



## Mr. Richard H. Gordon

November 29, 1939 - January 13, 2014

Gillett - Richard Gordon entered heaven on Monday, January 13, 2014. He was lovingly known by all as "Poppy" or that man with his invisible dog, "Spot". He was a Christian, member of the Gillett United Methodist Church and retired farmer. Richard was an exceptional man, full of fun (and aggravation!), love, wisdom and an unbelievable devotion to his family. Poppy's happiest times were spent with his family. We were truly blessed to have him for a husband, Daddy and Poppy. He was one of a kind. Thank you, God, for our family.

He was born November 29, 1939 in DeWitt. He was preceded in death by his parents, Elton Gordon and Dorothy Falls Gordon Cox and siblings: Charles Elton Gordon, Bobby Gordon, Virginia Younger and Reba Gordon.

He is survived by his wife of 52 years, Thelma Coffman Gordon; seven siblings: Janelle Erwin (Roger), Joe Bill Gordon, Tom Cox (Jane), John Cox (JoAnn), Joe Robert Gordon, Jack Cox and JoAnn Nady; children: Susan Hestir (Randy), Gay Counce, Laura Turner (Jammy) and Julie Hackney (Greg); grandchildren: Ronni Hearn (Jody), Holt Hestir (Lindsay), Randi Hestir, Taylor Counce, Cole Counce, Layne Turner, Landon Turner, Jake Turner, Jack Hackney and Ben Hackney; great grandchildren: Jentry and Braylee Hearn.

Funeral services will be 2:00 PM Thursday, January 16th, at Gillett United Methodist Church. Visitation will be at the church from 1:00 to 2:00 PM before the service.

Memorials may be made to Gillett/DeWitt Community Scholarship Fund, % Planters and Merchants Bank, PO Box 357, Gillett, AR 72055



# Tribute Wall

MR

“ MY DEEPEST CONDOLENCES TO THELMA AND THE GORDON FAMILY. MR. GORDON WAS A GOOD MAN DEVOTED TO HIS FAMILY. HE WILL BE MISSED.

WITH RESPECT,

MARK ROBERTS

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**MARK ROBERTS** - April 27, 2018 at 01:36 PM

KR

“ Mrs Thelma, Susan, Gay, Laura and Julie, and extended family, My prayers are with all of you during this difficult time. My memories of Richard will hold close to my heart forever. He was such a fun and family oriented man. Whenever I think of my childhood he immediately comes to my mind. You are all so blessed to have had him in your lives and one day we will all meet again. I am not able to be there for the services but my thoughts will be with you. Much love to you all. Kim Richter Rieve.

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**Kim Richter Rieve** - April 27, 2018 at 01:36 PM

MH

“ Thelma, We will miss Richard but will always remember the great times we had together chasing those emu dreams. We are sorry for your loss.

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**Mike & Gail Harrington** - April 27, 2018 at 01:36 PM

ED

“ my condolences to the family

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**eugene duderstadt** - April 27, 2018 at 01:36 PM

CS

“ *My Deepest Sympathy to all. We all will ,miss Richard*

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**Charles Silsbee** - April 27, 2018 at 01:36 PM

CS

“ *Richard Gordon was a person who was always the same. He never met a stranger and was friendly to everyone. We lived across the street from each other in DeWitt when I was a small child. When I ran for the school board, Richard helped me campaign. He has a wonderful family and he will definitely be missed by many. Prayers and sympathy to all his family.*

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**CAROLYN SULLIVAN** - April 27, 2018 at 01:36 PM

GP

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. I always enjoyed seeing Richard and talking to him and Thelma at our grandsons school and sports events. Landon is one of my Layne's closest friends and he feels the loss, too.*

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**Gail Pittman** - April 27, 2018 at 01:36 PM

MG

“ *I thought that he was a good man and a devoted christen and family man may he rest eternally in heaven*

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**meredith gresham** - April 27, 2018 at 01:36 PM

NK

“ *Uncle Richard was a true friend, and he will be sorely missed. My prayers and condolences to his wonderful family.*

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**Nancy Keys** - April 27, 2018 at 01:36 PM

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“ *To the family of Richard Gordon. I am saddened to hear of the loss of Richard and pray that God will be with you during this time of sorrow and know that time is a great healer.*

*With Sympathy,  
Irene Huggins*

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**Irene** - April 27, 2018 at 01:36 PM