



## Donald Glen Rice

December 23, 1941 - July 30, 2024

Donald Glen Rice, age 82, of Clarksville, Arkansas, passed away, Tuesday, July 30, 2024 in Clarksville. He was born December 23, 1941 in Poinsett, Arkansas to Harry Ray Rice and Mary Lee Arnold Rice. Donald was of the United Pentecostal faith. He worked in construction and was an apostolic preacher. He was an avid sportsman, an excellent marksman and was competitive in all sports. Some of his favorite things were hunting, skiing, fishing, and golfing. Donald enjoyed time with his son Dewayne on the slopes skiing and fishing with family and friends. He loved the mountains of Colorado, Canada, and Alaska. His greatest treasures were the love of his life, Norma and his children and grandchildren. Donald's most precious treasure was his walk with and love for Jesus.

Donald is preceded in death by his parents, Ray and Lora Rice; two sisters, Freda King and Loretta Conyers; and three brothers, Hullen Rice, J.D. Rice, and L.D. Rice.

Donald is survived by his wife of 62 years, Norma Ellison Rice; one son, Dewayne Rice and wife Janet of Atkins, Arkansas; one daughter, Sheila Hall and husband Dennis of Winslow, Arkansas; one brother, Vernon Rice and wife Pearl of Coal Hill, Arkansas; five grandchildren, Amy Burton and husband Jack, Joey Pack and wife Gina, Christi Johnston and husband Jamie, Savannah Sykes and husband Michael, and Courtney Ross and husband

Wes; sixteen great grandchildren; ten great-great grandchildren; numerous nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Visitation will be 1:00 P.M. to 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, August 6, 2024 at the Pentecostal's of Altus, 110 Miller Street in Altus, Arkansas.

Funeral service will be 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, August 6, 2024 at the Pentecostal's of Altus in Altus, with Reverend Dennis Hall and Reverend B.J. Thomas officiating, with burial at Oak Ridge Cemetery, Lower Jethro Road in Ozark, Arkansas, under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home.

Serving as pallbearers will be Wes Ross, Michael Sykes, Jamie Johnston, Joey Pack, Jack Burton, Jeffrey Yarbrough, Lane Frost, and Kyle Frost. Serving as honorary pallbearers will be Troy Don Ellison, Lonnie Turner, Francis Cloudt, James Wyre, Bill Bell, George Hughes, Gary Swanson, Max Peadida, Lee Yates and Jamie Ennis.

To leave an online memorial visit [www.shafferfuneralhomeweb.com](http://www.shafferfuneralhomeweb.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Oak Ridge Cemetery

Lower Jethro Road  
Ozark, AR

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 6. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Pentecostal's of Altus  
110 Miller Street  
Altus, AR 72821

## Funeral Service

AUG 6. 2:00 PM (CT)

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110 Miller Street  
Altus, AR 72821

## Burial

AUG 6 (CT)

Oak Ridge Cemetery  
Lower Jethro Road  
Ozark, AR



# Tribute Wall

CB

“ My uncle Donald Rice saved my life from drowning I am forever grateful I loved staying with them ❤️ he and I had some great fun skiing together just me and him I will cherish those times till I can ☐ hug him again ❤️ in heaven. I love you and miss you 😭❤️ always

Charlotte Bugg - June 04, 2025 at 12:07 AM

TG

“ My family shares the grief in your loss. He was a wonderful father, husband and father-in-law to my brother and sister-in-law. I know that they will miss him each and every day. Sending my prayers and love.

Tracy Goddard - August 12, 2024 at 03:21 PM

BY

“ 1 file added to the album Slideshow



Byron - August 05, 2024 at 01:54 PM

PA

Great picture show, music matches so well, you look like your Dad, remember all the good times.

Pat - August 05, 2024 at 09:35 PM

GS

A life well lived and loved by so many

Gary Swanson - August 06, 2024 at 11:44 AM

CB

*I would love a copy of the video*

**Charlotte Bugg** - August 06, 2024 at 09:49 PM

JT

*A great man who raised a great family. We are all blessed by his life.*

**Jolene Trotter** - August 17, 2024 at 01:55 PM

WF

“*Wyre family purchased the Rose Remembrance for the family of Donald Glen Rice.*



**Wyre family** - August 02, 2024 at 11:18 AM

BF

“*Boston Mountain Fellowship purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Donald Glen Rice.*



**Boston Mountain Fellowship** - August 01, 2024 at 10:15 PM

SF

“*When I was a kid our family was so close as the cousins grew up and we have drifted but we always keep up with each other in our own ways. I have so many wonderful memories of Uncle Donald all my life he may be singing in heaven with so many of our family and friends that have gone before us but he will always be in my heart*



**Sharon Farnam** - August 01, 2024 at 07:51 PM



*Prayers for the family* 🙏🙏

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**Phillip Duncan** - August 02, 2024 at 10:26 AM