



David Cowan

September 17, 1963 - October 3, 2024

David Wood Cowan passed away on October 3, 2024 at the age of 61. He was born on September 17, 1963 in Birmingham, Alabama to his parents, Louie and Ruby Cowan.

He grew up in Springville, Alabama alongside his sister, Karen Cowan Wanninger. After graduating from Springville High School, he attended University of Alabama at Birmingham for his undergraduate studies. He then attended and graduated from UAB School of Dentistry with his Doctor of Medicine in Dentistry. Soon after graduation, he moved to Trussville, Alabama and had a successful dental practice. Following two decades of practicing private dental care, he spent the remainder of his career traveling throughout Alabama and Mississippi providing senior patients with exceptional dental care in nursing homes.

Baptized at Springville Presbyterian as a child, he raised his family at First Baptist Church in Trussville. David was a talented musician and trumpet soloist. He played alongside several orchestras and bands in the Birmingham music scene for nearly forty years. David played all over the country with the Drum and Bugle Corps, The CorpsVets, out of Atlanta, Georgia. He was a motorcycle enthusiast and spent his free time riding with friends. He was also a huge Alabama football fan.

He is survived by his sons: Andrew (Tori), Jaden (Madeline); four grandchildren: Lincoln (7), Liam (6), Charlotte (2) and Camille (11 months); his mother: Ruby Cowan; his sister: Karen Wanninger (Vince); his niece Leah Underwood (Sonny) and nephew Jacob Wanninger (Ashlei) along with his great nieces and nephews: Halli, Ryder, Charlotte and Louie. He was preceded in death by his father, Louie Bates Cowan (May 5, 2016), and his niece Kayla Wanninger (April 10, 1990), both of whom are laid to rest in Springville, AL.

The service celebrating David's life will be Wednesday, October 9, 2024 at Deerfoot Memorial Funeral Home in Trussville, AL. Visitation will be at 9AM and the service will be at 10AM. He will be buried in Springville, AL following the service.

Cemetery Details

Springville City Cemetery

875 Robinson Street
Springville, AL 35146

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 9. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Deerfoot Memorial Funeral Home
5360 Deerfoot Parkway PO Box 118
Trussville, AL 35173

Service

OCT 9. 10:00 AM (CT)

Deerfoot Memorial Funeral Home
5360 Deerfoot Parkway
Mailing Address PO Box 118
Trussville, AL 35173
(205) 655-3444
<https://www.deerfootmemorialfuneralhome.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of David Cowan.* ”



October 08, 2024 at 10:17 AM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of David Cowan.* ”



October 08, 2024 at 09:52 AM



“ *Mart and Donna Avant purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of David Cowan.* ”



Mart and Donna Avant - October 08, 2024 at 02:07 AM



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October 07, 2024 at 12:09 PM