



Jesse Dean Allison

November 16, 1957 - November 22, 2025

Coleman Funeral Home of Southaven

Jesse Dean Allison, 68, a devoted family man and lifelong outdoorsman, passed away surrounded by those he loved on November 22, 2025, in Hernando, MS. He was born in Memphis, TN, to Jesse Ray and Betty Sue Allison.

For 38 years, Jesse proudly served as a truck driver for Averitt Express. He took great pride in his work, forming friendships on the road and earning the respect of everyone who had the privilege of knowing him. His strong work ethic and commitment to providing for his family were hallmarks of his life.

Jesse could often be found where he was happiest—out in nature. He loved sports and was an avid fisherman, spending countless quiet mornings casting for bass, brim, and crappie. He also loved deer hunting and appreciated the peace and tradition it brought him.

Of all Jesse's roles, the one he cherished most was being Papaw. He adored his granddaughters and his great-granddaughter, and their smiles brought him more happiness than anything else. His family was his greatest blessing, and he loved them beyond measure.

Jesse Allison will be remembered for his generous heart, his easy laugh, and the way he always made time for the people and pastimes he treasured. Though he will be deeply missed, the stories, lessons, and love he shared will live on in all who knew him.

Mr. Allison is survived by his loving wife, Vicki Allison of Hernando, MS; his son, Blake (Erica) Allison of Hernando; his daughter, Kelsey (Matt) Allison Parrish of Hernando, MS; his brother, Jimmy Allison of Savannah, TN; his five granddaughters, Taylor Parrish, Emery Allison and Brynlee Allison, all of Hernando, Layke Parrish of Byhalia and Oakley Allison of Hernando; his great granddaughter, Sutton Cooper of Hernando, MS; his cat, Kitty Girl; many friends, and extended family members.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Jesse Ray and Betty Sue Allison; his brother, Arthur Ray Allison; and his beloved dog, Lola.

A visitation will be held on Wednesday, November 26, 2025, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., at Coleman Funeral Home of Southaven (626 Star Landing Road, East, Southaven, MS). A funeral service will follow at 11:00 a.m., also at Coleman Funeral Home of Southaven. Burial will be in DeSoto Memorial Gardens. Coleman Funeral Home of Southaven has charge of arrangements.

Memorial contributions may be sent to St. Jude's Children's Hospital.
(Stjude.org)

Expressions of condolences may be left on his Tribute Wall at www.colemanfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Desoto Memorial Gardens

630 Star Landing Road East
Southaven, MS 38672

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **26**. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Funeral Service

NOV **26**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Coleman Funeral Home of Southaven created a Tribute Video in memory of Jesse Dean Allison



Coleman Funeral Home of Southaven - November 25, 2025 at 04:45 PM

RJ

“ Ralph and Janis Jeffries purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Jesse Dean Allison.



Ralph and Janis Jeffries - November 25, 2025 at 03:54 PM

MR

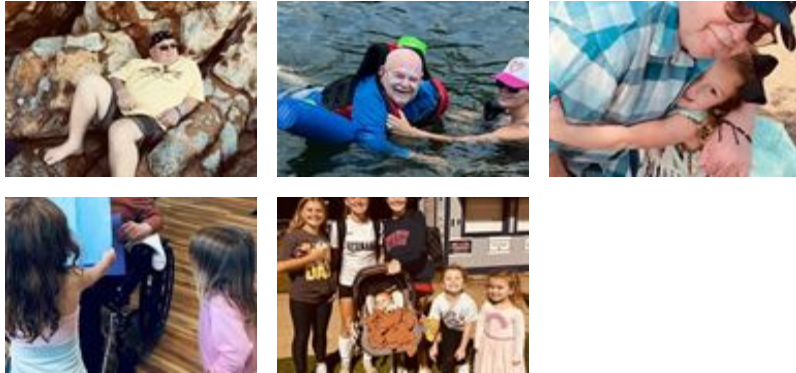
“ Mark, Debbie & Dillon Roberts purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Jesse Dean Allison.



Mark, Debbie & Dillon Roberts - November 25, 2025 at 02:58 PM



“ 92 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Coleman Funeral Home of Southaven - November 25, 2025 at 11:55 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of *Jesse Dean Allison*.



November 25, 2025 at 11:27 AM



“ *Regards, Beth Allison* purchased the *Emerald Garden Basket* for the family of *Jesse Dean Allison*.



Regards, Beth Allison - November 25, 2025 at 10:29 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Jesse Dean Allison.*



November 24, 2025 at 08:29 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Jesse Dean Allison.*



November 24, 2025 at 08:01 PM



“ *I'm hurt beyond words. You'll always be my Uncle Jessie we worked together so long and everyday you had a different joke for me. You'll be truly missed
Pamela Herron Averitt)*

pamela Herron - November 24, 2025 at 07:32 PM



I knew Jesse in his football hero days at SHS. He was always tough as nails as a star running back on our teams. He was a great friend to all who knew him and always fun to be around. I was a year and a grade younger than him but he always treated me kindly and I looked up to him. I knew Vickie well also and they were always a perfect match. I join in the sadness of the many who knew him and pray for his family who have lost him much too soon. May the Lord bless and comfort you all. Paul McCulloch.

Paul McCulloch - November 25, 2025 at 06:34 AM