



John Marshall

November 12, 1940 - July 30, 2025

John Marshall, 84, of Benton, Missouri died Wednesday, July 30, 2025, at Jackson Manor.

He was born November 12, 1940 in Victoria, Arkansas to Edward J. and Sallie Byrd Hall Marshall.

He and Elizabeth Wilkins were married December 24, 1966, at Unity Baptist Church in Benton, Missouri.

He was a member of Christian Mission Church in Benton, Missouri.

Survivors include his wife, Elizabeth Marshall of Benton, Missouri; four children, Jane Marshall of Linn Creek, Missouri, Kathy (Danny) Menz of Chaffee, Missouri, Faith (John) Welker of Village of Four Seasons, Missouri and John Mark Marshall of Poplar Bluff, Missouri; two brothers, Daniel (Mary Lou) Marshall of Cumming, Georgia, and Don (Linda) Marshall of Jackson, Missouri; two sisters, Virginia Cress of Kechi, Kansas and Vickie (Vanoy) Cox of Union City, Tennessee; five grandchildren, Christopher (Kaela) Menz of Chaffee, Missouri, Ryan Marshall of Oak Grove, Kentucky, Katelyn (Brandon) Jansen of Chaffee, Missouri, Ayden Marshall of Jackson, Missouri, Carlee Marshall of Jackson, Missouri; and three great-grandchildren, Jay and Darcie Criddle of Chaffee, Missouri and Kit Menz of Chaffee, Missouri.

He was preceded in death by his parents, five sisters, and three brothers.

Visitation will be 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm Friday, August 1, 2025 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel in Cape Girardeau.

Funeral service will be 10:00 am Saturday, August 2, 2025 at Christian Mission Church, 232 E. North St., Benton, Missouri with the Revs. Charles J. Marshall and Teresa Williams officiating.

Burial will be at Unity Baptist Church Cemetery in Benton, Missouri.

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com.

Ford & Sons Funeral Home - Mt. Auburn is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Unity Baptist Church Cemetery

4846 State Hwy 77
Benton, MO 63736

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 1. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel
1001 N. Mt. Auburn Rd.
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Funeral Service

AUG 2. 10:00 AM (CT)

Christian Mission Church
232 E. North St.
Benton, MO 63736
info@fordandsonsfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *John Marshall was a good grandpa all the way to teaching me the piano to teach me how to feed chickens he was a kind soul I miss my grandpa and I would choose him in every life time.* ”

Carlee marshall - October 28, 2025 at 02:25 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of John Marshall.* ”



August 01, 2025 at 06:18 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of John Marshall.* ”

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“ *Dwaine Senechal purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of John Marshall.* ”



Dwaine Senechal - August 01, 2025 at 11:58 AM

DS

“ Dwaine Senechal planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Marshall.

Dwaine Senechal - August 01, 2025 at 11:58 AM

RM

“ I have fond memories of John and his brother Don while growing up in my teen years. John and his brother Don were dedicated Christian boys and grew into great men of God. God's BLESSINGS on his family for comfort and peace.

Ronald Mason - August 01, 2025 at 10:25 AM

BL

“ He was a great man of faith and will be missed down here but he's leaping and singing praises in heaven now. No sadness no pain he is in glory land. Liz love you and praying for peace and comfort for you and your family.

Bobby and Michelle Lands - August 01, 2025 at 07:42 AM



“ John Marshall was a dear friend, teacher, and mentor in Upsala 50 years ago. He was always a spark of life wherever he went. Blessings to the family at this time of loss!

Peter Bell - July 31, 2025 at 09:46 PM

CS

“ I was honored to stay a few times with John. I haven't known him long but enjoyed his piano playing at church and at his home. He was a pleasure to spend time with. Charlene

Charlene Stone - July 31, 2025 at 08:15 PM

DM

“ Darchia M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Marshall.

Darchia M. - July 31, 2025 at 04:08 PM