



Doug Eugene Crawley

January 15, 1952 - August 30, 2023

Douglas “Doug” Crawley, age 71 of Dayton, passed away on Wednesday, August 30, 2023. He was born in Rome, GA, on January 15, 1952, the son of the late Olden Thomas Crawley and Geraldine (Burchard) Crawley. He was also preceded in death by his son, Robby Beard; and his daughter, Carrie Coffelt.

Doug lived in Rhea County all of his life. He was employed as a boilermaker and was a member of Boilermakers Union Local 454.

Doug will be remembered as a man whose presence brought warmth, joy, and love to all who knew him. He was a husband with unwavering affection and thoughtful gestures showing the depth of his love for his wife. He was also a loving father and loving grandfather leaving a mark on all of us.

He had a passion for fishing. It was a metaphor for his approach to life – patient, thoughtful and always willing to wait for the perfect moment. Alongside his wife, they found immense happiness in watching their kids and grandkids grow and flourish.

Doug is survived by his wife, Candy (Minter) Crawley of Dayton; his four children, Shawn (Amy) Crawley, Beth (Brian) Huff, Nicole (Tanner) Finnell, and Nick (Tiffany) Coffelt; his eight grandchildren, Austin Thurman, Chance

Thurman, Ethan Thurman, Micheala Huff, Delaney Huff, Karinn Crawley, Maggie Finnell, and Emily Finnell; his three siblings, Bill (Diane) Crawley, Linette (Bill) Isham, and Phyllis (Jim) Alsip.

Funeral services for Doug will be held at 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, September 2, 2023, in the funeral home chapel with Rev. Rusty Revis officiating. He will be laid to rest in Rogers Family Cemetery in Dunlap, TN.

Please share your memories and photos of Doug on his online guest register at www.vanderwallfh.com.

The family is being cared for by Vanderwall Funeral Home in Dayton where they will receive friends on Saturday, September 2, 2023, from 12:00 noon until the time of the service.

Cemetery Details

Rogers Family Cemetery

Dunlap, TN

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 2. 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Vanderwall Funeral Home
164 Maple St
Dayton, TN 37321
(423) 775-2662

Funeral Service

SEP 2. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Burial

SEP 2.

Rogers Family Cemetery
Dunlap, TN

Tribute Wall

JM

“ I remember Doug from The Working Man's Bass Club Tournaments. He fished with his brother Max. I was Book Keeper and an Official for 13 years. Doug was always smiling and had good things to say about people! I will always remember him.
Thoughts, prayers, and condolences to everyone in his family! Max, we are very sorry to hear this news!! God will give him Wings and he will forever watch over you! RIP Doug!!

Jim and Pam Grant Montgomery - September 05, 2023 at 02:22 PM

TG

“ You all are in our prayers during this difficult time from The family of Travis Goins/ Anthony Stewart



Travis Goins - September 02, 2023 at 08:37 PM

RG

“ Rick Gravett lit a candle in memory of Doug Eugene Crawley



Rick Gravett - September 02, 2023 at 10:57 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Doug Eugene Crawley.

September 02, 2023 at 08:56 AM

CJ

“ Charlie Jordan lit a candle in memory of Doug Eugene Crawley



Charlie Jordan - September 02, 2023 at 06:28 AM

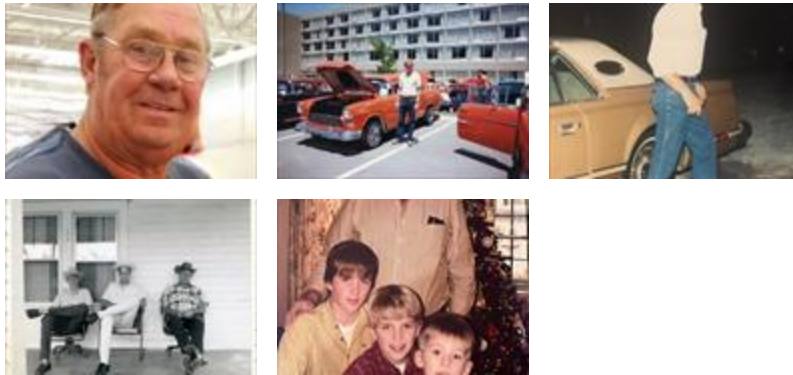
CJ

“ I will miss you very much My friend. RIP.

Charlie Jordan - September 02, 2023 at 06:27 AM



“ 29 files added to the album Memories Album



Vanderwall Funeral Home, Inc. - September 01, 2023 at 11:54 AM

LS

“ Doug and I grew up together in Graysville. He lived about 300 yards from me. I always considered him a good friend. I will always remember going to his house and and smell the fresh baked bread that his Mother made. She would put butter on a piece and give it to me. She was a sweet person. Sorry to hear he has passed....Levon Smith

Levon Smith - September 01, 2023 at 10:03 AM

SF

“ Stephanie Freeman-Brown lit a candle in memory of Doug Eugene Crawley



Stephanie Freeman-Brown - September 01, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Doug Eugene Crawley.



September 01, 2023 at 07:40 AM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Doug Eugene Crawley.



August 31, 2023 at 10:40 PM

TR

“ I will always remember him from the football fields. My condolences to the family. Tonya and damon brown

Tonya rhodesbrown - August 31, 2023 at 07:56 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of
Doug Eugene Crawley.



August 31, 2023 at 06:24 PM