



Ellis "Dale" Davenport

May 7, 1931 - September 18, 2021

Ellis "Dale" Davenport, son of the late James Andrew Davenport and Rosetta (Godfrey) Davenport, was born May 7, 1931 in Laquey, Missouri. As a young boy, he attended elementary school in Buffalo, Missouri and then graduated from Waynesville High School with the Class of 1949 where he was quite the basketball player.

In 1950, Dale began working for the Frisco Railroad as a traveling mechanic. He worked for them until 1990 except for two years when he was serving in the United States Army.

On July 3, 1978, Dale was united in marriage to Doris Ethel (Wilson) Breedlove in Miami, Oklahoma. Two families were united with Cindy and Danny Davenport and Jeff Breedlove. They shared over 43 years of marriage together and many wonderful memories.

Dale was a member of the Masonic Lodge and served as a reserve deputy for the Pulaski County Sheriff's Department for many years.

Dale took great pride in maintaining the family farm. You would find him out working on the property with his tractor, making sure all the fencing was fixed, and just making sure everything was in tip top shape.

In his spare time, Dale enjoyed making knives, trading and collecting guns, and hunting.

At an early age, Dale made a profession of faith and attended the United Methodist Church. In his adult years, he faithfully attended Westside Baptist Church of Waynesville.

Dale went home to be with his Lord Saturday, September 18, 2021 in the Dixon Nursing & Rehab Center of Dixon, Missouri having attained the age of 90 years. He will be sadly missed, but fondly remembered by all those that knew and loved him.

Dale leaves to cherish his memory his wife: Doris Davenport of Waynesville, MO; daughter: Cindy Redding and husband Jack of Springfield, MO; stepson: Jeff Breedlove and wife Alisa of Waynesville, MO; five grandchildren: Stephanie, Dustin, Charles, Bradley, and Brittany; several great grandchildren; other relatives and friends.

In addition to his parents, Dale was preceded in death by his son: Danny Davenport; and two brothers: Don & Darrell Davenport.

Memorial contributions may be made in memory of Dale Davenport and may be left at Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert.

Cemetery Details

Oaklawn Cemetery

Richland, MO 65556

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 24. 12:00 PM (CT)

Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville/St. Robert
202 Historic 66 W.
Waynesville, MO 65583
(573) 774-6111
memorialchapels@embarqmail.com

Funeral Service

SEP 24. 1:00 PM.

Memorial Chapels And Crematory Of Waynesville / St. Robert

Tribute Wall



“ *Memorial Chapels and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Ellis "Dale" Davenport*



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - September 24, 2021 at 12:05 PM

CT

The Tribute Video with the music was wonderful to watch as Dale was a very caring person and loved by many family and friends. Peace and comfort to Doris and his family today and the days which follow. Cheryl Teague

Cheryl Teague - September 24, 2021 at 02:06 PM

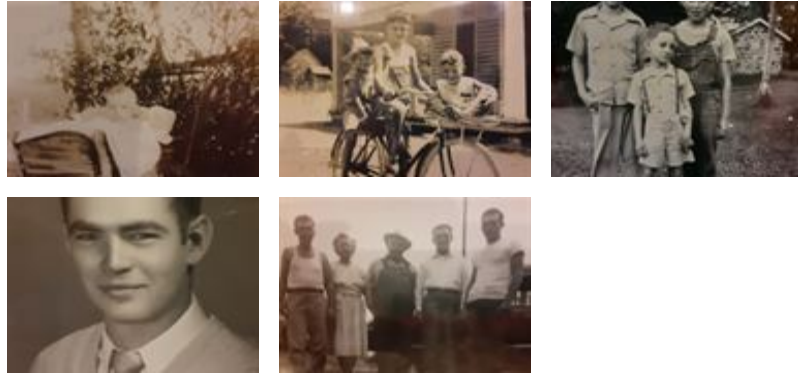


“ *Ellis "Dale" Davenport*

January 28, 2023 at 06:53 AM



“ 71 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - September 24, 2021 at 09:44 AM

PC

“ *Pamela Cox sent a virtual gift in memory of Ellis "Dale" Davenport*



Pamela Cox - September 23, 2021 at 07:22 AM

BB

“ *Betty Breedlove lit a candle in memory of Ellis "Dale" Davenport*



Betty Breedlove - September 22, 2021 at 05:43 PM

CD

“ *Cornelia & Robert Dodds lit a candle in memory of Ellis "Dale" Davenport*



Cornelia & Robert Dodds - September 22, 2021 at 02:43 PM

PG

“ *Pulaski County Camp Gideons lit a candle in memory of Ellis "Dale" Davenport*



Pulaski County Camp Gideons - September 22, 2021 at 11:39 AM

DH

“ *I was so sorry to hear of the loss of Dale. I always enjoyed seeing him at the family reunion. He was such a nice person. The family has my deepest sympathy.*
Donna Davenport Harris

Donna Davenport Harris - September 22, 2021 at 09:46 AM

MS

“ *Marge Scott lit a candle in memory of Ellis "Dale" Davenport*



Marge Scott - September 22, 2021 at 09:33 AM

MM

“ Dale & my late husband Joe were life-long friends. Dale & Doris continued to be dear friends of mine. I pray God will give comfort to Doris & all the family. God bless,
Mary Morgan

Mary Morgan - September 22, 2021 at 08:43 AM

DS

“ Condolences to family. Don Sanders

Don Sanders - September 22, 2021 at 08:20 AM

RB

“ Rosa Boeres lit a candle in memory of Ellis
"Dale" Davenport



rosa boeres - September 21, 2021 at 07:46 PM

RB

“ He was a very fun man to be around always a smile on his face and always a piece of bread in his Littel card for the dogs we will miss him very much RIP Grandpa

rosa boeres - September 21, 2021 at 07:45 PM