



## John Hensley

September 1, 1958 - September 26, 2017

John Hensley, 59, of Halfway, Missouri died peacefully in his home on Tuesday September 26, 2017, after a long battle with cancer.

John was born September 1, 1958 in Clinton, Missouri to Jim and Alice Hensley.

At age 16, during a revival at Van, John fell under conviction, and sought the Lord for several nights. After realizing he could not work it out himself, he turned it over to the Lord and God gave him a know-so, heartfelt salvation.

Afterwards, he joined Walnut Ridge (Van) Missionary Baptist Church. He later joined Halfway Missionary Baptist Church, where his 3 oldest children, and his wife Brenda were saved. God later led him back to Van, where he remained a member. He was also blessed to have 2 more children saved, and several grandchildren.

John graduated from Halfway High School in 1976. His love of farming started at an early age. He operated Halfway Feed Company/Show-me Commodities and Hensley Dairy. He enjoyed many things in life, including his hobby of Observed Trials Motorcycling.

He is survived by his 6 children: Lonnie Hensley and wife Ashley, Bryan Hensley and wife Crystal, Lisa Grant and husband Jason, their mother Becky

Swinney, James "Homer" Hensley, Katy Hensley, Sarah Hensley, and his beloved wife Brenda. He is also survived by his 7 grandchildren, brother Dale Hensley and wife Anita, sister Glenda Patterson, and a host of friends and church family.

A visitation will be held from 5:00 -7:00 pm, on Friday, September 29, 2017, at the Butler Funeral Home, in Bolivar, Missouri.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 am, Saturday, September 30, 2017, at the Butler Funeral Home, in Bolivar, Missouri with Bros. Joe Sprague and Doyle Mayfield officiating.

Burial will take place after the funeral, and be at the Walnut Ridge Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the St. Jude's Children Hospital, 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

# Cemetery Details

## Walnut Ridge Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery

4706 S. 190th Road  
Halfway, MO 65663

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **29**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Butler Funeral Home - Bolivar  
407 E. Broadway  
Bolivar, MO 65613  
(417) 326-5233  
<https://butlerfuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Service

SEP **30**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *John Hensley*

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM




“ *John Hensley*

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *Steven met John at the Carrie Babb Cancer Center. They understood the treatments and they were brave men to fight the fight of Cancer. I am blessed to have met them and so was Steven. I believe they both reside in Heaven with a new glorified body in the presence of the Lord. I long to be with my husband and best friend, but sometimes God's timing is what we all wait for.*



*Heartfelt condolences for your loss and may God wrap his loving arms around the family and carry you through.*

*He like Steven will never suffer from Cancer again! I believe they are still beside us in spirit and that when we meet our makes, what a great heavenly reunion it will be.*

Linda Faye Lober - April 11, 2018 at 06:19 PM



“ *I was so sorry to hear of the passing of your Dad. Please know you are in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Jerald Andrews*

jerald andrews - September 30, 2017 at 07:37 PM

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“ WE are sorry for your loss of John but know he is in a much better place for he knew the Lord as his Savior. Our son Dale graduated high school with John. Pray for God's comfort for all his family and friends. With love

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**Estal & Bonnie Stewart** - September 29, 2017 at 11:34 PM

SF

“ Dear Brenda and all of John's children,  
I am sorry for your loss. My dad passed when he was 53 so I feel your pain. I knew the young children of John and Brenda but I have worshiped with the older three and enjoyed their sweet Spirit. Trust the Lord he can supply your need.  
Love and Prayers, your Sister in the Lord Shirley Frieze

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**Shirley Frieze** - September 29, 2017 at 12:43 PM

JW

“ Sorry for your loss. I never knew John that well even though I lived at Halfway for several years. I knew his Father and Mother very well. My condolences to all the family. James Whitman

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**James Whitman** - September 29, 2017 at 12:34 PM

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“ Brian, Charlie and Lea at US Commodities purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of John Hensley.



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**Brian, Charlie and Lea at US Commodities** - September 28, 2017 at 02:33 PM