



Mr. Richard Edward Walls Sr.

April 22, 1951 - December 19, 2025

Richard Edward Walls Sr. passed away peacefully on December 19th, 2025, at the age of 74. Up until the end Richard maintained his kindness, compassion, and love of family and friends. Richard had a long life that was full of wonderful, varied experiences.

Richard's life can best be encapsulated by five "F" words: Faith, Family, Friends, Food and Fun. In his 74 years here with us he experienced an abundance of each.

Richard is survived by his beloved wife of over 48 years Joyce Walls and their four children, Tammy Sjolander (her husband Randall), Daniel Jordan (his wife Kristin), Richard Walls Jr. (his fiancé Brianna), Willard Walls, and five cherished grandchildren: Ashley, Austin, Andrew, Trinity and Serenity and four great grandchildren that Richard often bragged about, Kaylee, Keagan, Breckyn and Presley. Richard is also remembered fondly by his extended family members and his Church family and friends.

Richard was hard-working and very dedicated. He never found a job or a hobby that he didn't give a hundred percent of himself to make it as perfect as he could. Though Richard never liked being the center of attention, he deserves to have his long years of a father's love honored. He was a man of faith, kindness, and integrity. He always had a way to make others laugh when

he was around, it was these traits that would leave a lasting impact on everyone who knew him.

We find comfort in knowing that his legacy lives on through the lessons he taught us and the love and laughter he shared. These memories will be cherished forever. We will miss you fiercely.

A small funeral service will be held on December 23rd, 2025, at 2pm at South Side Baptist Church 215 Cheatwood Rd. Oxford, Alabama 36203. The family will receive friends from 1:00 pm until the time of the service. A burial will follow the service at Coldwater Baptist Church.

Pallbearers will be Richard, Willard, Tim, Matt, Jordan and Tommy.

Cemetery Details

Coldwater Baptist Church Cemetery

Coldwater Rd
Oxford, AL 36203

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **23**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

South Side Baptist Church
215 Cheatwood Road
Oxford, AL 36203
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Service

DEC **23**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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“ Rick was a man of great faith. I loved the way he worshipped his Lord and Saviour. He was also a very generous man, he loved being able to share his eggs and the vegetables he grew with his church family. We will all miss Brother Rick but we know that there will be a reunion day in Heaven

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