



## John Harold Evans

May 8, 1932 - May 21, 2015

John Harold Evans of Waldron, Arkansas went to be with his Lord and Savior, Thursday, May 21, 2015 in Waldron, Arkansas surrounded by his loving family. John was born May 8, 1932 in Montgomery, Texas to John E. Evans and Myrtle Pauline (Dustman) Evans. John was 83 years and 13 days old. John was a long time member of Waldron First Baptist Church in Waldron, Arkansas where he served as a Deacon. John's unwavering faith and belief proved true by his commitment to lead by example.

John married the love of his life, Doris when they were mere youngsters. Together they raised four amazing children. John was a well rounded man. He was loyal as an employee and stayed with his company's for extended times. His experiences ranged from Douglas Aircraft to owning and operating an Otasco to retirement from Tyson Foods maintenance department. John enjoyed fishing, woodworking and gardening. His most treasured moments was that of family time. He loved getting to spend time with his grandchildren and great grandchildren. Memories made with his family were priceless.

John leaves behind to cherish his memory, his devoted wife of 63 years Doris of the home, one daughter, Suzan Tidwell and husband Tony of Ft. Smith, Arkansas, three sons: John J. Evans of Fort Smith, Arkansas, Bill Evans of Ft. Smith, Arkansas and Ric Evans and wife Kelli of Waldron, Arkansas. Grandpa will be missed by his nine grandchildren: John David, Mark, Angie, Tina,

Jason, Levi, Beau, Jacob and Brooke and as well as 7 great grandchildren. John will be missed by all that knew him and the many whose lives were impacted by him including a host of extended family, friends, neighbors and loved ones.

John is preceded in death by his parents, John and Myrtle Evans, two sisters, Nada Currier and Ann Oliver as well as three brothers: Leon, Leo and LaMoine Evans.

John's life celebration will be at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, May 23, 2015 at the Waldron First Baptist Church in Waldron, Arkansas with Rev. Ken Overturf officiating. Interment will follow in the Duncan Cemetery in Waldron, Arkansas. Arrangements are being entrusted to the Heritage Memorial Funeral Home in Waldron, Arkansas.

John's pallbearers will be Jason Tidwell, Levi Tidwell, Wade Robertson, Myrten Owens, Miles Dozier and Billy Gene Davis. Honorary pallbearers will be Ray Rice, Neil Cherry, Jim Henry Currier, Benny Newberry and Slick Sherrill.

John's visitation will be Friday, May 22, 2015 from 12:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at the Heritage Memorial Funeral Home where John's family will receive friends from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be sent to American Cancer Society, 6307 Alma Highway, Alma, AR 72921 or FBC Building Fund, c/o Waldron First Baptist Church.

# Cemetery Details

## Duncan Cemetery

Waldron,, AR 72958

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY **22**. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Heritage Memorial Funeral Home  
1879 West 6th Street  
Waldron, AR 72958  
(479) 637\*1212  
info@heritagememorialfh.com

## Family Will Receive Friends

MAY **22**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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## Celebration of Life

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MAY **23**. 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM (CT)

Waldron First Baptist Church  
Hwy 80 & Main Street  
Waldron, AR

# Tribute Wall



“ *Heritage Memorial Funeral Home & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of John Harold Evans*



Heritage Memorial Funeral Home & Crematory - May 28, 2015 at 04:22 PM

HS

“ *John was a very special Man: We have known him and worked with and worshipped with him for many years. Although he is missed by many of us, please be assured that our prayers and concerns are with his family. Hershal & Atha Sims*

Hershal & Atha Sims - May 27, 2015 at 08:24 PM

JP

“ *Doris, Ric and family, John was a great guy who always had a smile on his face and would stop & visit with you where ever you met him. He will be missed! My thoughts & prayers are with you & family!*

*'Jeto' Piles*

jeto piles - May 23, 2015 at 08:13 AM

LG

“ *Doris and family my deepest sympathy to you. John was a wonderful man. Never saw him when he didn't have a smile for you.*

Linda Goodner - May 23, 2015 at 07:02 AM

MR

“ Dear cousin Doris and family know that I am praying for you all. John Harold is a wonderful person that has gone on to be with Jesus. We miss them when they have passed over but know that all pain is gone. Hugs to you all. Mary Rudnicki

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**mary Rudnicki** - May 22, 2015 at 11:21 PM

DD

“ We are so sorry for your loss. John was a wonderful man. In our thoughts and prayers.



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**Darla & Miles Dozier** - May 22, 2015 at 08:19 PM

TC

“ Doris, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family! John was a wonderful man, and will be missed.



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**Teresa Houston Culpepper** - May 22, 2015 at 07:46 PM

JE

“ Dear Doris and Family,  
Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. John was certainly a prime example of what a Christian should be. He was genuine in his beliefs, and so very gentle and kind. When my Mom had the Christian Outreach Store, all she had to do was call Mr. John and he would be there right away to fix whatever was broken. She thought the world of John and you. I know that his presence here will be missed, but I'm so glad we have the Promise to see him again in Heaven.

Joni Essman - May 22, 2015 at 11:28 AM

KO

“ Kirk and Vera Owens purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of John Harold Evans.



Kirk and Vera Owens - May 22, 2015 at 10:42 AM



“ 81 files added to the album Life Tributes



Heritage Memorial Funeral Home & Crematory - May 22, 2015 at 10:18 AM



“ *I was very blessed to get to serve with John for a short time. One of the sweetest spirits I have ever been around. He showed much kindness to me and my family. Praying for you all!*

*Billy, Meggin, Hannah, and Eli Crow*

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**Billy Crow** - May 22, 2015 at 10:11 AM



“ *You're in our thoughts and prayers*

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**The Churchill Family** - May 22, 2015 at 09:23 AM



“ *I had the privilege of serving as John's pastor for 5 years. He was a Godly gentleman, strong in his convictions and gentle in his spirit.*

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**Marla Young** - May 21, 2015 at 08:49 PM



“ *With sincere sympathy to Mrs. Evans and the entire family. You know he is with his sainted parents, Nada Lee, and Ann.*



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**Keith Holleman** - May 21, 2015 at 08:43 PM

DS

“ John will be missed greatly, but he is now pain free. He had an amazing faith in God, and we know he is in Heaven. Thank you, Suzan, for taking me around your family those many years ago, making the memories we share of your dad. He always had a smile and a hug for me whenever he saw me. Rest in Peace, my friend. May Doris and the kids find peace and comfort during this difficult time.

Diana Sims - May 21, 2015 at 08:33 PM

TH

“ Tracy & Colleen Hooper purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of John Harold Evans.



Tracy & Colleen Hooper - May 21, 2015 at 07:45 PM

BC

“ God Bless you and comfort you during this time! John has always had a special place in my heart. He was kind to me and everyone else! Waldron will surely miss this wonderful man but God has gained another beautiful soul!!!

Bill and Cassie (Wood) Coben - May 21, 2015 at 06:15 PM

SS

“ John was truly a good friend of my husband and I ! He worked for my husband at Tyson and he said he was a great employee as well as a great friend ! Prayers for Doris and the kids !! We know John is pain free now ! He will truly be missed !!

Slick and Connie Sherrill - May 21, 2015 at 05:56 PM

AB

“ I am so sorry to hear of John's passing. He was a really nice person and will be missed by his family and friends. Thinking of you all at this time.

Ann Bingham - May 21, 2015 at 04:38 PM

TD

“ Our deepest sympathy goes out to the family. John was a wonderful person to know.

Tim and Kim Defoor - May 21, 2015 at 04:01 PM

GB

“ WHAT A GOOD NEIGHBOR, AND A SPECIAL FRIEND , MY PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU,,,, AND YOUR FAMILY AT THIS TIME. LOVE, GAYLE BOTTOMS



GAYLE BOTTOMS - May 21, 2015 at 01:15 PM

JP

So sorry to hear about John passing away. We all know he is in a much better place and free from pain and suffering. God Bless the whole family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. David and Janice Parsley

janice parsley - May 22, 2015 at 09:00 AM