.

His funeral service will be 4 p.m. Thursday, June 20, 2024 at Etowah Memorial Chapel.

The family will receive friends from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. before the service.

The burial will follow at Hillcrest Cemetery. Bro. Phillip Fowler will be officiating.

Pallbearers will be Blake Owens, Freddie Brasher, Lane Owens, Terry Benjamin,
Timothy Thrasher and Tracey Wilder.

In lieu of flowers, make donations to Big Oak Ranch or Wounded Warrior's Project.

Etowah Memorial Chapel Directing

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Cemetery

Snellgorve Ave.
Boaz, AL 35957

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 20. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Etowah Memorial Chapel
12600 US Highway 431
Sardis City, AL 35956
(256) 593-4994

Service

JUN 20. 4:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of James Leon Walls.*



June 24, 2024 at 03:03 PM



“ *Construction Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James Leon Walls.*

Construction Team - June 24, 2024 at 03:03 PM



“ *I am sorry for your loss. I worked with him he was a nice man. I want u to know . I lost mine the 2nd of May. It is not easy. God will see u thru. He has me, I wish u well and God Bless u and your family.*

Diana Stone - June 22, 2024 at 07:09 PM



“ *Our sympathy and condolences to Jeremy and his family*



Todd Stover and Joy Thiele - June 21, 2024 at 08:09 AM

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“ *Novella W Cone lit a candle in memory of James Walls*



Novella W Cone - June 21, 2024 at 08:03 AM

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“ *Venkat Tummala (VEN) Premier Vacuum Sys purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of James Leon Walls.*



Venkat Tummala (VEN) Premier Vacuum Sys - June 20, 2024 at 06:16 PM

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“ *Condolences to Leon's Precious Family and friends! Leon faithfully and diligently served with me as a guardsman in the ALABAMA NATIONAL GUARD where he was greatly admired and appreciated as a good friend and very good man! He will be missed! REST IN PEACE FRIEND!*
Larry Moss

Larry Moss - June 20, 2024 at 02:01 PM