



Donnie "Bosco" L. Poynter

May 14, 1940 - March 21, 2017

Donnie "Bosco" Poynter was born on May 14, 1940, he was the twin son of Roy Poynter and Inez (Bishop) Poynter. He was born in Springfield, Missouri. He died at the age of 76 years, 10 months and 7 days on March 21, 2017 in his home surrounded by his children.

Bosco was united in marriage to Elaine (Dillard) Poynter on July 10, 1971 and to this union were born four children: Donald, Michele, Thomas and Shawna, whom he loved dearly. He raised his family to serve the Lord and to work hard. He was saved as a young boy at Bible Baptist Church where his family attended. Later he moved his membership to New Hope Baptist, where he became a Charter Member. He loved his Lord and had many duties in the Church throughout the years. One he enjoyed the most was teaching Sunday School. His greatest joy was being on his backhoe or working beside the boys in the family business that they built together.

Donnie was a 50 year Mason and a member of the Macks Creek and Buffalo Masonic Lodges. He also served his country in the Army during the Vietnam War.

Donnie is survived by his wife Elaine, son Donald and wife Stacy, daughter Michele Uptegrove and husband Tim, son Thomas and wife Stacy and daughter Shawna Moriarty and husband Justin. His greatest joys were his grandchildren: Lily, Clint, Mackenna, Cole and Emarie Poynter, Tanner and Mya Uptegrove and Evan and Easton Moriarty. He is also survived by his sister, Carol June Miller and brother-in-law John Dillard and wife Helen, and a

host of nieces and nephews who will sadly miss him.

Donnie was preceded in death by his parents, Roy and Inez Poynter, his twin brother Lonnie Poynter and his brother Alfred Poynter.

Funeral Services will be held Friday, March 24th at 10 A.M. at the New Hope Baptist Church with Rev's. Richard Prater and Tom Augustine officiating.

Music selections were "Life's Railway to Heaven," by Richard Dunlap and recorded selections of "The Wheel" and "Lead Me Home." Pallbearers were Hosea Clemmons, Tom Augustine, Lyle Mankey, Joshua Poynter, Andrew Poynter and Mike Popp. Honorary Escorts were Jimmy Miller, Rick Wright, David Phillips and Wayne Bartee. Interment will be in New Hope Cemetery under the direction of the Montgomery-Viets Funeral Home of Buffalo.

Visitation and Masonic Rites will be Thursday evening at the Funeral Home from 6-8 P.M. Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association.

Tribute Wall



“ *Donnie "Bosco" L. Poynter*

October 09, 2023 at 12:27 PM



“ *Donnie "Bosco" L. Poynter*

October 09, 2023 at 04:09 AM



“ *Donnie "Bosco" L. Poynter*

October 05, 2023 at 11:14 PM



“ *Donnie "Bosco" L. Poynter*

October 05, 2023 at 05:41 PM



“ *Donnie "Bosco" L. Poynter*

December 20, 2022 at 10:20 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss.*

M Smith - April 07, 2017 at 05:56 PM



“ *Donnie will be missed ,great guy.*

Mike Clayton - March 26, 2017 at 08:22 AM

VB

“ So sorry to hear about Donnie, He use to pick my sisters and I up for church. My Uncle, Leon Maulin was in the same class at Tunas. We lived with our Grandparents, Glenn and Audrey Maulin. Prayers sent to all the family.

Veda kay Ballinger - March 24, 2017 at 11:30 PM

NA

“ So sorry for your loss of your dad, he was a great, kind man.

Nelson and Deborah Allen - March 24, 2017 at 05:48 PM

RG

“ Sorry we can not make it to the service. We are very sorry for your loss and will have you all in our prayers.

Randy and Brenda Garrison - March 24, 2017 at 11:30 AM

DH

“ I will miss Donnie. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.

Dave Hunziger - March 24, 2017 at 09:57 AM

AS

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Prayers to the family.

Amanda Shaddy - March 23, 2017 at 04:59 PM

ST

“ We are so sorry for your loss!!! Donnie was my classmate at Tunas.

Shirley J. Tillotson - March 23, 2017 at 02:43 PM

TB

“ *Donnie "Bosco" L. Poynter*

Tim Brake - March 23, 2017 at 10:52 AM

JJ

“ *Always loved seeing him come in. He was a sweet man and a great customer. We will miss him. Praying for your family.*

Jessica Jasper - March 23, 2017 at 10:29 AM

KJ

“ *So sorry for your loss. Love and prayers for you and your family.*

Kim Jones - March 23, 2017 at 09:51 AM

SF

“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Sending love, prayers and hugs for comfort for all during this difficult time.*

Sheri Hart & Family - March 23, 2017 at 07:04 AM

RC

“ *So sorry for your loss. Your family is in our prayers.*

Russell and Lucinda Crouch - March 22, 2017 at 09:58 PM

AD

“ *I'm keeping you all in my prayers! Love you guys!*
Angel

Angel Dotson - March 22, 2017 at 09:47 PM

BP

“ *Beth Platz has sent this Expressions of Sympathy card.*

Beth Platz - March 22, 2017 at 09:39 PM

BP

“ Michele and family, I am so sorry for your loss. I remember Donnie well, he was a good man. Prayers for comfort. Hugs to all.
Beth Robie Platz

Beth platz - March 22, 2017 at 09:34 PM

CS

“ *Thoughts and prayers go out to the family*

Corkey Steinmark - March 22, 2017 at 09:30 PM

CS

“ *Our sympathies to the Poynter Family. Donnie will be missed by all.*

Cecil &Joyce Swanigan - March 22, 2017 at 07:28 PM

HK

“ *A genuine Brother that always cared about others. We will miss him.*

Harold Kueck - March 22, 2017 at 05:24 PM

KM

“ *So sorry for your loss. Bosco was one in a million.*

Kelly McCoy - March 22, 2017 at 05:16 PM