



## Mr. William Timothy "Tim" Walton

September 7, 1956 - January 12, 2017

William Timothy Walton was born September 7, 1956 in Hazen, Arkansas and died in DeWitt on January 12 after a long battle with ALS. He was the son of Frederick Canfield and Betty Weddle Walton, who preceded him in death.

He graduated from the University of Central Arkansas in 1979 and was a Principal at DeWitt for fourteen years. He was retired from the Dumas school system. He loved the outdoors and home projects, and was a Civil War reenactor.

He is survived by his wife Carla Weldon Walton and two daughters, Whitney Walton of Atlanta, Georgia, and Erin Walton of DeWitt, brother Mike Walton of Roe, and his three best four-legged pals. The family would like to thank Tiffany White for her devoted care, and Donald Branch and David Walt for their unwavering friendship.

Visitation will be Saturday, January 14 from 5-7 p.m. at First United Methodist Church, and a committal service will be held at a later date.

The family requests that memorials be made to ALS in Wonderland, 1319 E. 6th St., Little Rock, AR 72202; First United Methodist Church, 608 S. Grandview Dr., DeWitt, AR 72042; or DeWitt Animal Control, 120 Court Square, DeWitt, AR 72042.

Cremation arrangements by Essex Funeral Home. [www.essexfuneralhome.com](http://www.essexfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Carla, I was so saddened to read this this morning. We have been gone from DeWitt for quite a while but I remember Tim from church and from the school. He was a great guy and will be so missed by everyone. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family at this difficult time.*

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**Ken and Gail Doles** - April 27, 2018 at 12:56 PM

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“ *My deepest condolences to you, Carla and your family at the loss of Tim. Don't know how I missed this notice but just read it. May the peace of God surround each of you.*

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**Terri Maier** - April 27, 2018 at 12:56 PM

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“ *Dear Carla, This is Susan, 'sue' from Hot Springs one of your oldest friends. You've really been on my mind, and I recall the beautiful wedding that you and Tim had. Remember, I served fruit punch and Terri Marshall cut the cake and served. Your sisters really made that wedding and reception great. Be good to yourself my friend.*

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**susan lascaro** - April 27, 2018 at 12:56 PM

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“ Even though I attended both visitation and the committal service of Tim's ashes beside his mother and father, I still wanted to pass on my gratitude to his wife Carla for her devoted care to Tim throughout his illness with ALS, and I thank her for allowing me into their home to visit Tim whenever I could during these last years of his life. He was very considerate and thoughtful to me as a friend, volunteering to help me move in 1989 when my wife and I had to move in a hurry from Heber Springs to Conway. We were brothers in arms in studying military history, and fellow "living historians" who sometimes reenacted at Civil War reenactments, and enjoyed many travels to Civil War battlefields and historic sites, not to mention attending several Arkansas Razorbacks football games. I will miss my traveling buddy on future trips, but I guess in a sense he will always have a clear sky-view from now on of all of the historic sites he revered and loved. God bless you, Tim, for being a better friend to me than I was to you.

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Phillip Parish - April 27, 2018 at 12:56 PM