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“If I knew the way, I would take you home”

It is with great sadness that the family of Mabry Stewart Guenther, 36, announces his passing on Sunday, February 15, 2026, after an unexpected hospitalization.

Born in Memphis, Tennessee, Mabry was the son of Lee and Cathy Guenther. Growing up, he played rugby, learned to play tuba in school band, and was very involved in Boy Scouts, earning the highest rank of Eagle Scout.

Throughout his life, Mabry loved music, spending time with friends, and exploring spirituality and nature. He was a member of the Village Church of Christ, and his friends say he was a teddy bear at heart with a one-of-a-kind personality. He marched to the beat of his own drum, pursuing many interests.

Mabry struggled with his mental health and battled with addiction. He was very proud that he had recently achieved one year of sobriety. He would want others who are haunted by the demons of addiction, mental illness, grief, and pain to know that they are not alone, that there is hope and help out there, and to keep holding on for one more day.

Mabry is survived by his father, Lee Guenther of Hot Springs Village; his sister, Chelsea (Blake) Benham of Elizabethtown, Kentucky; his brother, Garrett Guenther of Sparta, Missouri; his nieces, Lydia and Leah Benham; and many aunts, uncles, and cousins. He will be remembered and missed by his friends in the recovery community in Arkansas.

Mabry was preceded in death by his mother, Catherine “Cathy” Creak Guenther.

Memorial Service will be held at Grace Presbyterian Church, 6671 Yale Road, Bartlett Tennessee, on April 11, 2026, at 4:00PM

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made in Mabry’s name to SOZO Recovery Center – 505 W. Grand Ave., Hot Springs, AR 71901.

The family would like to thank the staff at National Park Medical Center for their care and compassion during Mabry’s time there.

“Reach out your hand, if your cup be empty
If your cup is full, may it be again
Let it be known there is a fountain
That was not made by the hands of men”

Previous Events

Service

FEB **25**. 7:00 PM (CT)

Village Church of Christ
Balboa Road
Hot Springs Village, AR

Memorial Service

APR **11**. 4:00 PM.

Grace Presbyterian Church

Tribute Wall

JL

“ *Jacqueline Lewinski lit a candle in memory of Mabry Guenther*



Jacqueline Lewinski - February 25 at 01:30 AM

JL

“ *Dear Mabry...you were my best friend when I lived in Arkansas. The only person I could talk to about our favorite band...the Greatful Dead . We had matching Greatful Dead hats that I got for us and brought them to our meetings. We always posted Greatful Dead stuff on each other's walls and always kept in touch. Always great conversations about our views on the universe and I don't even know what to say.I wanted to plan a trip to come back to Arkansas to see everyone and hang out with you again on e I was healed from my ankle surgery and now I have no reason to visit. You are one in a million and I will never forget you! Rip my BFF...I will miss you! And as the Greatful Dead would want...I will keep on Trucking!*

Jacqueline Lewinski - February 25 at 12:49 AM