



## Gary Gore

August 9, 1960 - August 15, 2022

Gary Gore, age 62, passed away on August 15th, 2022, surrounded by his family. Gary Lost his battle to a cancer known as the “BEAST” of all cancers, a cancer hard to tame, known as a Glioblastoma.

Gary was born on August 9, 1960, the son of Donald and Shirley Gore. It did not take his dad long to know Gary liked the outside and the DIRT. He spent lots of his young life after school and in the summer learning from his dad to love the land, farming, and green equipment.

Gary leaves behind his high school sweetheart of 42 years, Melissa. After 9 years of marriage, the best part of their life was when Gary's dream came true of having a little boy, Adam. Gary took great pride in him teaching him to love the land, DIRT, and green tractors. He loved his daughter in-law Lynlee from the moment Adam brought her to meet them. Gary leaves behind a very special niece Presley Reeves, whom melted his heart each time she would say “I love you G”. He leaves behind a brother Glenn (Martha), three nephews Garrett, Graham, and Gabe of Palestine. He leaves behind a sister, Gale Lawson, of Forrest City. Gary leaves behind a very important part of his life, something he looked so forward to, his unborn Grand-son, Garison Brooks Gore that will arrive in November. Gary is proceeded in death by his mom, Shirley Gore. At a young age his mom taught him how to love, how to treat people and that loving the Lord was the most important part of his success in

life.

Gary was a part of the Class of 1978 whom he remained very close to some of his classmates. Gary was partners in Triple "G" Excavating and Triple "G" Farms where he was the president of the company. Gary's day to day duties took him from one town to another. In his travels he always knew where to get the best ice cream cone. Gary rarely got in a hurry, if he was going to look at a job, pick-up a part, pick up a check or deliver payroll, he always had time to make an ice cream cone stop. Gary served on the Palestine City Counsel, where he supported the towns many projects. Gary loved the town he lived in for 62 years. Gary loved his service dog "Girl" who made many ice cream stops with him, Melissa would always tease him that Girl could recognize the McDonald's sign where he would buy her chicken nuggets. Gary loved his employee's, he always wanted them to feel appreciated, he had an open door policy for their concerns. Over the past four months Gary would talk about each of his employee's and say "I miss my guy's". Melissa would tell him there is not a time she is at the shop that they don't ask about their "Boss" Gary loved spending time at the lake. Making friends for Gary came easy, because he loved folks as he wanted to be loved, and he treated folks like he wanted to be treated.

Gary was a strong supporter of St. Jude. His wishes were for memorials be made to the St. Jude hospital. 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis TN 38105 or Pilots for Patients (they fly patients for Cancer treatments) 3127 Mercedes Drive, Monroe. LA 71201. A very special thanks to Legacy Hospice and Woodruff County Health and Rehab.

Services for Mr. Gore will be held at the Oak Hill Church of God, 11:00 A.M. Thursday, with burial in Bell Cemetery. Visitation will be Thursday, 10:00 A.M, until the time of the service, at the church. The family will meet and greet at his family's home church, Cumberland Presbyterian Church, in Palestine,

following the burial. Stevens Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. You may log on to [stevensfuneralhome.net](http://stevensfuneralhome.net) for the online registry.

# Cemetery Details

## Bell Cemetery

Palestine, AR 72372

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Oak Hill Church of God  
97 Oak Hill Rd  
Forrest City, AR 72335  
(870) 633-7331

## Funeral Service

AUG 18. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Forrest City, AR 72335  
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## Interment

AUG 18 (CT)

Bell Cemetery  
Palestine, AR 72372



# Tribute Wall

PF

“ *Peggy Ford lit a candle in memory of Gary Gore*



**Peggy Ford** - August 19, 2022 at 08:04 PM



“ *Melissa sorry for your loss praying for you and your family n friends Mr Gary was a Amazing young man n will be truly missed sending love n hugs*



**Betty Darlene Armstrong Williams** - August 19, 2022 at 09:34 AM

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“ *Gary was a quiet, but humorous guy throughout our years at PHS. I remember his dedication as a parent when I had Adam in second grade. Prayers and much love for the entire family.*

**Cindy Poe Roberts** - August 18, 2022 at 05:47 PM



“ *Prayers for Melissa and Adam*



**Roxanne Wright Pruitt** - August 18, 2022 at 11:02 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gary Gore.*



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August 18, 2022 at 10:21 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gary Gore.*



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August 18, 2022 at 09:19 AM



“ *I met Gary, he was a very good person friendly and loved life. He loved to pull a joke. I knew Melissa she was working with Hospice when my husband was fighting cancer, got to really know her and love her as a friend. Rest easy Gary.*

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**Peggy Brown** - August 17, 2022 at 11:18 PM



“ *Melissa I am sorry for your lost. Mr. Gary was a good man and love his family*

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**Nona Maria Armstrong** - August 17, 2022 at 09:09 PM

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“ *Nona Maria Armstrong lit a candle in memory of Gary Gore*



Nona Maria Armstrong - August 17, 2022 at 09:08 PM

TH

“ *so sorry for your loss ..Bro. Gary was a great leader in the church and cared for people .. praying for comfort..*

Todd Hall - August 17, 2022 at 08:38 PM



“ *Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Gary Gore.*



August 17, 2022 at 01:58 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Gary Gore.*



August 17, 2022 at 01:56 PM

PH

“ Thoughts and Prayers at this difficult time  
Patricia, Stephanie, Skipper Higgs



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**patricia higgs** - August 17, 2022 at 10:17 AM

LK

“ Praying for the family



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**Libby Krablin** - August 17, 2022 at 08:29 AM

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“ Wanda Oswald lit a candle in memory of Gary  
Gore



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**Wanda Oswald** - August 17, 2022 at 02:44 AM

DH

“ Dee Dee Harkrider lit a candle in memory of  
Gary Gore



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**Dee Dee Harkrider** - August 17, 2022 at 01:03 AM

MB

“ *Melissa and family,  
We are sorry for your loss. Bro. Gary was always kind to our family.  
He will be greatly missed. We love you and you're in our prayers.  
Johnny, Mary Ann and Philip Barnett*

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**Mary Ann Barnett** - August 17, 2022 at 12:50 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the  
family of Gary Gore.*



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August 16, 2022 at 11:59 PM

CH

“ *Prayers for each of you. May God wrap his arms around you all.*

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**Cindy Herron** - August 16, 2022 at 10:46 PM



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the family of Gary Gore.*



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August 16, 2022 at 09:14 PM



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August 16, 2022 at 09:14 PM



“ *Sorry for the loss of Gary. It saddens me to know he's gone. He always called me neato for some reason. Lol. Till we meet again ....*

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**Anita Widby** - August 16, 2022 at 08:44 PM



“ *Terry And Debbie Gilliam-Franklin lit a candle in memory of Gary Gore*



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**Terry and Debbie Gilliam-Franklin** - August 16, 2022 at 06:20 PM