



Stephen L Neal

May 21, 1950 - October 26, 2017

Stephen Lee Neal, 67, of Hot Springs passed away October 26, 2017. He was born May 21, 1950 in Helena, AR. He lived and farmed in eastern Arkansas until 1986, when he moved to Hot Springs and opened State Beauty Supply with his wife. Steve never met a stranger and was an avid hunter and fisherman. He thrived on the outdoor life, which he shared with his close friends and family.

Steve is preceded in death by his father and mother, Marion and Mary Lee Neal, and his sister, Janie. He is survived by his daughters, Michelle, Stacy, and Brooke, and their mother, Vicki. He also leaves behind son-in-law, Brad, sister and brother-in-law, Jim and June, grandchildren, Taylor, Sawyer, Brandon, Layton, Hunter, Noah, and Avery, and great granddaughter, Hailyn, as well as numerous relatives and friends.

Visitation will be 2:00 – 4:00 Sunday, October 29th at Hot Springs Funeral Home
Funeral Services will be 10:00 A.m. Monday at Hot Springs Funeral Home Chapel with Reverend Rick Thomas officiating.

Burial will be at Hickory Grove Cemetery, Bismarck, Arkansas.

Pallbearers are Brad Heston, Sawyer Milligan, Brandon Heston, Layton Teague, Hunter Heston and Noah Heston.

Tribute Wall

AP

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with your family.*
Archie & Relda Pittman

Archie Pittman - November 01, 2017 at 08:41 AM

TS

“ *To the Neal family we were so sorry to hear about Steve passing our Beauty shop and our family would like to express our sympathy to your family.*
Donna and Tim Sassaman

Timothy Sassaman Sr - October 31, 2017 at 03:18 PM

WW

“ *God Bless you all.*
Wayne Woodall Bismarck, Ar

Wayne Woodall - October 30, 2017 at 09:47 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Stephen L Neal.*



October 29, 2017 at 11:43 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Stephen L Neal.*



October 29, 2017 at 10:46 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Stephen L Neal.*



October 29, 2017 at 10:26 PM

MW

“ We met Steve at the Pizza Shack/Fisherman's. He recognized Clarence from 3rd or 4th grade in Rondo, Arkansas. Steve never met a stranger. We will miss his smiling face. Prayers.

Molly Wooten - October 29, 2017 at 10:17 PM

MS

“ sorry for the loss of steve...high school mate moose sawyer

moose sawyer - October 29, 2017 at 05:43 PM

FL

“ I remember Steve from high school and how he always had a smile and a hello to everyone. My thoughts and prayers to his family. RIP Steve

Faye ripper lyons - October 28, 2017 at 05:12 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Stephen L Neal.



October 28, 2017 at 03:43 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Stephen L Neal.



October 28, 2017 at 11:48 AM



“ Steve was full of life... He brought laughter wherever he went. I know he will be so missed by all of you his beloved family. He treasured each one of you. I cannot imagine the pain you feel for losing such a wonderful father, grandfather and friend. I don't think heaven will be prepared to have all the laughter he brings but earth will be lonely. I pray for each of you. I know one thing your a very strong family together and I hope that you will lean on each other for that support now. You have me in thoughts and prayers and my heart breaks knowing you are in such pain right now. I pray that God eases your suffering with peace soon love each of you. Tammy

Tammy Worm - October 28, 2017 at 10:46 AM

RH

“ ROYCE HAMMER purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Stephen L Neal.



ROYCE HAMMER - October 28, 2017 at 09:58 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Stephen L Neal.



October 28, 2017 at 07:49 AM

BK

“ I will never forget how sweet and kind this man was, every time he was at my salon... he was larger than life ... always pushing you to follow your dreams... This world could use a lot more Steve's !!! Thank you for everything!!! Rest in Love... your family will be in my prayers!!!! ~Beth Godwin Kolasch ~

Beth Kolasch - October 27, 2017 at 08:33 PM

PR

“ Never a dull moment around Steve. I loved his personality. He was always fun to be around. He loved his family, extended and immediate. He will truly be missed.

Patti Rozell - October 27, 2017 at 04:51 PM



“ Michelle, Stacy, Brooke, and Vicki, I am so sorry for your loss. I thought a lot of Steve and I know how much he loved his girls and the grandkids. Praying for peace and comfort for you all during this difficult time.

Misty Wilson - October 27, 2017 at 04:42 PM