



## Douglas Luke Reed

November 5, 2007 - August 4, 2021

Starkville, Ms - Luke Reed, 13, passed away on August 4, 2021 in eastern Oktibbeha County. Luke was born November 5, 2007 in Starkville to Gina Dedeaux Reed and Tommy Reed. He was a student at Oak Hill Academy going into the 8th grade this year. Luke was a member of Faith Baptist Church.

Luke had an extremely compassionate heart for people. He loved helping and giving to others in need. One time he won a gun raffle that was raising money for a lady that was ill in the community. Instead of accepting the winning gun, he sold his ticket and gave the money to the person for which the raffle was being held. Luke was an avid Motor cross rider. When confronted by Coach Ferguson concerning playing football at Oak Hill, he simply said "I really like to ride my motorcycle", to which Coach said that he could do both. Luke again said that he really liked to ride his motorcycle. Luke was very mechanically inclined being able to disassemble and reassemble anything to make it work. He enjoyed flying and learning to fly airplanes with his grandfather as well as driving tractors and doing farm stuff. He loved operating remote controlled cars with his brother Lane.

Funeral services will be Thursday, August 12, 2021 at 2:00 PM from Calvary Baptist Church in West Point, MS. with Reverend Jim Garner officiating and assisted by Brother Ben Yarber. Burial will follow in Memorial Gardens in West

Point. Calvert Funeral Home of West Point is in charge of the arrangements.

Survivors include his parents; Tommy and Gina Dedeaux Reed of Starkville, one brother Thomas Lane Reed of Starkville, Maternal Grandmother; Glenda Dedeaux and Paternal Grandparents; Joe Reed and Mitzi Hendrix. Luke was preceded in death by his grandfather; Gary Douglas Dedeaux.

Pallbearers will be Jason Gilliland, Mark Pridmore, Steve Portera, Adam Ray, Gary Davis and Dale Ruth.

Honorary Pallbearers are Marty McDaniel and B. J. Johnson.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 or to a Charity of Choice.

Visitation will be from 11:00-2:00 prior to service time.

Friends may leave an online condolence at [www.calvertfuneralhome.com](http://www.calvertfuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 12. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Calvary Baptist Church  
282 McCord Street  
West Point, MS 39773

## Funeral Service

AUG 12. 2:00 PM - 2:45 PM (CT)

Calvary Baptist Church  
282 McCord Street  
West Point, MS 39773

## Burial

AUG 12. 3:00 PM - 3:30 PM (CT)

Memorial Garden Cemetery  
West Point

# Tribute Wall

DL

“ We continue to pray for God to comfort you during this time. We send our love ❤️  
Diane & Butch ❤️🙏❤️

Diane Luke - August 12, 2021 at 02:29 PM

CE

“ Tommy Gina Lane Courtney Chris and Joe,  
Prayers for comfort and peace to all of you. Thankful for Luke and the special young man that he was. God bless you. Carol

Carol Ellington - August 12, 2021 at 12:12 PM

CE

“ Carol Ellington lit a candle in memory of  
Douglas Luke Reed



Carol Ellington - August 12, 2021 at 12:08 PM

CC

“ Andy and I want to express our sympathy and prayers for you all. I know you all have the most precious memories of Luke and Gary. There is no doubt Gary loved his family and enjoyed spending time with them. May God give you comfort in the days to come.

God Bless.

Andy and Cindy Cliett

CINDY CLIETT - August 12, 2021 at 11:15 AM

DW

“ On behalf of the staff and members of Calvary Baptist Church, West Point, I express our heartfelt prayers and deepest condolences to the families of Luke and his grandfather, Mr. Gary Dedeaux. We are honored that you have entrusted us to host the visitation and funeral services. Mr. Gary was known and loved by practically all of our church family. He was also a good friend and neighbor to a number of our longtime members. Several of our church family knew Luke as well. He had many classmates, teachers and Oak Hill staff who attend Calvary and they have all expressed how much they loved Luke and his family. Please know that we are here to offer whatever encouragement and help we can. We share in the joy of knowing that both Gary and Luke are in heaven and safe in the loving arms of their Savior, Jesus Christ.

God bless you,

Dr. Joe Wiggins  
Pastor, Calvary Baptist Church, West Point, MS

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Dr. Joe Wiggins - August 10, 2021 at 04:12 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Douglas Luke Reed.



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August 10, 2021 at 08:08 AM

AM

“ Special prayers and thoughts and condolences go out to the reed and dedeaux family!!

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Avery Mathis - August 09, 2021 at 08:08 PM

JW

“ To Luke’s Family and Loved Ones~  
We are so very sorry for your loss.  
Such a tragedy! May your sweetest  
memories of Luke comfort you and may  
God give you a peace that passes all our  
human understanding of “Why?”.  
With our sympathy and prayers~  
John C. Woolbright  
Linda (Blankenship) Woolbright  
Benton, Arkansas



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**John&Linda Woolbright** - August 09, 2021 at 03:28 PM

LJ

“ prayers to all. god will get you all thru this . i pray for comfort and  
peace thru this time . . he may be gone from this earth but his spirt  
will live forever. god bless

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**Lucy Jackson** - August 09, 2021 at 07:24 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of  
Douglas Luke Reed.



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August 08, 2021 at 06:53 PM

AU

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all in the coming days! Love  
you all!!  
Jonathan and Alice Upchurch

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**alice upchurch** - August 08, 2021 at 05:58 PM

HO

“ We mourn the loss of this fine young man. Helen and Jim Ormon

Helen Ormon - August 08, 2021 at 05:37 PM

YP

“ My sincere condolences to Luke's family. Gina, I can only imagine how your heart hurts with sadness and grief of losing your precious son Luke and dear father Gary in this tragic accident. My thoughts and prayers will be lifted to God for you and your family.  
Yevonne

Yevonne S Prewitt - August 08, 2021 at 04:07 PM

RG

“ Robert & Sandra Guest lit a candle in memory of Douglas Luke Reed



Robert & Sandra Guest - August 08, 2021 at 09:08 AM

QM

“ Queen Malone sent a virtual gift in memory of Douglas Luke Reed



Queen Malone - August 08, 2021 at 12:05 AM

BP

“ Prayers to you and your family. I didn't know your son but have Christmas cards from Gary when the boys were younger. My heart goes out to you for your losses.

Becky Milican Parent - August 07, 2021 at 08:52 PM

KD

“ Gina, Special thoughts and prayers go to you and the family!! Our loved ones may be taken away but nothing can take those precious memories!! Peace and Comfort to you and your family!

Kay M. Dedeaux

Kay Dedeaux - August 07, 2021 at 08:51 PM

LL

We met your family at the Pridmore's Thanksgiving last year. Your sweet boys were so kind to our grandsons. They still talk about them. Our hearts break for your family & our prayers are with you.

Lisa Little - August 08, 2021 at 09:03 AM

KD

“ Gina, Special thoughts and prayers go to you and the family!! Our loved ones can be taken away but nothing can take away those precious memories! Peace and Comfort to you for your loss!

Kay M. Dedeaux

Kay Dedeaux - August 07, 2021 at 08:24 PM

TA

“ *Teresa Atkins lit a candle in memory of Douglas Luke Reed*



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**Teresa Atkins** - August 07, 2021 at 05:52 PM

TA

*Your in my thoughts and prayers 🙏*

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**Teresa Atkins** - August 07, 2021 at 05:52 PM

EH

“ *You all are in our thoughts and prayers. Erb & Natalie Henley*



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**Erb & Natalie Henley** - August 07, 2021 at 04:17 PM

RL

“ *Ray And Joan Lacey lit a candle in memory of Douglas Luke Reed*



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**Ray and Joan Lacey** - August 07, 2021 at 02:17 PM

JC

“ *Judy Coleman lit a candle in memory of Douglas Luke Reed*



Judy Coleman - August 07, 2021 at 01:10 PM

LS

“ *My prayers go out to the Dedeaux and Reed families. Words cannot describe the grief. May God hold you all very close 🙏🙏🙏*

Lisa Shurden - August 07, 2021 at 12:39 PM

SE

*My prayers and thoughts are with you and your family!!*

Sandi Ervin - August 07, 2021 at 03:58 PM

RR

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during the coming days. Ray and Vicki Rushing*

Ray and Vicki Rushing - August 07, 2021 at 12:36 PM

CO

*Tommy we really don't know your family. We've always loved you. We do know lose. Please thank God for all your wonderful memories with Luke and Gina's dad Gary. We will be praying for all of you. We will always be here if you need to talk. I know you won't feel like it sometime, but God will walk you through this.*

*David & Carolyn Oswalt*

Carolyn Oswalt - August 09, 2021 at 10:02 PM



*Our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family. We love you Tommy. May God be with you every step of the way through this time.*

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**Carolyn Oswalt** - August 09, 2021 at 10:06 PM