



## David Jowers

November 10, 1947 - November 26, 2018

David Jowers, 71, passed away Monday, November 26, 2018, at North Mississippi Medical Center in West Point, Mississippi. Visitation will be Wednesday, November 28, 2018, from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. at Nowell Massey Funeral Home in Louisville. Funeral services will be Friday, November 30 at 11:30 a.m. at Selmore Baptist Church in Ozark, Missouri, with visitation one hour prior to the service. Interment will immediately follow the service in Selmore Cemetery.

David was born November 10, 1947, to William and Ludie Mae Slawson Jowers. He was a 1965 graduate of Nanih Waiya; he then attended East Central Junior College and graduated as a licensed electrician. He worked as an electrician in both residential and commercial fields. David was a quiet, gentle Christian man who served as a deacon at both Faithview Baptist Church in Raymond, Mississippi, and Selmore Baptist Church in Ozark, Missouri. He presently attended Wess Chapel Baptist Church in Louisville. In 1987, David married Brenda Kay Jones instantly becoming a father to two sons, James and B. J. Jones. They moved to Ozark, Missouri, in 1991 and resided there until retiring and returning to Louisville in 2012.

David is survived by his loving wife of 31 years, Brenda Jowers of Louisville; his sons James Jones and wife Jovelyn of Byram, Mississippi; and B. J. Jones of Bruner, Missouri. He is also survived by two sisters Joyce Sykes of

Louisville; and Martha Jacobson of Ocala, Florida; as well as two sisters-in-law Gladys Jowers of Louisville; and Leila Jowers of Glen Allen, Virginia. One of his greatest joys was his four grandchildren: James (Skylar) Jones III; Robert Jones; Joseph Jones; and Hunter Jones. He was preceded in death by his parents; four brothers: John, Curtis, Warren, and Charles Alton Jowers; and his sister Jewell Ricks.

Memorial contributions in honor of David may be given to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, Tribute Program, P. O. Box 1000 Department 142, Memphis, TN 38148-0142.

Local services are under the direction of Nowell Massey Funeral Home, 724 North Columbus Avenue, Louisville, MS. Barnes Funeral Home of Ozark, Missouri, will be in charge of services at Selmore Baptist Church. Memories and condolences may be shared with the family by signing the guest register at [www.nowellmasseyfuneralhome.com](http://www.nowellmasseyfuneralhome.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Selmore Cemetery

Selmore, MO 65721

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **28**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Massey Funeral Home  
724 N. Columbus Avenue  
Louisville, MS 39339  
(662) 773-3501  
nowellfuneral@bellsouth.net  
<https://www.masseyfuneralhome.net/>

## Visitation

NOV **30**. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

Selmore Baptist Church  
4768 Selmore Road  
Selmore, MO 65721

## Service

NOV **30**. 11:30 AM (CT)

Selmore Baptist Church  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *David Jowers*

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January 29, 2023 at 06:32 AM



“ *David had such a kind spirit. Being the youngest brother of my dear friend Martha, I saw a lot of David growing up. My sympathy goes out to his wife, Brenda and the rest of his family. .*

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**Shirley Whitehead** - December 04, 2018 at 10:41 PM



“ *We wish we could be with Brenda, James, B. J., family and friends for today's services of our much beloved David. Uncle David was a quiet, soft spoken, respected rock of a man that many throughout his years counted on without fail. I will always cherish my memories like the rides to town with him in the '40 Ford and the '68 Torino, his visit to Michigan, his wedding, and his return home to Mississippi. Most of all we will miss how he cared for his family, friends and community. God Bless.*

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**Scott, Jory, & Skyler Jowers** - November 30, 2018 at 08:33 AM

RJ

“ My Uncle David was a kind and gentle soul. Since David stayed to care for his mother, I would get to see him each year during Dad's annual family pilgrimage home. I looked forward to seeing Grandma Jowers for her cooking and Uncle David for his company. He was a bit younger than the other relatives I came to know and therefore I felt a special kinship with him. The fishing trips, games of checkers and eating watermelon out on the carport (where I could spit the seeds out on the lawn) are special memories that I will always keep with me.

After his mother passed, our family trips to Mississippi became less frequent and David forged his own life in Missouri with his bride Brenda. At that point we kind of lost touch with each other. I was very excited when I heard of his return to Mississippi as I was hoping to get to know him again when I came to visit my folks. The first time I saw him after his return, we each had a little snow on the roof, but it was the same Uncle David that I had known years before.

I will always value the time that we had together these past few years but find, however, that it was not enough, as I feel a great emptiness with his passing. I miss him dearly but am comforted in knowing he is now held in Jesus' caring arms.

All my love to Brenda and family.

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**Russ Jowers** - November 28, 2018 at 06:36 PM

SH

“ We were privileged to meet David many years ago through our daughter, Mandy, and his and Brenda ' s son BJ Jones. He had a fun sense of humor and was a a good, well respected person. He will be missed. Our condolences to Brenda and his family and friends. Susan and David Hart

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**Susan and David Hart** - November 27, 2018 at 10:01 PM

JT

“ David and I were classmates through our 12 years at Nanih Waiya School. He was a good friend and had quiet personality with a big smile. I last saw David at our class reunion. As usual, A good time was had by all.

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**Jimmy Gregory Thompson** - November 27, 2018 at 06:12 PM

LC

“ I did not know brother David before the tornado destroyed our church in 2014.(Still Valley M. B.Church). But when we asked for volunteers to help us rebuild David and his wonderful wife Brenda showed up. We worked every Thursday night and Saturdays. I Can't think of one single work day that they were not there. Both were such a joy to be around. They both worked so tirelessly that they would be the last ones to stop for the day. When we dedicated the building they were among the first to arrive.

Recently when we started the next phase of rebuilding he stopped by for a visit and to say he wished he was able to help. Mrs. Brenda he did help ! On that Saturday we were all tired and done for the day buy when y"all walked in it lifted all our spirits and blessed us once again..David and you Mrs. Brenda has truly blessed our entire congregation and will always be in our thoughts and prayers.We pray that God will grant you comfort and peace at this most difficult time.

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**L M Claiborne** - November 27, 2018 at 05:09 PM

MS

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you on your journey. We will miss you.

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**Mark & Susan** - November 27, 2018 at 12:56 PM