



Walter Stinson Chapman

July 10, 1937 - April 24, 2018

Walter Stinson Chapman, age 80 of Monticello, passed away Tuesday, April 24, 2018 at Conway Regional Medical Center in Conway. He was born July 10, 1937 in Tillar, Arkansas to the late Luther Bert Chapman and Verlie Lorene Gasaway Chapman. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by his wife, Norma Chapman; and two brothers, Ashton Chapman and Bert Chapman.

He was a retired Drew County Veterans Service Officer, a United States Navy Veteran and Marine Corps Medical Corpsman and was of the Christian faith. Mr. Chapman was a 32nd degree Master Mason and member of the American Legion and the VFW. He was a 1955 graduate of Drew Central High School and attended Arkansas A&M University (now UAM). He loved music and spent many hours listening to beautiful music on his computer. He was often found accompanying these concerts with a variety of harmonicas. He was a well-accomplished harmonica player and was often asked to perform for friends and family. He was frequently asked to include his famous "œsour notes" during his concert. He was a lover of nature enjoying many outdoor activities. Among those activities, he was best known for loading up the trailer behind the big orange Kubota tractor and taking the riders on an adventure through the woods on an epic exploration.

Survivors include one son, John Chapman and wife Joyce of Houston, AR;

one daughter, Valerie Carter and husband Barry of Crossett, AR; two brothers, Gene Chapman and wife Anna of Del Rio, TX and Mike Chapman and wife Jane of Coulterville, IL; two sisters, Wanda Rose Hurt and Gina Sellers and husband Bob all of Petit Jean Mountain; two sisters-in-law, Shirley Chapman of Beulah and Peggy Chapman of Pine Bluff; four grandchildren, Micah Carter and wife Julie of Magnolia, Aaron Chapman and wife Elisa of Greenbrier, Jessica Chapman of Houston, AR and Ryan Carter of Shreveport, LA; four great-grandchildren, Walker Carter, Tatum Carter, Cameron Chapman and Christian Chapman; along with numerous very special cousins, aunts, and extended family.

Special thanks to Drs. Idris and Shaver along with the entire CCU staff of Conway Regional Medical Center.

Funeral service will be 10:00 a.m. Saturday, April 28, 2018 at Stephenson-Dearman Chapel. Burial will be in the L.B. Chapman Family Cemetery with Military Honors. Visitation 6:00-8:00 p.m. Friday evening at the funeral home. Memorials preferred to: Beulah Cemetery Assn. c/o Curt Mayo, 321 Ozment Bluff Rd., Wilmar, AR 71675 or VFW & American Legion, Veterans Drive, Monticello, AR 71655. Online guestbook at www.stephensondearman.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Walter Stinson Chapman*

January 30, 2023 at 02:08 AM



“ *Bro. John, So sorry to see where your dad had passed away! Our prayers are with you and your Jfamily.*

James Williams - June 29, 2018 at 05:01 PM



“ *John and family, so very sorry for your loss. Our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family.*

Bill and Sandra Lamb - June 29, 2018 at 05:01 PM



“ *Dear John & Family, We are so sorry to hear of your father's passing. We are thinking of you. Condolences, Jeff & Robin*

Jeff & Robin Glover - June 29, 2018 at 05:01 PM



“ *Dear Bro. John and Mrs. Chapman, We were saddened to learn of the death of Mr. Walter Chapman. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. We pray that God's Word and His Holy Spirit (the "Comforter") may provide strength, comfort, and assurance. Billy and Gail Booth*

Billy Booth - June 29, 2018 at 05:01 PM

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“*Bro. John, Donnie and I are so sorry for your loss. We did not know about your father's passing until today. We are praying for you and Joyce and the kids. Love you. Donnie and Beverly Brothers*

Beverly Brothers - June 29, 2018 at 05:01 PM

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“*I enjoyed meeting your dad and getting to know him. I will always remember his testimony that he shared with me. Your family is in my prayers.*

Mandy Wood - June 29, 2018 at 05:01 PM