



Kelvin Marshall

April 29, 1974 - November 3, 2025

Kelvin Trumane “KT” Marshall, 51, of Hot Springs, Arkansas, passed away Monday, November 3, 2025, surrounded by his loving family. Born on April 29, 1974, to Theodore and Charlene Marshall, KT was the youngest of three children. Kelvin accepted Christ at a very early age. He was a faithful member of the Woodridge Street Church of Christ, where he served as the Finance Director and Church Announcer. He was always willing to help out and serve others. Kelvin loved his Church Family! During his high school years at Hot Springs High School, KT was a star athlete who excelled at football. He earned a bachelor’s degree with a major in Finance from the University of Central Arkansas. After graduating from college, he started his first job as a bank auditor for the State of Arkansas. This led to a twenty-one-year career in banking at Malvern National Bank. His current position was Vice President at the Hot Springs branch. KT built a foundation of trust with every customer he came in contact with and could reach people in a very rare, vulnerable, and profound way. KT developed a love of sports at a young age, which led to his passion for refereeing. He was a pillar of the community who touched the lives of many youth and their parents with his profound warmth, generosity, and outgoing personality. He had the ability to connect with just about anyone. His legacy has left a significant, positive impact on his community. KT was the kind of man who made excellence look effortless. A sharp dresser (Polo by Ralph Lauren was his uniform), a respected executive, a referee who knew the game and the spirit behind it, a philanthropist who gave generously, and a

mentor who lifted others as he climbed. He was a Trojan High School legend and die-hard Dallas Cowboys fan. His athleticism was matched by his heart, and his presence made every room brighter, every gathering richer (his stories would have us shaking our heads, laughing hysterically, and pondering how this tale would end)! Of all KT's accomplishments, his love and commitment to his family are by far his greatest legacy. He was always the first to rally everyone together during the holidays. He enjoyed planning family vacations, playing spades and dominoes all night long, and the friendly competitions with his nephews playing "College Football" on PlayStation. KT was the center and anchor of his family. He was a devoted son, a loving brother, and the kind of uncle who blurred the lines between "Uncle Buck" and father. His house and office walls are full of photos of his nieces and nephews and all their accomplishments. He cheered them on for every sporting event, dance recital, and graduation. This past year, he was able to witness his nephew who carries his name become Dr. Keyan Trumane Marshall, M.D. The look of pride on his face was unmatched. The recent births of his "honorary granddaughters" brought joy to him in his final months. KT had two extra siblings by marriage that shared a special bond with him. The word "in-law" did not exist to him when it came to his love and affection for them. KT was more than just a baby brother to his two older siblings. He was their best friend, confidant, and the driving force that gave them strength to pursue greatness. The three of them share childhood adventures and intimate stories with a bond that is unbreakable. He was their sounding board, safe place, and their constant check-in. There was no mountain high enough that he wouldn't have climbed for them. The love he displayed for his siblings was shown truly at the onset of his illness when he told them what his diagnosis was. With a calm and consoling strength, he selflessly stated, "I do not have children, and if this was to happen to any of us, I am glad it was me." His devotion to his mother was a testament to her unwavering love. This unwavering devotion was a reflection of her selfless acts, resilience, and the unconditional love she consistently showed him throughout his life. His mother was the center of his

world, and she never left his side through his recent battle. KT's love of family was rooted in the strong and steady presence of his father. At a young age, his father became his most devoted fan. His voice echoed in the stands at high school football games. Like his father, KT was never at a loss for words. He spoke to others from his heart. Every Sunday, you could find the two of them together enjoying a mutual love of sports, especially the Dallas Cowboys. KT was truly a gift, woven into the fabric of all the lives he touched. His presence will be greatly missed and will leave a lasting void. KT is survived by his parents, Theodore and Charlene Marshall; one brother, Ted (Cindy) Marshall Jr., Toledo, Ohio; one sister, Claudia (Ricky) Westbrook Sr., Maumelle, AR; four nephews, Theodore III, Keyan, Kendal, and Ricky Jr.; and two nieces, Makaila and Raquel. A host of aunts, uncles, and cousins genuinely loved him. A Celebration of Life will be held Saturday, November 15th, at 11:00 a.m. at 70 West Church of Christ, located at 948 Airport Rd, Hot Springs, AR, with Pastor Rickey Smith officiating. Interment will follow at Crestview Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5:00–7:00 p.m., Friday, November 14th, 2025, at Hot Springs Funeral Home

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **14.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Hot Springs Funeral Home
1017 Central Avenue
Hot Springs, AR 71901
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Visitation Friday 5:00 - 7:00 at Hot Springs Funeral Home

Funeral Service

NOV **15.** 11:00 AM.

70 West Church of Christ

Tribute Wall

NH

“ I am just now hearing about the passing of KT, my classmate and a great pillar in the community.
KT will be missed! Prayers for Mr and Mrs Marshall, Ted and Trecie and family

Natasha Harris - April 01 at 07:31 AM

SJ

“ I taught Kelvin at The old high school building in Hot Springs named Central. He was an old soul in a sixth grade body. It was my first year, and I will never forget him reminding me to ‘ think before you leap” it was the first time I heard the saying and I used in reflections and actions throughout my life. I am saddened he is no longer on walking on Earth but knowing he is walking with God is sweet Devine. I enjoyed teaching Kelvin, he was smart and had a dry sense of humor. I am sorry for your loss and I know the void it presents.

stacey kelly jones - December 03, 2025 at 11:12 PM

EC

“ Growing older is getting harder. Losing friends and family members is the hardest part. My thoughts and deepest condolences are with everyone who loved KT - his presence will always be missed.

Erika Cross - November 18, 2025 at 04:55 PM

PW

“ My deepest condolences to the Marshall family, may God continue to give you strength during this difficult time. Kt was a dear friend and will be forever missed by many. With love Precious Watson.

precious Watson - November 16, 2025 at 05:40 PM

AO

“ One of my best friends at MNB always made time to talk and ask how everyone was doing. prayers for the family during this hard time. He will be greatly missed

Alan Overturf - November 15, 2025 at 07:12 PM

WR

“ Condolences to the Marshall family Kelvin will forever be missed by the Richardson family Rest in the arms of our heavenly father 🙏❤️

Willie Mae Richardson - November 15, 2025 at 10:49 AM

KT

“ Praying for strength and guidance during these difficult times.....

Karissa Toatley - November 15, 2025 at 07:04 AM

KD

“ KT will always be remembered for his supportive spirit, always encouraging my sons, always respectful whenever we crossed paths, and always cheering me on as a mother. May he rest in peace. My heartfelt prayers and condolences go out to the Marshall family and extended family.

Kim Hall/Kj, Jonathan, Justin, Devin - November 14, 2025 at 08:55 PM

BF

“ My deepest condolences to the family of KT Marshall, many blessings to each of you!

Bobby Fields - November 14, 2025 at 06:03 PM

BW

“ *k.t. and I could respectfully disagree on whether he was a star athlete (as stated in his obituary; brother Ted is the family member I heard more about) but we are losing a good man and Hot Springs a loyal citizen. He imparted something good in every situation, even one night during a heated baseball game at either Lakeside or the boys' club, site slips my mind). I knew to count on his friendship. Blessings to Ted and the family.*

bob wisener - November 14, 2025 at 04:51 PM

CT

“ *Thinking of all of KT's family, friends, and colleagues during this difficult time. We will always remember his big smile and kind heart.*

Matthew and Christy Tyler

Christy Tyler - November 14, 2025 at 12:02 PM



WA

“ *Wendy Arnold lit a candle in memory of Kelvin Marshall*

Wendy Arnold - November 14, 2025 at 02:21 AM



WP

“ Our deepest sympathy and condolences to the entire Marshall Family. May God continue to give you strength. 🙏💖



The Arnold & Perkins Family

Wendy Arnold/Margie A Perkins - November 14, 2025 at 02:18 AM

EM

“ Rest peacefully, dear cousin- you will always be remembered with love. You touched more lives than you knew- Rest in Love dear Cousin. Love you forever.
Estra Marshall



Estra Marshall - November 13, 2025 at 09:46 PM

PS

“ Words won't take away the pain, and I want you to know I share in your loss. Hold on to all those memories because he'll always reside in our hearts.

*God Bless The Marshall Family,
From Patty & Willis Stewart*

Patt Stewart - November 13, 2025 at 04:21 PM



“ *May your soul rest in heavenly peace with continuous football and no brick walls. 🙏*



T.K. Turner - November 13, 2025 at 02:53 PM



“ *My sincere condolences to his family and loved ones. KT was a great guy - one of one. Rest in Peace*

Shay Spriggs Loring - November 13, 2025 at 10:05 AM



“ *Our sincere condolences to the family. May God grant you strength and comfort.*

Sheila, Hope & Melody Anderson - November 10, 2025 at 05:18 PM



“ *K.T. was always so kind and helpful in the banking business. He was truly a fine person. He will be missed! Sending love and prayers to his family at this difficult time. Cheryl Cooper*

Cheryl Cooper - November 10, 2025 at 10:05 AM



KT was well known in our family as a very respectful young man,our kids went to school, played football, and later staying in touch through Facebook. Alway a big gentle smile,and an friendly heart. Praying for his family at this difficult time.May God's peace surround You and the memories of Kt bring you comfort. Our sincere condolences. The Washington family

Mike & Mary Washington - November 14, 2025 at 09:15 AM

DC

“ My sincere prayers and condolences to the entire Marshall family. May God give you all strength and peace during this time.

Deirdra Cheatham-Wooten - November 09, 2025 at 01:31 PM

DW

“ My condolences to the family of K.T.

Diane White - November 09, 2025 at 02:43 AM

CR

“ Lifting up The Marshall Family in prayers. Take comfort in knowing KT is Home with His Father in Heaven and for certain He is well pleased with KT.

I didn't know him outside of basketball, where we met every season in the gym at Mtn. Pine. He was the head referee and I was the scorebook keeper. For more than 2 decades I've logged many games and I can honestly say, I never once witnessed KT get angry or lose his cool with the players, coaches or fans. He was a stand up guy who always did the right thing...knowing kids and teens had eyes on him. But, more importantly, he knew God did! A mentor to many, many young people...KT you were so respected and loved and this world will not be the same without your light. Rest in Peace KT

Cindy Redden - November 08, 2025 at 09:08 AM

JG

“ We first met KT playing Little League baseball at the boys club. He was one year older than Jamie. He was so athletic and he always pleaded to pitch. Such a fun time. We will never forget him. We have comfort believing we will be reunited. May the Lord give his loved ones this comfort.

James & April Gill - November 07, 2025 at 05:30 PM

GW

“ *Big homie you will be truly missed. I'm glad we became friends. Rest well. Greg Speedy Walker*

greg walker - November 07, 2025 at 02:52 PM

DS

“ *So sorry to hear of your loss. Sending hugs and prayers to the family,*



David & Ellen Shaddox - November 07, 2025 at 02:27 PM

CW

“ *My Condolences to the Marshall family , during your time of loss . K.T . Was truly a great person . I appreciate the chance for our paths to cross through friendship amongst other great friends. May God Grant you all peace and comfort during this time .*

Camesha Willians - November 07, 2025 at 01:24 PM

MH

“ *KT was a great asset to the Hot Springs School District and the greater community. He will be missed dearly. Prayers for all of his family and friends.*

Mike and Susan Hernandez - November 07, 2025 at 01:17 PM

BS

“ *KT was a great guy. Our son, Allan, played football with him at the Boys' Club, and against him in high school, and they were good friends throughout. He was always so nice and would always speak to my husband and me whenever we saw him. We are so very sorry for your loss. I pray that you will find comfort and peace during this difficult time.*



Bruce & Cindy Smith - November 07, 2025 at 01:00 PM

RR

“ *Kelvin Marshall I'm still at a loss for words that you have left this earth, I'm saddened that I will never hear your voice or see your face again, but you are no longer suffering. Continued prayers for your family and friends, you will most definitely be missed by many.*

Renee Richardson - November 07, 2025 at 12:40 PM



“ *Condolences to the Marshall family. Kelvin will be missed. I remember growing up he was the TRIP GURU. His vacay times were what I knew he was gone take regardless of anything that was going on. One thing about him he love his NIECES AND NEPHEWS and he showed me and my siblings love just the same way.*



Rayven Williams - November 07, 2025 at 12:08 PM

JM

“ The first time I ever heard about KT was when someone was talking about how good of a running back he was in little league football. Then I saw him play and I understood what they were talking about. He was the guy in town that people talked about because of his athleticism and how kind he was. When high school came around, I remember KT was always smiling and was so nice, when not all the upper classmen were nice to us. I'll never forget how KT treated me and others, with kindness. John 13:34–35

Jeremy Maddox

Jeremy Maddox - November 07, 2025 at 10:28 AM

CL

“ My sincere condolences to the entire Marshall family. KT will be deeply missed by so many. My prayers will be continually going up for you all.



Connie Lacy - November 07, 2025 at 10:17 AM

QH

“ I was so very sorry to hear of the death of KT Marshall. He was a wonderful person and one who inspired many others. I will be praying for his family and friends during this most difficult time. Q. Byrum Hurst

Q.Byrum Hurst - November 07, 2025 at 08:54 AM

DB

“ Condolences my sincere deepest sympathy 🙏 praying for the Marshall family 🙏 it is know words to express! I do know it is well with God 🙏🌹🌹🌸

Dorothy Black - November 07, 2025 at 08:01 AM



“ *My heart is heavy hearing about the passing of my childhood friend and high school classmate, KT. We shared so many memories growing up — from classrooms and laughter to dreams we talked about for the future. It’s hard to believe you’re gone.*

You were always so full of life, and that’s how I’ll always remember you. Thank you for the memories, the laughter, and the light you brought into so many lives.

Sending love and prayers to your family and everyone who loved you. Rest peacefully, my friend. 💔🙏

Melody Lenox - November 07, 2025 at 06:50 AM

MR

“ *KT was a son, a brother, an uncle, and a great friend to many. KT was a part of our family for many many years and we considered him a really good friend. We are saddened by the loss of KT and our hearts are heavy. KT was there to support our family whenever we needed him. He was a huge support to our family during our times of sorrow for the loss of our brother and our father most recently. Rest easy KT, you will truly be missed. Sending heartfelt condolences to the entire family. 🙏🙏*



Michelle Richardson-Blue - November 06, 2025 at 03:28 PM

LH

“ *Libby Anzaldua & Robert Hood lit a candle in memory of Kelvin Marshall*



Libby Anzaldua & Robert Hood - November 06, 2025 at 02:43 PM

LH

“ *Sending prayers of strength, comfort & understanding to Kt's friends & family. Such a kind gentle soul that truly touched everyone he came in contact with.*

Libby Anzaldua & Robert Hood - November 06, 2025 at 02:42 PM



“ *KT was a light. He had a big heart and was a champion for others. I count myself blessed to know him. Rest well, my friend.*

Lindsay Diaz - November 06, 2025 at 12:41 PM

MW

“ *KT was an exceptional man and a great friend. His profound personality and compassion touched so many hearts in our community, and he will truly be missed. I will cherish his friendship, forever. Praying for the Marshall family.....No wonder KT was such a wonderful person....he came from a most wonderful family.*

Michelle Watkins - November 06, 2025 at 01:03 AM

TC

“ A fine young man from a great family. I’ve known KT since he was in kindergarten with my son. They were best of friends and shared time at one another’s homes as young boys. Later wore the black and gold together on the gridiron. My thought and prayers go out to his parents and entire family.

Tim Capel - November 05, 2025 at 10:10 PM

RH

KT was an absolute joy to be around, always had a big smile and a big hug for me. He will be greatly missed.

Renee Howerton - November 06, 2025 at 06:15 PM

LG

“ I remember when we used to eat Pixie Sticks after church EVERY Sunday. We would get in trouble because we ate so much candy, lol before dinner. I always had to go and hang out with my big cousin. Gosh, the good old days. I can not believe you’re gone. I love you, cousin, so much may you rest peacefully.



LaToya Green - November 05, 2025 at 10:02 PM

VH

“ My deepest sympathy and condolences go out to the family’

Victoria Hannah - November 05, 2025 at 08:24 PM

WD

“ *Buck!! This is a bitter pill to swallow. Rest well my friend. Watch over your family and friends and come visit us in our dreams. From elementary, high school, and into adulthood you have been a part of my life.*



Wanisia Dunn - November 05, 2025 at 07:27 PM

BT

“ *During this time of profound grief, may you find comfort in the love and memories you shared with Kelvin. His spirit lives on in the hearts of all those he touched. Sending prayers and love to the Charlene/ Ted Marshall families.*

Beverly Thompson - November 05, 2025 at 04:00 PM

RF

“ *Condolences* 🌹 🙏

Reva Frazier - November 05, 2025 at 11:18 AM

KM

“ *I had the honor of graduating alongside KT Marshall from Hot Springs High School in 1993. That year, KT and I shared the title of Prom King—a moment that perfectly captured his spirit. KT wasn't just a leader in name; he was the heart of our class. He had a way of making every single person feel valued and loved, and his energy brought us all together. Whether it was in the classroom, at school events, or just hanging out, KT's kindness and charisma left a lasting mark on all of us. He truly cared for each and every one of his classmates, and that love will never be forgotten. Love you man!*
Kyle

Kyle Manzer - November 05, 2025 at 06:13 AM

ML

I was deeply saddened to hear about the passing of KT. It's hard to believe that someone we grew up and shared so many memories with, from childhood to adulthood, is gone too soon. He will always be remembered for his kindness, laughter, and the light he brought to those around him. My heart goes out to the Marshall family, friends, and everyone who loved him. May his soul rest in peace, and may we find comfort in the memories that will always remain. ❤️🙏

Melody Lenox - November 05, 2025 at 05:45 PM

RJ

My sincere condolences to the Family 🙏🙏🙏

Rev. Thomas & Darlene Jones - November 12, 2025 at 02:46 PM

NW

“ *KT was a kind person & co-worker. He will be greatly missed. Prayers for his family.* ”

Nita Wingo - November 04, 2025 at 05:11 PM