



Dixie Lee Person

October 3, 1934 - April 4, 2024

Mr. Dixie Lee Person, of Vanndale, died on Wednesday, April 3, 2024, surrounded by family. He was 89.

Mr. Person was born on October 3, 1934, in Memphis, Tennessee, to the late Herman H Person and Una Moss Person Boles. Lee and Johnnie Ruth were blessed with a wonderful family whom they loved to take care of. He was a shoe salesman, buyer, inspector and foreman for many years. Lee was a faithful member of Vanndale Baptist Church. He enjoyed woodworking and working in his yard.

He is survived by his wife of 70 years, Johnnie Ruth Burnett Person of the home, granddaughter, Leigh Ann Spencer and husband Brian of Wynne, and great granddaughters, Harlee Dianna Futrell and Sadie Brooke Spencer. He is also survived by his nieces and nephew who loved him dearly.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Herman Person and Una Moss Person Boles, stepdad, Carl Boles, and his son, David Lee Person.

Visitation will be held on Saturday, April 6, 2024, at Kernodle Funeral Home, from 1 pm until 2 pm. Graveside services will follow at 2 pm at Vanndale Cemetery with Howard Collier officiating.

Memorials may be made to the Vanndale Baptist Church.

Cemetery Details

Vanndale Cemetery

Vanndale, AR

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 6. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Kernodle Funeral Home
315-325 E. Union Avenue
Wynne, AR 72396
(870) 238-2323
kernodlefuneralhome@gmail.com
<https://www.kernodlefh.com/>

Graveside service

APR 6. 2:00 PM (CT)

Vanndale Cemetery
Vanndale, AR

Tribute Wall

PM

“ *Peggy M. purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Dixie Lee Person.*



Peggy M. - April 10, 2024 at 09:01 AM

PM

“ *Peggy M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dixie Lee Person.*

Peggy M. - April 10, 2024 at 09:01 AM

GV

“ *TO: JOHNNIE RUTH AND FAMILY:
Just wanted to send my condolences on the loss of lee. Seventy Wonderful years is a long time to Love someone and to have to say Goodbye. God must have been so proud of both of you as were so many of us here on Earth. I have lots of Great Memories of Lee just from seeing the two of you when yall would come to the Kroger Store every week. Just keep in mind that the Goodbye is not Forever and you will see Lee again in a place that will be Forever. May the Lord's Love bring you Peace and Healing until that Joyful Day.
Sincerely,
George Vance*

George Vance - April 05, 2024 at 03:45 PM

MH

“ Leigh Ann, I am so sorry to hear of your G'Dad passing!! I pray for peace and understanding for you in the days ahead.... It will be hard but God will get you through it!!

Mike & Sandra Hall - April 05, 2024 at 02:33 PM

MH

“ Mike Sandra Hall lit a candle in memory of Dixie Person



Mike & Sandra Hall - April 05, 2024 at 02:29 PM

LW

“ I have so many memories of Uncle Lee, in every one of them he is smiling. He was a good Christian man and an inspiration to all of us. I miss you already Uncle Lee.

Libby Woolbright - April 05, 2024 at 11:08 AM

NL

“ Nikki and Jessie, Jennifer and Libby purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Dixie Lee Person.



Nikki and Jessie, Jennifer and Libby - April 04, 2024 at 09:08 PM