



David Armstead Ragans

January 23, 1966 - October 27, 2021

David Armstead Ragans, 55, of Ringgold, VA, unexpectedly went to be with his heavenly father, surrounded by his wife and children, on Wednesday, October 27, 2021 at Lynchburg General Hospital, Lynchburg, VA.

Mr. Ragans was born in Danville, VA, on January 23, 1966, a son of the late David Allen Ragans and the late Rencie Lowery Ragans. He lived most of his life in the Danville area where he owned and operated DA Ragans Trucking for 20 years. He later went to work for VDOT for 20 years. He had a strong relationship with the Lord and was a member of Dan River Church. He was an avid outdoorsman who loved hunting, fishing, camping, cooking, and horseback riding. He was a motocross dad who loved spending time with his two boys. He was a member of the athletic booster club for ten years. In his spare time, he took pride in his lawn and loved cutting his grass. He will be remembered as a hard worker who always provided for his family.

On May 23, 1986, he married Joan Adams Ragans, who survives of the residence.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by two sons, Taylor Ragans (Jenna) and Matthew Ragans (fiancée, Amanda Inman); a granddaughter, Adalynn Travis; two sisters, Rhonda Comer (Kevin) and Marilynne Simpson (Carl); and a special friend, Keith "Buddyro" Landrum.

A funeral service will be held on Sunday, October 31, 2021 at 3:00 PM at the Dan River Church with Pastor Scott Randlett officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service and at other times will be at the residence.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that memorial donations be made to the Kentuck Volunteer Fire Department, 250 Ringgold Church Rd, Ringgold, VA 24586

Online condolences at www.wrenn-yeatts.com

Wrenn-Yeatts North Main Chapel is serving the Ragans family.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **31**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Dan River Church
2805 Riverside Drive
Danville, VA 24540

Funeral Service

OCT **31**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Dan River Church
2805 Riverside Drive
Danville, VA 24540

Tribute Wall



“ Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of David Armstead Ragans



Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Homes - October 31, 2021 at 08:52 AM

MB

“ David will always be remembered as a friend. Joan so sorry to hear this news. God bless you all and prayers to you all



Marcia Taylor Barksdale - November 05, 2021 at 10:39 AM

CM

“ Connie Moore lit a candle in memory of David Armstead Ragans



Connie Moore - November 02, 2021 at 08:22 AM

WC

“ Sincere sympathy for family and friends. May happy memories be with you all at this time and in the future.
Love, Wynona



Wynona Compton Childress - October 31, 2021 at 12:26 PM

ST

“ Sandra Terry lit a candle in memory of David Armstead Ragans



Sandra Terry - October 31, 2021 at 08:52 AM

EP

“ Our hearts are sad for David's family..he will be missed by all a super nice guy...



Earl and Linda Prevette - October 31, 2021 at 07:04 AM



“ 105 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Homes - October 30, 2021 at 06:59 PM



“ 29 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Homes - October 30, 2021 at 04:36 PM



“ *Joyful Memory* was purchased for the family of *David Armstead Ragans.*



October 30, 2021 at 03:27 PM

VR

“ Prayers lifted for you all during this difficult time!

Sincerely,
Vanessa & Jerry Riddle

Vanessa & Jerry Riddle - October 30, 2021 at 09:00 AM

MS

“ Tim and I are so sorry to hear of your loss. David was such a good man. You are in our prayers. Tim and Marilyn



Marilyn Shelton - October 29, 2021 at 06:13 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of David Armstead Ragans.



October 29, 2021 at 10:10 AM

DP

“ SO SORRY TO HEAR OF DAVID 's PASSING, WE HAULED WITH HIM MANY YEARS AGO. " OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO ALL OF THE FAMILY" J&P CONTRACTORS, INC DARRELL & CAROLYN PLASTER



DARRELL & CAROLYN PLASTER - October 29, 2021 at 09:58 AM

CG

“ So very sorry for your loss,my prayers go out to the family. I remember the good times we all had riding the horses with you guys David and Joan and the boys,Rhonda and Kevin such good times.my prayers go out to you. Connie Womack Gregory.

connie Gregory - October 29, 2021 at 09:12 AM



“ As my sister Bonnie said, he was a precious baby and with Rhonda & Marilynne we would try to make him happy not to cry for his mama! I am sorry sorry for your loss and pray the Lord comforts you all that he is with Jesus now. Praise God we have that hope to see our loved ones again! Praying for the whole family during this difficult time. Love, Joyce W. Hull

Joyce Hull - October 29, 2021 at 08:51 AM

BB

“ Our hearts go out to you. David was my first baby to care for. He loved his Mama, but he learned that she would come back and we had a blast . Precious memories will fill your hearts with strength to cope with your loss. Ray and Bonnie.💜💜

Bonnie Bowen - October 29, 2021 at 08:39 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of David Armstead Ragans.



October 29, 2021 at 08:15 AM

GB

“ Joan, praying the wonderful memories you've shared together will give you strength and comfort in the days ahead. So sorry for your loss.

Gayle and Larry Barts - October 29, 2021 at 08:15 AM

LB

“ Sending our thoughts, prayers and love to all..

Lucy Barringer - October 29, 2021 at 06:12 AM



“ I was shocked to hear David was gone on to Heaven and I recalled the last time I talked to Joan and him on the telephone a few weeks back. All 3 of us had some good laughs on the conversation we were having. I have that laughter (and I can imagine him smiling) the whole time which I will hold on to. David always smiled and Joan and David both were family to mine and they always thought of others. Sending love, healing and prayers to the entire family. Rest in Peace David and God has another Smiling Angel with him~~ Steve & Susie McCormick



Susie McCormick - October 29, 2021 at 04:23 AM

JE

“ I will place your name and the names of your family on the prayer roll of our church. May it help bring peace and help during this difficult time

jewel - October 29, 2021 at 01:27 AM

JE

“ I love you more than words can say my heart is full of sorry for you . It help s me to know of your love for our Heavenly Father and i send prays asking him to send peace and love to you and your family. There is some peace in knowing that he is with God and your Daddy and that we will see him again.. You and David are such a great example of what true family is all about. As always Aunt Jewel

jewel - October 29, 2021 at 01:22 AM

PS

“ I know how good Joan and David have treated my mom like family. I am so sorry for your loss and know you all are in our prayers 🙏🙏

Pat Pruitt Stone - October 28, 2021 at 10:08 PM

DR

“ I am sorry to hear the loss of David. God had all of this in his plans for David to have eternal rest with no physical disabilities to his body. David is now at peace and worshipping our Savior.

Prayers are extended to Joan and her family.

May God bless each of your during this troublesome time. Please God, keep his family and friends in your care.

Davud Rogers - October 28, 2021 at 09:23 PM

GH

“ Joan, I am so sorry for your loss. Prayers for peace and comfort for you and your family.



Gail Howell - October 28, 2021 at 09:00 PM

RP

“ Rachel Patton lit a candle in memory of David Armstead Ragans



Rachel Patton - October 28, 2021 at 08:48 PM

WP

“ Wendy Poythress lit a candle in memory of David Armstead Ragans



Wendy Poythress - October 28, 2021 at 08:26 PM

DA

“ Joan and family I am so sorry for your loss. Will be praying for you and your family.

Debra Anderson - October 28, 2021 at 07:53 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of David Armstead Ragans.



October 28, 2021 at 07:48 PM

RS

“ So incredibly sorry for the loss of David and what that means for his family and friends. May you find peace in the knowledge that David is now resting in the arms of his Lord and Savior, no longer in pain or suffering. And I pray the Lord will comfort and strengthen you now and in the days ahead., providing for you what no one else can. My love and virtual hugs I am sending with this message. God bless.

Robin Gibson Sawyer - October 28, 2021 at 07:42 PM

DT

“ A great family David's memories will live forever. Love & prayers for all.

Diane Tate - October 28, 2021 at 07:31 PM

RM

“ Joan and family so sorry for the loss of David. May God be with you and your family doing this time. Prayers for u all.

Robin Guill Moore - October 28, 2021 at 05:59 PM