



Thomas Winston "Tom" Stone

August 24, 1944 - October 2, 2025

Thomas Winston "Tom" Stone, 81, of Perryville, Arkansas, went to be with the Lord on Thursday, October 2, 2025. He was born August 24, 1944, in Houston, Arkansas, to the late Clyde Winston and Margarette Virginia "Hales" Stone. After finishing high school, Tom built houses on the West Coast. Later, moving to Arkansas, he worked for Winrock Homes and several local contractors. In later years, he got his residential contractor license and built many homes in Perry County.

Tom loved the outdoors. He was an avid hunter and fisherman. In his early years, he could catch more fish than anyone around. One of his daily hobbies that he enjoyed was taking care of his chickens. Larry the rooster was his prized possession. However, his favorite thing of all to do was ministering for the Lord. For many years, he led men's meetings and prayed for numerous people at Lake Hamilton Bible Camp. It did not matter whether he was in restaurants, hospitals, churches, lumber yards, or malls; you got to hear about God and he usually ended up praying for you. He also enjoyed marrying and praying for couples at the Haskell Work Force Center, and he was dedicated to his church family at Forte Reach Ministries in Hattieville, Arkansas.

He is survived by his wife, Dianne "Kittler" Stone of Perryville; two sons, Eric (Jamie) Stone of Randolph, Texas and Jacob (Jaime) Garrett of Vilonia, Arkansas; two daughters, Olivia (Joey) McDonough of Leonard, Texas and Amy (Rick) Wyles of Conway, Arkansas; twelve grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. Other than his parents, he was preceded in death by his sister,

Lettie Clyde "Stone" Bachar.

Funeral services will be at 10:00 a.m. Monday, October 6, at the Harris Chapel in Morrilton with Bro. John Chapman and Bro. Sam Clark officiating. Burial will be at Hope Cemetery in Perryville by Harris Funeral Home of Morrilton.

Visitation will be one hour before the service, at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in memory of Tom may be sent: Faith Point Ranch, 1627 Highway 95, Morrilton, AR 72110. Pallbearers are Dillon Mcqueary, Taustin Wyles, Ricky Wyles, Jake Garrett, Levi McDonough, Hunter Eskola, Eston Kazi, and Noah Licon.

Cemetery Details

Hope Cemetery

56 AR-300
Perryville, AR 72126

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 6. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Harris Funeral Home Chapel
1325 Oak Street
Morrilton, AR 72110
<http://www.harrisfuneralhomes.net>

Funeral Service

OCT 6. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Merlene Wegner lit a candle in memory of Thomas Stone*



Merlene Wegner - October 08, 2025 at 11:58 PM

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“ *I met Tom for the first time in 1991 when my late husband, Bob Wegner, and I contracted him to build a home for us in Perryville after our first home was lost to fire. I was immediately impressed by Tom's professional manner and his precision and carefulness to details. Our new home was an absolute masterpiece!! It was as though he had put his personal stamp on it. It was one of the most beautiful homes in Perryville. There were several others built over the years, and I always told my husband that you could always recognize a home that Tom Stone had built from a mile away!! His work was impeccable!! But, beyond being a skilled carpenter, Tom was a kind, caring Christian man. He often talked with Bob and me during Bob's terminal illness and prayed with us. He was never ashamed of his witness for Christ. He will be missed by all who knew him. My prayers go out to Dianne and his children and grandchildren
. May the Lord give you peace and comfort during this difficult time.
Rest in peace Tom, until we meet again!!*

Merlene Wegner - October 08, 2025 at 11:55 PM

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“ I remember when my late husband and I met Bro Tom I thought my Dad could but I remember Bro Stone coming to our church at Harris Break when we were supposed to be working. I would miss Sam. And get to looking and he and bro Tom would be on the front. Pew talking away. They would set there nearly half a day just talking.

Nedia Bryant - October 03, 2025 at 11:42 PM

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“ Diane and family,
I didn't know Tom but heard so much about him. I do know that Lettie loved his brother so much. Seeing photos of them as children and hearing about them from Roger. Roger enjoyed all of the calls from Tom and talked highly of him.
I am so sorry for your loss and sending my prayers and love to all.
Sincerely,
Cecile Bachar

Cecile Bachar - October 03, 2025 at 06:46 PM