



## Don Dingler

November 8, 1942 - December 25, 2020

Mr. Don Dingler, 78, of Fort Payne, passed away December 25, 2020 at Princeton Baptist Medical Center. Mr. Dingler was born in Cedartown, Georgia on November 8, 1942 to the late Henry Albert and Willie McKibben Dingler. He was a retired truck driver and was a member of Minvale Baptist Church.

The family will have a private graveside service and a celebration of life service will be scheduled at a later date. In lieu of flowers, the family suggest memorial donations be made to The Alabama Kidney Foundation, 265 Riverchase Parkway East, Suite 106, Birmingham, AL 35244; or to Minvale Baptist Church, 205 19th Street NW, Fort Payne, AL 35967.

Mr. Dingler is survived by his wife of 34 years, Donna Jones Dingler; children, Denise Stogner, Audra Minton (Chip), and Ashley Long (BJ); sisters, Brenda Anderson and Becky Kean; grandchildren, Nicolette Stogner, Hayden Stogner, Maddie Norman, and Trey Norman; several nieces and nephews; and special caregivers, Susan Hairel and Nicolette Stogner. He was preceded in death by his son, Kenneth Wayne Dingler; brothers, Henry and Johnny Dingler; and sister, Margaret Ivey; and son-in-law, Joe Stogner.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Don Dingler*

January 12, 2023 at 10:45 AM



“ *Denise, so sorry for your loss. You and the family are in our Prayer's.*

**Cary Hearn** - December 28, 2020 at 08:04 PM



“ *I am very saddened to learn of Donald's passing. I moved to south Alabama 4 years ago so I have not seen him since then but if I had been there and run into him, I would have gotten a big hug and lots of laughing with him. He would often stop by my office at Vulcraft to chat and we always parted with a hug. He was one of a kind and I, as well as many others, will miss him. Just knowing I won't run into him in Fort Payne is very sad for me. My heartfelt sympathies go out to all his family and friends.*

**Peggy L Bailey** - December 28, 2020 at 04:29 PM



“ *So very sorry for your loss , prayers for comfort for family and friends .*



**margaret Baldwin** - December 28, 2020 at 12:05 AM

AU

“ Don has always been so good to me. He always shared stories with me about my biological Dad which I didn't know very well. He was a very caring and loving guy. He will truly be missed. RIP my friend.  
Love you, Audrey

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**Audrey** - December 27, 2020 at 07:45 PM

MS

“ Melody Harms Snow lit a candle in memory of Don Dingler



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**Melody Harms Snow** - December 27, 2020 at 07:18 PM

GP

“ Our deepest sympathies to the family, He was loved by all, and we will miss him!

*Tom and Gay*

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**Gay Prewett** - December 27, 2020 at 07:17 PM

RT

“ Don was a friend to everyone he met. He always had a smile and hand shake and would produce laughter almost all of the time. Like most of us his life had ups and downs but he always would bounce right up again. The poet wrote, "Build me a house by the side of the road and let me be a friend of man."

*Although I never met his wife I have heard from several people what a wonderful person she is. She apparently was with him right up to the end. The grief that is being felt now will become a blessing at a later time.*

*Until we meet again, let me say once again Don, thanks for being our friend and we will meet you in the morning.*

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**Richard Taylor** - December 27, 2020 at 06:54 PM

SS

“ Sandy Sutton lit a candle in memory of Don Dingler



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**Sandy Sutton** - December 27, 2020 at 05:51 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Don Dingler.



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December 27, 2020 at 02:40 PM

GP

“ When we youngsters, daddy (Elmer Prewett) took me, my brother Tom and Don, hunting on Uncle Charlie's land and Don harvested his first rabbit (Aunt Viennie cooked it - yummy). I remember years later Don thanking daddy for sparking his love of hunting. Don has joined daddy in Heaven now and I look forward to sharing this story again with them both there, I love and miss them both. I'll be praying for God to comfort the family in this great loss.

*Yours in Christ,  
1st Cousin Gary Prewett*

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**Gary Prewett** - December 27, 2020 at 01:39 PM

LS

“ Don: You have been more than an outstanding individual and loving member of our family. We shall all miss you more than words can express. You have been loved by sooooo many people your entire lifetime. Your many health problems are now over and all pains are gone ... RIP, Don. Love you, from Lil Smith.

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**Lil R. Smith** - December 27, 2020 at 01:01 PM

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“ Cheryl Little lit a candle in memory of Don Dinger



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**cheryl little** - December 27, 2020 at 12:46 PM