



## Chief Deputy Steve Guthrie

February 19, 1964 - November 9, 2022

Steven Floyd Guthrie, 58, passed away Wednesday, November 09, 2022 at Shephard's Cove surrounded by family friends.

Steve was born in 1964 to Billie Guthrie and Toni Bailey. He graduated from Scottsboro High School

where he was known to be a mischievous prankster which he continued throughout his adult life,

providing his family and friends with many laughs and surprises.

He is survived by his wife Tammy, daughter Taylor Guthrie, stepdaughter Destin Morton (Johnny),

stepson Cole Higginbotham and long time, best friend Phil Sims whom he considered his brother. He

was "Boss" to his grandchildren Braxton and newly arrived Sawyer Morton who brought so much joy

and laughter to his life. He was an amazing husband, an outstanding father, stepfather, grandfather and

a loyal friend.

He was preceded in death by his parents Billie Guthrie and Toni Bailey, sister Connie Guthrie and niece

Brandie Rogers.

Steve began his law enforcement career with Scottsboro Police Department in 1987. In 1990, he went

to the Marshall County Drug Task Force where he worked under the District Attorney's office. Later, he was assigned to work crimes against children and domestic violence cases as an investigator for the DA's office. In 2002, he was assigned back to the Drug Task Force as a Drug Agent. Afterwards, in 2005, he joined the newly formed Etowah County Drug Task Force where he worked until he retired in 2018. In 2019, he joined the Marshall County Sheriff's Office as the Assistant Chief Deputy and later appointed as the Chief Deputy.

In his spare time, he served as State Trustee for the Fraternal Order of Police Lodge 18. He was always involved in the fundraisers and was extremely passionate about the Shop With A Cop program for underprivileged children from the county. The day would consist of providing breakfast, lunch, a day of Christmas shopping and riding with deputies with the sirens blaring and blue lights flashing. He loved seeing the excitement on their faces.

Memorial Service will held Nov. 20th at Albertville Fine Arts Center with visitation from 2pm-4pm followed by the service at 4pm.

In lieu of flowers, you may consider a donation in Steve's memory, to the FOP (Fraternal Order of Police) Lodge 18.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **20**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Albertville Fine Arts Center  
402 East McCord Avenue  
Albertville, AL 35950

## Service

NOV **20**. 4:00 PM (CT)

Albertville Fine Arts Center  
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Albertville, AL 35950

# Tribute Wall



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Chief Deputy Steve Guthrie.* ”



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November 18, 2022 at 05:55 PM



“ *Kaci Hunter lit a candle in memory of Chief Deputy Steve Guthrie* ”



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**Kaci Hunter** - November 16, 2022 at 09:05 AM



“ *Janice Jones Bailey lit a candle in memory of Chief Deputy Steve Guthrie* ”



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**Janice Jones Bailey** - November 15, 2022 at 11:41 AM



“ *I Have You In My Heart Plush Blanket was purchased for the family of Chief Deputy Steve Guthrie.* ”



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November 14, 2022 at 05:15 PM

JK

“ He was a great leader of the community and a well respected man. He will be missed dearly by his blue family throughout the state. Prayers for his loved ones. Alabama Fraternal Order of Police National Trustee, Jay king.

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**Jay king** - November 14, 2022 at 04:46 PM

BG

“ He was a very dear friend I met him too him having to come to my home for extreme measures and he handled it well and became a good friend through me talking to dispatch and him coming to my home or him just riding by doing a security check he's always been helpful very happy and very proud of what he done for his job and proud of his deputies he always talk to me and told me don't fear about living where you live because it's going to be all right we should patrol through here several times a day and night and if you ever need anything else just call me I will be here in no time to help you out and he always talked about how proud he was his family and friends and told me I was always a friend to him if I ever needed one and if I ever needed to talk about my problems that I have here and there on my mental situation he would be there to answer any question or to help me get help I love this man as a brother in Christ and he is always been there for everybody including the communities he has patrolled I want to thank him and his family for all he has done for me and give me through the times of need but my mental state and condolences go out to his family and praying for you guys God bless you all and sorry for your loss have a blessed day



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**Billiejo Green** - November 14, 2022 at 02:01 PM

MG

“ *The Scottsboro Police Department sends our condolences to the family. Major Greg Godfrey*

MAJOR GREG GODFREY - November 14, 2022 at 09:57 AM

MG

“ *MAJOR GREG GODFREY lit a candle in memory of Chief Deputy Steve Guthrie*



MAJOR GREG GODFREY - November 14, 2022 at 09:55 AM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Chief Deputy Steve Guthrie.*



November 13, 2022 at 10:20 AM

BW

“ *Betty Whisenant lit a candle in memory of Chief Deputy Steve Guthrie*



Betty Whisenant - November 12, 2022 at 05:31 PM



“ *Steve had become a dear friend to me since Phil Sims was elected Sheriff. Steve was there for me in my darkest days giving me support and assurance that things will get better. He was always happy and always spoke when I walked by his office. I'm going to miss him dearly.*

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**Brad Kilpatrick** - November 12, 2022 at 04:27 PM