



Stephen C Blackwell

September 7, 1957 - February 20, 2019

Stephen Calhoun Blackwell, age 61, went to be with Jesus on February 20, 2019, while at home surrounded by his loving family.

Steve, known to many as "Red" began working as a teenager for his Uncle at Go Happy Car Wash in Mobile, Alabama. He moved on to Albert P. Brewer Center; Shell Chemical; Dupont Chemical; Amvac Chemical and Marabrite - contracting into Dupont. He was then employed with Udelhoven and Worley Parsons in the BP Oilfields of Prudhoe Bay, Alaska. He made so many friends all over the world. His friends knew him as being loyal, headstrong, smart, funny, logical, honest and having so much integrity and character. He had so many hobbies and interests, including soap making and beekeeping to name a few. He would repair just about anything and was a collector of everything.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Elise Calhoun Blackwell and is survived by his wife, DiAnne W. Blackwell; daughter, Blair Murphree (Travis); grandsons, Peyton and Colton Murphree. He is also survived by his father, Gordon E. Blackwell; sister, Diane Gremse (David); brother, Keith Blackwell (Mary Ann); aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews, great nieces, great nephews and so many friends. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

His Memorial will be held at First Baptist Church of Summerdale; 515 West Broadway Street in Summerdale, Alabama on Saturday, March 2, 2019.

Visitation with family will begin at 10:30 a.m. with the Memorial beginning at 11:00 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be directed to First Baptist Church Summerdale Building Fund.

We hope you will come celebrate Steve's life with us.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 2. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Summerdale First Baptist Church
515 West Broadway Ave
Summerdale, AL 36580

Memorial Service

MAR 2. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



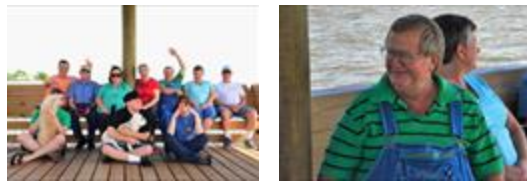
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Jane Claus - February 25, 2019 at 09:50 AM



“ *Red was an awesome person and a joy to work with. His positive additude & sense of humor was contagious. His southern charm & loyalty to his wife, family & friends was one of his many endearing qualities. Rest in paradise my dear sweet friend, you will be greatly missed!💜*

Brandi Behlke - February 24, 2019 at 07:19 PM



Red was a special individual. I had the pleasure of working with him at Shell Chemical, DuPont, and Amvac. He was a very smart and talented man. He loved his family and friends and could get a laugh out of anyone. Rest in peace my friend, you will be missed by everyone that knew you!

Tommy Turk - March 03, 2019 at 02:02 PM



“ *Tropical Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Stephen C Blackwell .*



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