



Harold Dean Long

June 26, 1947 - September 26, 2024

Harold Dean Long, 77, passed away on September 26, 2024. He was born in Little Rock, Arkansas, on June 26, 1947, to Elbert Gordon Long and Glenna Inez (Creek) Long.

Harold Dean Long was a US Army Veteran who served in Vietnam from 1967 to 1968. He attended the University of Arkansas, as well as Northeastern University, in Tahlequah, Oklahoma. He was an avid intellectual, who had a passion for math, science, and the arts. He had a talent for singing, writing, and drawing, and his thirst to broaden his music and reading repertoire was unparalleled. He was a man who loved people, made friends and connections with ease, and left a lasting impression with all those who were fortunate enough to cross his path. Growing up on his parent's apple orchard, he had an appreciation for hard work and was well known for putting in his best effort in whatever job he held.

In closing, Harold Long was a truly carefree, unique, and generous soul who enriched the lives of everyone around him and will be sorely missed by his friends and loved ones.

He is preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his daughter, Anita Solis-Slinkard of Rogers, Arkansas; sons, Jerrod Long of Arizona, Jason Leader of Arizona, and Gordon Long of Rogers, Arkansas; sisters, Patsy Setser of Tulsa, Oklahoma, and Helen Beeman of Springfield, Missouri; and eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

A visitation will be held at Wasson Funeral Home on Wednesday, October 2,

2024, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. The funeral service will follow the visitation, beginning at 11 a.m. Interment will follow at the Fayetteville National Cemetery at 1:30 p.m.

Cemetery Details

Fayetteville National Cemetery

700 Government Ave.
Fayetteville, AR 72701

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Wasson Funeral Home
441 U.S. 412
Siloam Springs, AR 72761
(479) 524-5131
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<https://www.wassonfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

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Burial

OCT 2. 1:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Greg, Karen, Naida and Sandye. purchased the Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White for the family of Harold Dean Long.



Greg, Karen, Naida and Sandye. - September 30, 2024 at 02:03 PM

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“ Love you all Mike and Lydia Andrews planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Harold Dean Long.

Love you all Mike and Lydia Andrews - September 29, 2024 at 08:36 AM



“ Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Harold Dean Long.



September 29, 2024 at 08:36 AM

MG

“ Anita and Gordon were very sorry for your lost. Your dad was a wonderful man and You're uncle Benny And I were very fortunate to meet this. Wonderful man, he was very kind and a loving person. May he rest in peace.

Mr & Mrs Benito Guajardo - September 28, 2024 at 03:38 PM