



Eric Lee Fleming

May 25, 1971 - May 11, 2023

Lee Fleming, 51, of Henderson, Texas, formerly of Louisville, passed away on Thursday, May 11, 2023, following a lengthy illness. Funeral services will be Wednesday, May 17 at 11:30 a.m. at Camp Ground United Methodist Church in Louisville with Bro. Keith Williams officiating. Visitation will be the day of the service from 9:30 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. at Nowell-Massey Funeral Home in Louisville. Interment will immediately follow the service in Camp Ground Cemetery.

Lee is preceded in death by his loving father, Ernest Fleming, his paternal grandparents, Linzie and Owens Fleming, and his maternal grandparents, Mary and C.C. Huntley, Jr.

He is survived by his loving mother, Martha Huntley Fleming of Louisville; his devoted sister, Angela (Brent) Gohring of Fort Gibson, Oklahoma; his daughter Linzie Fleming, of Temple, Texas; his dear friend, Wanda Fleming of Henderson, Texas; two nephews, Blake (Andrea) Gohring of Owasso, Oklahoma; Garrett Gohring of Fayetteville, Arkansas; one niece, Brooke (Jesse) Sanchez of Hollywood, Florida; one great nephew, Roman Gohring; two great nieces, Georgia Gohring and Amoura Sanchez; and many aunts and uncles.

Lee was born May 25, 1971, in Meridian, Mississippi. Lee attended Ruston

High School in Ruston, Louisiana. He received his B.S. degree in Forestry from Louisiana Tech University. After college graduation, Lee's entire career was in Forestry. He worked for Stevens Forestry Service, the Mississippi Forestry Commission, and the last 23 years for the Texas A & M University Forest Service.

Lee was an avid outdoorsman. He was happiest when he was out in the woods hunting, in his boat fishing or out enjoying nature. He loved going on extended fishing trips with his Uncle Hugh Huntley, his family, and his friends. Boy, did they have stories to tell when they returned from those trips! But, they also always had a bunch of fish to bring home. Just like his dad, Ernest Fleming, Lee could do just about anything he set his mind to do. He enjoyed cooking for people, working in his yard, planting a garden, and helping the elderly. He was highly competitive and loved to win at sports and games. And, he really enjoyed teasing his mother.

Serving as pallbearers are Brent Gohring, Blake Gohring, Garrett Gohring, Ryan Daniel, Phillip Martindale, and Brad Bailey. Memorials may be made to Camp Ground UMC Church, c/o Becky Waddell, 3080 Young Crossing Road, Louisville, Mississippi, 39339.

Services are under the direction of Nowell-Massey Funeral Home, 724 North Columbus Avenue, Louisville, MS. Memories and condolences may be shared with the family by signing the guest register at www.nowellmasseyfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Campground Cemetery

940 Campground Road
Louisville, MS 39339

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 17. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

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

Service

MAY 17. 11:30 AM (CT)

Campground Church
940 Campground Road
Louisville, MS 39339

Interment

MAY 17 (CT)

Campground Cemetery
940 Campground Road
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Tribute Wall

AD

“ Ryan and I are so very saddened about the loss of Lee. Lee and Ryan have been best of friends since college together at Louisiana Tech. Our prayers are with the entire family. - Amanda Daniel



amanda daniel - May 17, 2023 at 11:37 AM

IK

“ I'll miss you, my friend. Kit purchased the [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) for the family of Eric Lee Fleming.

I'll miss you, my friend. Kit - May 17, 2023 at 10:47 AM



“ Healing Tears - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Eric Lee Fleming.



May 16, 2023 at 02:47 PM



“ [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Eric Lee Fleming.

May 16, 2023 at 02:47 PM



“ *Red, White & Blue Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Eric Lee Fleming.*



May 16, 2023 at 02:40 PM



“ *Martha, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. May God give you comfort that only He can give, Love, hugs and prayers.*

Judy Sanders - May 16, 2023 at 01:49 PM



“ *Deepest sympathies and prayers for the family. Lee, myself and our mutual buddy, Russell all hired on roughly the same time and spent many hours together in our early careers. I truly enjoyed each moment spent with Lee whether it was at trainings, in the field or just socializing. He was a genuine and kind man. I will miss him and am blessed to have worked with him over the years. Rest in peace my friend. - Jake Donellan - Texas A&M Forest Service*

Jacob Donellan - May 16, 2023 at 12:50 PM



*Martha and family,
I was so sorry to hear that Lee passed away. May God bless you with the comfort and peace that only He can give during this difficult time. You are in my prayers.*

Phyllis Holt - May 17, 2023 at 08:33 AM

AM

“ Lee was a great mentor when I came on with the Texas A&M Forest Service in 2016. He always knew how to push and challenge us but he never worked too hard. He had been with the forest service long enough to know everything there was to know about it. When I moved to the district from FIA he told me of all the challenges I would face, and boy was he right. Him and his long-time FIA technician Phillip made a great team and every year they'd finish up before other crews, always train the newbie's, and somehow figure out how to get out of going to all the conferences and meetings we were supposed to attend. Even after I left the forest service he would call me up asking about access and logging surveys and it was always good to joke and catch up with him. He will be missed for sure, as he was a great Forester. -Austin Morrison

Austin Morrison - May 16, 2023 at 07:10 AM

CI

“ Catherine Prisock Ingram lit a candle in memory of Eric Lee Fleming



Catherine Prisock Ingram - May 16, 2023 at 01:23 AM



Martha, My prayers are with you and your family as you face this difficult time!

Catherine Ingram - May 16, 2023 at 01:26 AM

NH

“ Sending deepest sympathies with thoughts and prayers to family, friends and co-workers of Lee Fleming.
*Nick Harrison, Retiree
Texas A&M Forest Service*

Nick Harrison - May 15, 2023 at 11:39 PM



“ Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Eric Lee Fleming.



May 15, 2023 at 03:29 PM



“ Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Eric Lee Fleming.



May 15, 2023 at 02:53 PM

ME

“ My heart goes out to Lee's family. He was a wonderful friend and co-worker. I have been praying every night for the past several months that Lee would recovery from his illness and win the fight. From one MS boy to another, we'll miss you Lee.

Michael Easley - May 15, 2023 at 01:35 PM



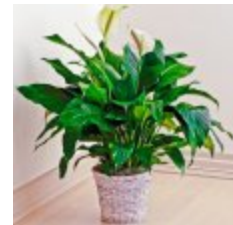
“ *Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Eric Lee Fleming.*



May 15, 2023 at 01:26 PM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Eric Lee Fleming.*



May 15, 2023 at 12:49 PM



“ *I had the pleasure of working with Lee for 4 years doing FIA with the Texas A&M Forest Service. He was always friendly and eager to help. You couldn't ask for a better coworker and knowledgeable Forester. I'll be keeping all of his friends, family, and coworkers in my thoughts and prayers during this time. - Cassidy Ince, Texas A&M Forest Service*

Cassidy Ince - May 15, 2023 at 11:52 AM



“ *Lee was always fun to be around! I can see where he could have been a handful for his parents and other family members! :) Such a great loss to us all. Prayers for his family, friends, and co-workers; I know this is a difficult time. - Donna Work, Texas A&M Forest Service*

Donna Work - May 15, 2023 at 11:44 AM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Eric Lee Fleming.*



May 15, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Eric Lee Fleming.*



May 15, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Martha, Hubert and I are so sorry about the death of your son. We will not be able to see you at visitation because Hubert has surgery in Birmingham Tuesday. Please know that your family is in our prayers. God Bless. 🙏💕.*
Janice Hunter

Janice Hunter - May 14, 2023 at 06:37 PM



“ *From Ken and Delores Gohring purchased the Lavender & White Standing Spray for the family of Eric Lee Fleming.*



From Ken and Delores Gohring - May 14, 2023 at 05:27 PM