



J. David Woodrum

January 20, 1954 - April 17, 2025

J. David “Dave” Woodrum, age 71 of Mattoon, IL passed away Thursday, April 17, 2025, at Sarah Bush Lincoln Health Center in Mattoon, IL.

A funeral service in his honor will be held at 2:00 PM, Friday, April 25, 2025, at Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home, located at 1200 Wabash Avenue, Mattoon, IL 61938; Reverend Lonnie Scott will officiate. The burial will take place at a later date. The visitation will be held from 12:00 PM until the time of service at the funeral home.

Dave was born on January 20, 1954, in Mattoon, IL to the late John L. and Lucille F. (Calhoun) Woodrum. He married Laura L. Cress on October 10, 2014, in Las Vegas, NV. She survives and resides in Mattoon, IL. Other survivors include his three sons, Clint W. Woodrum of Mattoon, IL, Cyle W. Woodrum and wife Kendra of Cooks Mill, IL, Cedric Woodrum of Greenup, IL; two step-sons, Damien Foutch of Mattoon, IL, Wesley Fansler of Decatur, IL; six grandchildren: Morgan Lanman of Arkansas, Noah Seeley of Mattoon, IL, Brent Plummer and wife Leiko of Jacksonville, NC, Gabriel Percy of Mattoon, IL, Cayden Woodrum of Martinsville, IL, Caleb Woodrum of Mattoon, IL. He is preceded in death by his sister, Brenda Misenheimer.

Dave was a long-time employee at Lenders Bagels where he worked as a utility operator before his retirement. He was an avid sports fan who loved hockey, football, baseball, and drag racing. He was a handyman who liked tinkering with anything and everything, truly a jack of all trades. Above all, he was a family man. Nothing brought him more pride than his sons and

grandchildren. They will forever treasure his valuable life lessons he taught them over the years. Dave will be lovingly remembered by all who knew him. Memorials in his honor may be made to the family in care of Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home.

Please visit www.mitchell-jerdan.com or www.facebook.com/mitchelljerdanfuneralhome to light a virtual candle in his honor or share a memory with the family.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **25**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ Kaitlyn planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of J. David Woodrum.

Kaitlyn - April 24, 2025 at 09:18 PM

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“ Kaitlyn purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of J. David Woodrum.



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“ Kathi Cobble lit a candle in memory of J. David Woodrum



kathi cobble - April 22, 2025 at 10:21 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of J. David Woodrum.

April 22, 2025 at 09:01 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of J. David Woodrum.*



April 22, 2025 at 09:01 AM



“ *You will always have a place in my heart. R.I
P*

Dee - April 21, 2025 at 06:15 PM