



Everett B. Shoup

April 7, 1950 - February 2, 2025

Everett Bryant Shoup, a devoted husband, father, and grandfather, passed away peacefully on February 2, 2025, in Memphis, Tennessee, at the age of 74. Born April 7, 1950, in Lubbock, Texas, to Lt. Col. Samuel E. and Ethel B. Shoup, Everett lived a life marked by service, faith, and a deep love for his family and community.

Everett's life was one of diverse accomplishments. Even in his youth, Everett's character shone through; he achieved the rank of Eagle Scout and was inducted into the Order of the Arrow.

He served as a respected teacher and school principal, demonstrating a dedication to education that touched countless lives. His entrepreneurial spirit led him to success as a small business owner and farmer. His commitment to public service was evident in his tenure as Benton County Supervisor, District 1.

Everett was a dedicated member of Ashland Baptist Church where he served as a deacon and Sunday school teacher. His passions extended beyond his professional life. He enjoyed skeet shooting and boating and found great fulfillment in his missionary work with the Benton-Tippah Baptist Association. He shared his unwavering faith and the love of Jesus Christ with others through his involvement with the Gideons.

Everett is survived by his beloved wife of 56 years, Sheri Graves Shoup; his three sons, Bryan (Suzanne) Shoup of Ripley, Chris (Jessica) Shoup of Ashland, and Jonathan (Erin) Shoup of Ashland; five grandsons, Trevor Shoup of Ripley, Thomas (Olivia) Shoup of Ripley, Jackson Shoup, Samuel Shoup, and Andrew Shoup of Ashland; and one granddaughter, Eliza Shoup of Ashland; his brother, Samuel (Betty) Shoup of Ashland; He also leaves behind a host of cherished nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Lt. Col. Samuel E. and Ethel B. Shoup.

Everett's legacy will live on in the hearts of all who knew him. He will be deeply missed for his kindness, generosity, and unwavering faith. His memory serves as a testament to a well-lived life.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, February 5, 2025, at 1:00 PM at Ashland Baptist Church, with visitation from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM. He will be laid to rest at Ashland Cemetery. Pallbearers will include Trevor Shoup, Thomas Shoup, Jackson Shoup, Michael Shoup, Trey Shoup, Dan Graves, Rob Graves, and Jason Huddleston, with the deacons of Ashland Baptist Church serving as honorary pallbearers.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Gideons International.

Cemetery Details

Ashland City Cemetery

1044 Ripley Ave
Ashland, MS 38603

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 5. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Ashland Baptist Church
173 Church Street
Ashland, MS 38603

Service

FEB 5. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

RS

“ Ms Sheri and family,we were sorry to hear about Mr. Everett passing from this earthly life! I know he will be greatly missed! He was a very special man of God, always finding a way to help and encourage others to serve the Lord!He always found a way to make you smile or laugh, when he thought you needed a pick- me-up.we really thought so much of him. He was a man of love for all people, he met, Had a Godly love deep in his heart for his wife and Son's and their wives and grandchildren! Will always remember him!



Raymond and Sandra Smith - February 06, 2025 at 11:49 PM

KC

“ Kathy Swinford Coleman lit a candle in memory of Everett B. Shoup



Kathy Swinford Coleman - February 04, 2025 at 04:06 PM

KC

He was such a nice and kind man.Known his family for many years ..He will be miss by many.....Praying for his sweet wife and his three son's and their family.....

Kathy Swinford Coleman - February 04, 2025 at 04:09 PM

ME

“ Micah & Michelle Miller and Sandra Ervin purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Everett B. Shoup.



Micah & Michelle Miller and Sandra Ervin - February 04, 2025 at 03:18 PM

MM

“ Marathon, Ashland Ms purchased the Divine Light for the family of Everett B. Shoup.



Marathon, Ashland Ms - February 04, 2025 at 03:07 PM

MM

“ Marathon, Ashland Ms planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Everett B. Shoup.

Marathon, Ashland Ms - February 04, 2025 at 03:07 PM

AW

“ Mr Everett was one of a kind , he was kind strong as an ox and funny and smart as all get out. I ll never forget our vacations with our beloved Shoups . They were friends but more like family . On one particular vacation we stopped by a thrift store and I begged my parents to get me the disco ball and it was a no and Mr Everett got it and put it in the van and my parents didn't even know until we got home . He made room for it. I loved it then and even more now. I love his entire family . He had a big heart and he and Mrs Sherie always helped whoever whenever . Loved God and his family and always have the fondest memories. I knew you never wanted a paddling from him . He is smart . Stern and a big ole teddy bear with absolutely a heart of gold . 🧡 My thoughts and prayers are with his beautiful wonderful sweet family. He definitely left a legacy and his boys are pretty awesome and have amazing wives. Rest in peace Mr Everett until we see you again in heaven. Behind every great man was an even greater woman . I admire you Mrs Sherie the love and care you show to not only your family but friends and anyone. She is a saint.

amanda wilburn - February 04, 2025 at 02:43 PM

CR

“ Connie Rainey lit a candle in memory of Everett B. Shoup



Connie Rainey - February 04, 2025 at 02:37 PM



“ Prayers for the family!



Joyce & Teressa Williams - February 04, 2025 at 02:15 PM



“ Prayers for all the family Jessica.



Vickie Wilburn - February 04, 2025 at 12:31 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Everett B. Shoup.



February 04, 2025 at 12:26 PM



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February 03, 2025 at 09:42 PM



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“ Prayers for the family at this difficult time of sorrow



Billy & Myra Hill - February 03, 2025 at 08:39 PM



“ Prayers for the family



Joyce & Teresa Williams - February 03, 2025 at 08:12 PM



“ Bro. Everett was one of the sweetest people I knew and I remember everytime he would help someone he would say I'm sending building materials for my mansion in Glory. He was also a wonderful mentor to me and my siblings.

Rebecca Samuels - February 03, 2025 at 07:48 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Everett B. Shoup.*



February 03, 2025 at 06:14 PM



“ *GP Sweetwater Complex Family purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Everett B. Shoup.*



GP Sweetwater Complex Family - February 03, 2025 at 04:44 PM



“ *Robert And Lynda Jemison sent a virtual gift in memory of Everett B. Shoup*



Robert and Lynda Jemison - February 02, 2025 at 09:38 PM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss. We are praying for your Peace. Rest In Peace Mr. Everett. ❤️*



Sincerely, Clay and Penny Campbell - February 02, 2025 at 07:53 PM

JJ

“ We are so sorry to hear about Everett
Your family is in our thoughts and prayers
Praying for comfort at this difficult time !

Danny and Judy Jeanes

Judy Jeanes - February 02, 2025 at 06:12 PM

FW

“ Fredia Wright lit a candle in memory of
Everett B. Shoup



Fredia Wright - February 02, 2025 at 04:53 PM

HH

*From The Strickland Family And Hamer. So Sorry For Your Loss. May
The Lord Bless You All The Days Of Your Life.*

Hattie Hamer - February 05, 2025 at 12:34 PM