



## John Edd "Boone" Carlon

November 30, 1934 - June 18, 2017

John Edd "Boone" Carlon, age 82, of Jacksonville, Arkansas, passed away Sunday, June 18, 2017. He was born November 30, 1934 in Hattieville, Arkansas, a son to the late Walter Edgar Carlon and Mildred Blanch Ray Carlon. He was a retired engineer from Southwestern Bell, and was a member of the Valley View Church of Christ in Greenwood.

Survivors include his daughters, Johnna Ruth Carlon Lee of Jacksonville, Katherine Joann Carlon (Wesley) Reed of Jonesboro; grandchildren, Jon Wesley (Jennifer) Reed of Jonesboro, Brittany Rose Reed (Aaron) French of Clovis, New Mexico, Philip Kevin Lee, Jr. of Jacksonville; great grandchildren, Madeline and Loralie Reed of Jonesboro, Ian French of Clovis, New Mexico; brother, Ancel Ray Carlon of Morrilton, and sister, Melba Janice (Don) Deitrick of Falling Waters, West Virginia. Other than his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Juanita Walls Carlon; daughter, Jamie Sue Carlon; son in law, Philip Kevin Lee; great grandchildren, Benjamin Maxwell Reed, Felicity Ava Reed; siblings, Margaret Evelyn Edwards, Walter Raymon Carlon, Sarah Ermalee Burnett, James Edwin Carlon, Robert Harold Carlon, Gilbert Louis Carlon, Frances Marlene Carlon, Mildred Sue Carlon, and Doris Jean Himes. Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m. Thursday, June 22, 2017, at Harris Chapel. Burial will be at Old Hickory Cemetery by Harris Funeral Home of Morrilton. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service. Arrangements are by Harris Funeral Home of Morrilton.



# Tribute Wall



“ *John Edd "Boone" Carlon*

January 30, 2023 at 03:08 AM



“ *So sorry to hear of his passing, Boone was a special friend to us, enjoyed his music, it will be missed, prayers.*

**Mark and Pam Williams** - June 29, 2018 at 05:44 PM



“ *Condolences to all the family. Boone will be missed by many. He was a faithful Christian man. Everyone at Valley View sends their love and prayers. Carolyn and Jack Bowen*

**Carolyn Bowen** - June 29, 2018 at 05:44 PM



“ *I know Boon is fiddling right now. He has so many friends and family there who can fiddle with him. What a wonderful man! I know what an example he was to his family. What greater legacy? Deepest sympathy to all.*

**Shirley Holsinger** - June 29, 2018 at 05:44 PM



“ *We'll miss that wonderful smile! I remember hearing him play "Coconut Grove" on the piano when I'd be visiting Jean Carlon.*

**Jeanne Rentfro Dove** - June 29, 2018 at 05:44 PM

SB

“ *Johnna, Kathy and family. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Boone was a fantastic musician and Charles and I really enjoyed playing with him whenever we could. He will be missed. Sue Bagwell*

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**Sue Bagwell** - June 29, 2018 at 05:44 PM

SR

“ *One of the finest men I have ever know. A Godly man. Kind and considerate of others. Joyfully sharing his gift from God of music. He enjoyed to the fullest serving others in the capacity of music. Playing for Bluegrass Festivals, get together's, and Senior Citizens, making many life long, loving friends along the way. We will miss you Boone while we wait our turn to see you again in Heaven. Love you and your family, Maggie & Sam Ross*

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**Sam & Maggie Ross** - June 29, 2018 at 05:44 PM

KH

“ *I never knew Boone well but I watched him play a thousand times at bluegrass shows. His music and his memory will live forever on earth, while he lives on in heaven. May God give peace and comfort to those he leaves behind.*

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**Kim Hampton** - June 29, 2018 at 05:44 PM

TB

“ *Prayers to the family. Boone was such a great guy. I can't tell you how many times I've enjoyed laughing at his humor that was certainly a part of the whole family. And I know he is up there drawing his bow across those strings praising God with his music and visiting with his momma, daddy, brothers, sisters, and of course Juanita and Jamie. God blessed us with Boone's time here on this earth.*

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**Terry Beeson** - June 29, 2018 at 05:44 PM

MB

“ Glad you're safe and healed in Jesus' arms and reunited with so many loved ones. We'll miss you for now but save us a seat!

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**Margi Baker** - June 29, 2018 at 05:44 PM

JD

“ My dad, Jim Sweeden, worked at SWB with both Boone and Rod. He thought a lot of both of them and I want to extend the Sweeden family's condolences to the Carlon family in the passing of Boone. We lost dad 14 months ago and understand your sorrow. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Jan Sweeden Davis** - June 29, 2018 at 05:44 PM

DH

“ Boone & Juanita were my neighbors when they lived in Conway. I have also played music with Boone many times. What a talented musician he was! Sending my sympathy and best wishes to his family.

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**Doris Hutchins** - June 29, 2018 at 05:44 PM

VB

“ Boone was one of the nicest men I've ever met. I never hear him say a harsh work. He always visited and knew my name when we worked at the phone company all those years even tho we worked in far different departments. He was sweet and talented, and everyone that knew him always had good things to say about him. Only a truly good man can leave that kind of legacy behind. I know he will leave a big hole in his family's hearts as well as those of his many friends. My love to his family and may he rest in peace.

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**Viola Brown** - June 29, 2018 at 05:44 PM

KP

“Boone will be Really missed by all at Friday night music in Sherwood Senior center Especially. A Swell Guy loved his Family Dearly. Johnetta, Thanks Much for all you did to help Boone enjoy his last years. God Bless You and Your Family, Kenneth and Mary Pettingill.

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**Kenneth & Mary Pettingill** - June 29, 2018 at 05:44 PM