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HAROLD “POPS” MORRIS

OCTOBER 11, 1938 - OCTOBER 30, 2026

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Edward Harold Morris Jr., 88, of Cabot, departed this life on October 30, 2026.

He was born October 11, 1938, in Little Rock, Arkansas, to Edward Harold Morris Sr. and Esther Lorene “Peggy” Hamilton Morris.

Being born with cerebral palsy never stopped Harold from living life to the fullest. He sold brooms door to door, sold newspapers for the Democrat newspaper, graduated from high school, and worked for 38 years as an elevator operator at the Arkansas Rehab in Hot Springs, missing only 14 days during that time. He retired from the Rehab on June 30, 2000, and moved to Searcy, where he attended First Baptist Church in Kensett.

He married Sandra on October 4, 2008, and instantly gained four daughters and a slew of grandchildren.
He was preceded in death by his wife, Sandra; his mother and father; his brother, Marshall Morris; and his precious dog, Mandy Mae.

Harold is survived by his daughters, Dianna Clark of Cabot, Cynthia Bagwell (James) of Jacksonville, Sheryl Cooper (William) of Greers Ferry, and Brenda Garcia (Claudio) of Cabot; nine grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren. He is also survived by his brother, Tommy Morris; his niece, Roxanne; his nephew, Eric, of Little Rock; and Vickie Elrod (Greg) of Benton.

Pallbearers are Chris Whittamore, Brian Whittamore, Chris Whittamore Jr., Joshua Whittamore, Caleb Whittamore, and Shaun Ruspoli.

Honorary pallbearer is Tom Stuthard.

We owe Hospice Home Care our gratitude and want to thank each and every one who has helped us over the last year and a half.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests making a donation to Hospice.

Tribute of Life Foundation
Website: tributeoflife.org

Mailing Address: 2409 West Beebe-Capps Expressway, Searcy, AR 72143

A Graveside service will be held at Concord Cemetery (150 Concord Church Road, Lonoke, AR) on Saturday, November 7, 2026, at 9:30 a.m, officiated by Brian King, chaplain of Hospice Home Care.

Afterglow

I’d like the memory of me
To be a happy one.
I’d like to leave an afterglow
Of smiles when life is done.
I'd like to leave an echo
Whispering softly down the ways,
Of happy times and laughing times
And bright and sunny days.
I’d like the tears of those who grieve,
To dry before the sun
Of happy memories that I leave
When life is done.