



Mr. Doug Ballard

November 17, 1955 - November 1, 2016

Services for Doug Ballard, 60, of Gilmer will be held 3 P.M. Sunday, November 6, 2016 at Hopewell Primitive Baptist Church in Winnsboro with a visitation to begin at 2 P.M. with Bro. Jimmy Hamrick officiating. Interment will follow at Hopewell Cemetery in Winnsboro. The family will receive friends Saturday, November 5, 2016 from 2 P.M.- 4 P.M. at McWhorter Funeral Home in Gilmer. Doug was born on November 17, 1955 to John Ballard Sr. and Faith Kohler Ballard in Ft. Sam Houston, TX and died on November 1, 2016 in Gilmer. No Matter what he did in life he was always a fighter. When he was diagnosed in 2014 with cancer he was given 6 months to live, Doug refused to accept that and fought till his last breath. He also strongly believed in family. At the end he loved to get visits from Johnny and Emily, They were the delight of his life and could always bring smiles and happiness in the trying times of his last days. He married his wife Faith on September 3, 2011 in Colorado.

Doug is preceded in death by his father.

Surviving him are his mother; Faith Ballard. His wife, Faith Anne Ballard. The son he never had Andrew Goldberg. Brothers, John Ballard Jr. and Jack David Ballard. Sister, Faith Ballard Massingill.

Please visit Doug's on-line registration book at www.mcwhorterfh.com to leave a memory for the family.

Cemetery Details

Hopewell Cemetery

FM 49
Gilmer, TX 75644

Tribute Wall



“ *McWhorter Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Doug Ballard*



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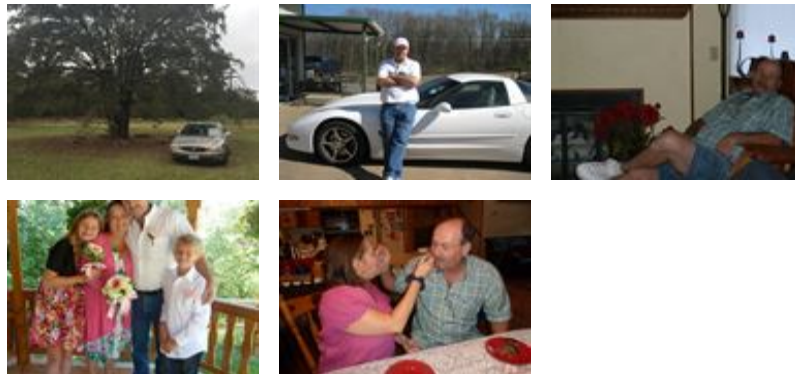
“ *Kathleen Banks lit a candle in memory of Mr. Doug Ballard*



Kathleen Banks - November 07, 2016 at 08:39 PM



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“ Thinking of your family and praying for you all. Love, Beth Fisk Brown

Beth Brown - November 04, 2016 at 09:20 AM

Tina Ballard

“ Doug was a great uncle to Johnny and Emily and will be missed terribly by us. The kids talk about their Uncle Doug all the time and want to know when he can come over to play. Johnny liked to play trains with him and Emily would play baby dolls with him. She would take her baby dolls and lay them all over his lap and give him a bottle to feed them. He would act like that was the most important thing to do at the time. He will be missed and we love him deeply. Love John, Tina, Johnny and Emily

Tina Ballard - November 03, 2016 at 10:22 PM



“ Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Mr. Doug Ballard.



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“ White Roses Half Casket Cover was purchased for the family of Mr. Doug Ballard.



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