



Dan R. Grounds, Jr.

July 3, 1925 - November 21, 2013

Dan R. Grounds, 88, of Ashdown, AR, died Thursday , November 21, 2013 in a local hospital.

Mr. Grounds was born on July 3, 1925 in Hugo, Oklahoma. He was a master carpenter and founded Grounds Construction, building custom homes. He was a Deacon and faithful member of First Baptist Church. he served his country in WWII as a member of the Army. He was an avid hunter and fisherman, killing his largest deer at the age of 87. He enjoyed spending time with his family, especially his grandchildren, known to them as "Daddy Dan."

He is preceded in death by his parents, Eula and Dan Grounds, Sr.

Survivors include his wife of 64 years, Mary Edd Grounds of Ashdown, AR; three sons and daughters-in-law, Mike and Jo Grounds of Little Rock, AR, Kenny and Sherry Grounds of Ashdown, AR, Richard and Lana Grounds of Ashdown, AR; four sisters, Ruth Walker of Ashdown, AR, Lois McGraw of Ashdown, AR, Carl Jean Stephens (Jere) of Ashdown, AR, Catherine Ann Black (Buddy) of Fayetteville, AR; eight grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren.

Services will be 2 pm Sunday November 24, 2013 at First Baptist Church, Ashdown, AR with Rev. Butch Riddle officiating. Burial will be in the Ashdown

Cemetery under the direction of Madden Funeral Home.

Visitation will be 5 pm to 7 pm Saturday November 23, 2013 at Madden Funeral Home in Ashdown, AR

Memorials may be made to First Baptist Church in Ashdown, AR.

Online Registration: maddenfuneralservice.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Dan R. Grounds, Jr.*

October 08, 2023 at 02:47 PM



“ *Dan Jr. and his family were part of the fabric of Ashdown and a generation that made a difference in the town and in the lives of people who knew him. He will be missed --*

Alice A Henderson - Montgomery, TX - family friend - November 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *My deepest sympathies. Wish I could have worked more with him, for there was much I could have learned.*

Bob Wright

Bob Wright - Texarkana, TX - November 26, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *My heart is saddened to hear of Dan Jr's passing. I have many fond memories of he and his family as we all grew up in the Baptist church. Always a smile and a good word to everyone...*

Cynthia Thrash - November 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Richard, I did not know your father but I am SURE SORRY. I lost mine 7-5-13 and I am not going to lie.....It has been VERY VERY VERY HARD!!!!!! You ,Lana and your whole family have been in my prayers. It will NOT be easy but hang in there. LOVE ALL OF YOU!*

Dara Mauldin - Texarkana, AR - November 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ *Dan Jr. was a great friend to my father, who loved him dearly. I remember him when I was a boy and always thought he was an outstanding man and an example to the community.*

Jimmy Priest - Katy, TX - friend - November 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. May God bless you and your family with peace.*

Judy Walker Patterson - Fort Smith, AR - Old friend - November 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *So sorry to hear about your loss. He was a good, kind hearted man . He will be missed*

Tim & Susie Brown - Ashdown, AR - Neighbor - November 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Barry and I are so sorry to hear about your loss. We will keep your family in our prayers.*

Donna Humphries - North Little Rock, AR - friend - November 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ *I remember the good days at Ashdown when we were all younger and all had fun together.
My sincere condolences to the Family of Dan*

Don Phillips - Little Rock, AR - Old Friend - November 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Sorry to hear about Mr Dan*

Tony Kidd - ASHDOWN Ar, AR - November 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM