



## David Moody Moore Jr.

May 4, 2019

David Moody Moore, Jr., born September 19, 1949 in Little Rock to David Moody Moore and Jane Frances Paschal, passed away May 4, 2019 at the age of 69. After graduating from high school he attended UALR and the UAMS College of Health Related Professions School of Radiologic Technology where he began a long, rewarding and impactful career at UAMS. He first began as a radiology tech performing special procedures with Dr. Joseph Bissett, advancing later to Associate Director of Patient Care, overseeing special projects and day to day operations of Radiology, MRI and PET facilities. During his 50 years at UAMS, David cared deeply for the quality of patient care and understood excellence which he pursued to the highest degree. He was most recently named to the committee overseeing floor additions to the UAMS Cancer Research Center in its quest for national recognition. David simultaneously pursued a second career in the ministry, attending SMU Perkins School of Theology and working as an Associate Pastor at Highland Valley UMC from 1989 to 1995, then transferring to Asbury UMC in 1995 as Associate Pastor of Congregational Care until his retirement in 2015.

David had many friends and was beloved and adored by all. He had a special gift for bringing strength, joy and laughter to others. He will be greatly missed; many hearts are broken, but we rejoice in his heavenly reunion with his Lord and Savior and with his parents and others who have gone before him. He had a deep faith and knew the power of God's love and grace which he freely shared with others.

Preceded in death by his parents, David is survived by his deeply loved wife, Melissa; his three sons by marriage, David, Matthew and John Michael Lee, all of Little Rock; sister, Frances Ann Barre; two beloved nieces, Clare Lauer and Lara Garmon; and five great-nieces and nephews.

Services will be held on Thursday, May 9 at 11:00 a.m. at Asbury United Methodist Church, officiated by Rev. Tom Weir, with a reception to follow. Memorials may be made to Asbury UMC, 1700 Napa Valley Dr., Little Rock, AR 72212.

Arrangements by Little Rock Funeral Home, 8801 Knoedl Ct., (501)224-2200. David's online guestbook may be signed at [www.littlerockfuneralhome.com](http://www.littlerockfuneralhome.com).



# Comments

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“ Melissa, I just heard. David was a special friend to me , as well as you! You are in my prayers! Jim Warren

jim warren - May 14 at 10:56 AM

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“ David was so sweet and funny! Will miss running into him in the halls of UAMS.

Jamie - May 13 at 04:19 PM

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“ We met David at UAMS while my husband was there for Myeloma treatments. We were lucky enough to get to know him. He was able to rearrange our schedules for MRI to make it easier for my husband. He was an angel on earth. God used him to Comfort those around him. He will be missed on this earth!! Heaven has gained a wonderful soul!!!

Shawna Fisher - May 13 at 12:01 PM

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“ David was one of my R.T,'s at uams when I started the program in the early 70's. He was a great teacher, always happy, smiling, and giving me a hard time(all in fun). Deepest sympathy to the family. Nancy Lindsey Holliday Neal

nancy neal - May 11 at 04:31 PM

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“ To David's Family,  
When our family began attending Asbury David always had a smile and friendly greeting that made us feel welcome and wanted.  
Later, when our family experienced suicide of a family member, David was comforting and so sensitive to everyone's needs. He shared a book and made sure we knew he was available if needed.  
Running into him shopping he continued to immediately give a warm greeting and questioned how everyone was faring.  
He was truly a gentle special soul. We are blessed to have known him and his passing will definitely leave a void although his spirit lives on.  
Please know our thoughts and prayers are with you.  
Georgann Freasier

Georgann R. Freasier - May 10 at 04:35 PM



“ I knew David during my 35 years at UAMS. He was a kind man and was compassionate to all. I'm so sorry to hear of his death.

**FadellePowell** - May 10 at 03:41 PM

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“ I loved me some Brother David. What a great sense of humor! Heaven got em a goodern!

**Preston and Missy Cowan** - May 09 at 05:51 PM

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“ I have worked with David during my time working in Interventional Radiology. As well known him over 36 years I have been here. He so loved it when I would tell him how much he reminded me of Munch on the criminal show. Talk about theology and other things over the years. I can see him driving in out deck in that big ol car he had. He will be missed.  
Lori Jo Phares

**Lori Phares** - May 09 at 03:30 PM

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“ Mr. David was a positive force here at UAMS. He always had a smile and joke for me when I saw him. He made my day on several occasions. My condolences to the family. I personally will miss him. May God bless your family. Sincerely yours, Aaron Gray

**Aaron Gray** - May 09 at 03:25 PM

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“ I have known David for about 10 years or so. I always looked for him during the coffee and donuts before the contemporary service at Asbury. Always a warm smile and handshake. His persona was like lights being turned on. I confess I had a special name for him, "SpongeBob SquarePants". I'm not sure what year it was at the church's Halloween party and David had dressed as SpongeBob. From that point on I gave him his new name. It was a joke between us that I didn't share. My life is better from knowing him. The words of tribute in his obituary are true, but I don't know how to truly give him the tribute I feel, so I'll just say that. To his family I hope you are blessed and comforted by God's grace. I'm sure he's already at work doing whatever God asks of him. David was loved by, and will be missed by many.

God bless you all

Les Ablondi - May 09 at 02:44 PM

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“ I have known David through work for nearly 40 years, and every kind thing that can be said about him will never be enough to express what a genuinely wonderful man he is. I say is, because by faith I know he now resides with his Savior in heaven. I am still shocked, because I saw and spoke with him just days before his passing. My sincerest condolences to his family. He will be missed terribly by those of us who remain.

Laura Phillips

Laura Phillips - May 09 at 12:47 PM

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“ I was so shocked and sad to learn of David's passing. He has been an active and valued member of the LR Athletic Club for almost 20 years. He will be dearly missed by staff and members. Peace be with his family.

Susan Garrett

Susan Garrett - May 09 at 10:22 AM

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“ David will be missed by his friends and associates. I considered David a wonderful friend for many years. His family will be in my thoughts and prayers.

Ellie Reid

ellie reid - May 09 at 09:26 AM

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“ Our sincerest condolences to Melissa, David, Matthew and John Michael. We will keep all of you in our thoughts and prayers. Love to you all!

Kirk, Jill, Matt & Dylan

Jill Leonard - May 09 at 08:55 AM

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“ I met Mr. Moore several years ago, perhaps 2011-2012. He always maintained such an upbeat, positive attitude even when facing difficult or uncertain situations. He was the type of patient who would bring a smile to everyone's face in our clinic, and I greatly enjoyed getting to know him over the years. My condolences to his family.



“ I had the unique pleasure of sharing an office at UAMS with David for about 5 years. He was funny, fiery, smart, and had a quick wit. He was professional when it was time to be and caring when it counted the most. I learned a lot from him and his wisdom. I moved to the new part of the hospital in 2009, but we still smiled and talked often in passing. I have probably laughed and cried my hardest in David's presence. He will be missed, but most of all remembered.

Shayne Gray - May 09 at 01:08 AM

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“ Life is brief and very unpredictable. There are places I will never see; food I will never taste; people I will never meet. But, I met David Moore, and that made my life better. He made this world a better place.

Debbie Brown - May 08 at 11:01 PM

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“ When it was time for us to marry, David performed the ceremony and shared in our love and commitment. When it was time for a family member to pass on, David performed that ceremony and shared our grief. During the other times, he shared his humor and his wisdom.

David has always been there to guide our family through our tragedies like the times a family member went on to be with Jesus. That includes both of my grandparents, an uncle, 2 brothers, and my mother. He always found the right words to heal a broken heart and make the inevitable hurt better.

David and my uncle have been best friends for many years and he will be greatly missed by all of us.

He has been a blessing to our whole family and his passing leaves a big hole in our hearts. Thank you, David, for touching our lives and just being you.

Michele & Ken Coe

Ken & Michele Coe - May 08 at 07:58 PM

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“ I will miss David's warm and witty greetings as we often passed each other in the hallways of UAMS over the past 30 years. There will certainly be a void felt at UAMS for many of us.  
Rest in love and peace David.

Julie Atkins - May 08 at 07:43 PM

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“ David will definitely be missed at UAMS. His kind, humorous nature was always a welcome encounter when I saw him in passing or on the elevator. He had a way of always seeing the brighter side of the day that left you with a smile. He would often say, "How is the HR world."

Praying to the family. May you find peace in your precious memories of David.

Audrey Bradley

Audrey Bradley - May 08 at 06:41 PM

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“ David continuously displayed a servant's heart, loving and caring for people. He is missed! Wise, ready, and witty come to mind as I think of him. Praying Christ's love surrounds the family and friends during these difficult days.

Chris and Ashley Jones - May 08 at 01:05 PM

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“ David Moore embodied the phrase; "No one cares how much you know until they know how much you care." For over 40 years I have been privileged to know and work with many good ministers. David was one of the greatest examples for pastoral care. His love for people while sharing the concerns, struggles and joys of life, set a very high standard.

He loved music and the great hymns of the church. I could always look forward to a call when he was working on a sermon or planning a service. "Austin, what do you think about this hymn?" He wanted to offer his very best and wanted to include everyone involved in the service.

His very best also included his great taste and sense of style. I was one of the chosen friends that has first hand knowledge of David's REDECORATING talent. Let me be clear not decorating, REDECORATING. David's redecorating gifts continued even when we no longer worked together. Any choir room or office was fair game! He loved a rummage sale for his special Christmas gifts. His sense of humor had no limits. He loved seeing me turn red with embarrassment while laughing at him and his crazy antics. So many stories from tonic water to a "lean to" addition to the church. The laughter we shared is immeasurable and cherished.

Melissa and boys, It has been such a joy to know how much he loved you. You were a gift and anchor for him. Thank you for continuing to share him with so many people. So many stories and beautiful memories as our hearts break with you. Through the tears, I smile knowing that there are hundreds of people that also considered him a best friend.

David, as we ended almost every phone call, "Love ya brother."

David Austin - May 08 at 11:05 AM

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“ David Was THAT man. If you needed something fixed or just to talk. David was wonderful to work with and to talk to. He was always available to listen and then he would always push you the way you need to go, or tell you how to call to get it fixed. I will miss see you in the hallways. rest well you deserve it. Great job

Shelia Hambidge - May 08 at 10:53 AM

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“ Something as simple a warm good morning to make what could be a trying day, Mr. Moore did that...never WANTED to miss a morning whereas we greeted one another, that says how wonderful of a person overall he was, and he WILL be missed tremendously by all...rest in love my friend!

DJ - May 08 at 09:15 AM

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“ David was a wonderful man. He always said Hi.. asked me why I didn't call or write anymore... and just made me smile. I will miss seeing him in the halls, collaborating with him in work, and just generally being able to talk to him. He was a truly kind man who I feel honored to have know and been known by. My prayers to all of his family during this time.

joy - May 08 at 09:10 AM

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“ Melissa - Praying for you and for all your family.  
David loved you dearly and that love is with you always and forever.  
Blessed are they that mourn for they shall be comforted. Matthew 5:4  
Renee' Willis

Renee Willis - May 08 at 08:59 AM

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“ Renee Willis lit a candle in memory of David Moody Moore Jr.



Renee Willis - May 08 at 08:45 AM

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“ Mr. Moore always brought a smile to my face and by always, I mean the past 40 or so years that we both hung out in the halls of UAMS. He seemed to be upbeat no matter what and to have a kind word for you. I am saddened to hear of his death and know that many of us will miss him greatly. Thank you for sharing David with the rest of us.

Nicholas Lang, MD

Nicholas Lang, MD - May 08 at 07:42 AM

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“ Mr. Moore and his wife frequented The Buffalo Grill restaurant, and I was there server many times. He always brought a smile to my face. He had an incredible sense of humor which matched mine perfect. They were one of my favorite guest that I had the pleasure of getting to know. He will truly be missed. Mrs Moore my thoughts and prayers are with you and ur family.

Sheri Evans

Sheri Evans - May 08 at 04:50 AM

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“ I work at UAMS and attended Highland Valley United Methodist. Mr. Moore was so nice and always smiling. So sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prays go to your family. He was a wonderful person and will be missed. He was a great role model for his church family and at work. He will be greatly missed.

Regina Ward

Regina Ward - May 08 at 04:08 AM

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“ I work at Buffalo Grill. In a place where so many people are in and out, he was a favorite. Always a quick remark and that smile. I'm so sorry for everyone that knew and loved him. He always stood out with his kindness and humor.

Becca Pearson - May 07 at 11:27 PM

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“ David helped me & my family through several very difficult times during his ministry at Asbury. Sending heartfelt condolences to his entire family.

Nancy Dolan - May 07 at 10:58 PM

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“ To the Moore Family,  
I met David when my boys and I attended Asbury, David always made us feel welcomed and loved. He will always have a special place in my heart; David reached out to us when my boys lost their Dad to suicide. He sent me the book: take the dimness of my soul away by William A. Ritter. This book was and still is a lifesaver to me and my boys. It helped me comfort my boys at a time that I was lost for words of my own. It continues to help us heal as we read and re-read the book that David went out of his way to share with our family.  
I was lucky enough on Saturday to run into David at Kroger's in the heights. He was joyful and of course asked how we were doing. I feel truly blessed that I got to see his smiling face one last time.  
You are in my thoughts and prayers.  
I am so sorry for your loss,  
Michele Purifoy, Taylor and Peyton Adams

Michele Purifoy - May 07 at 06:12 PM

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“ Philip's Service Engineers purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of David Moody Moore Jr..



Philip's Service Engineers - May 07 at 04:33 PM

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“ Charles W. purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of David Moody Moore Jr..



Charles W. - May 07 at 04:28 PM

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“ The New Directions Class purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of David Moody Moore Jr..



The New Directions Class - May 07 at 04:23 PM

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“ We got to know David when he was Associate Pastor at Highland Valley. He loved the Lord and shared his faith in so many ways. We were sorry to learn that he had died.

Our prayers are with his wife and family.

Judy and John Houser

Judy Houser - May 07 at 01:12 PM

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“ I met David when I was a teenager attending Asbury. I liked him instantly - he was hilarious and witty, and he also seemed genuine and caring - he had a warm, positive spirit. He offered compassionate, nonjudgmental advice to me when I was a teenager/college student trying to navigate this new territory of adulthood and responsibility in my new role as an adult member of my family. My family adored him and he would frequently ask about them when I saw him. David had a strong positive presence for all of us. When I started working at UAMS back in 2003, he always greeted me with a warm smile and a wave if he was with someone else walking through the halls. If he was alone, he'd greet me with a hug. I left UAMS back in 2014 to move out of state.

I recently moved back to Little Rock from Florida where I lived for a year. Thursday around noon - I was walking through the hallway that connects the Shorey Building

with the new hospital wing. We passed each other going in opposite directions. He seemed to be deep in serious conversation with the other person walking with him. As soon as I saw his face, I know mine must've lit up. We both gave each other enthusiastic smiles and waves, and as he passed me, he said in a quiet voice, "Glad you're back." and patted me on the elbow.

I was so shocked to hear the news that David died. My initial response was, "But I JUST saw him!" Quite frankly, I'm heartbroken about this. It's a big loss for our community. It's a big loss for UAMS. And moreover, as far as I'm concerned, it's a big loss for the world. My warmest regards and deepest condolences to you, Melissa, and to your sons; and to the many family and friends David knew and loved. Rest in peace, David. I will always be grateful for your role as a mentor to me.

**Heidi Charton** - May 07 at 01:07 PM

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“ David will be truly missed at UAMS, and by many long time friends. He was a joy to be around, and always happy.  
Rest in love David

Carla Robertson.

**Carla Robertson** - May 07 at 01:06 PM

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“ I had the pleasure of meeting David many over 20 years ago when I came to UAMS. David always spoke when passing in the halls and if he had time would stop to chat for a few minutes. David always had a smile and kind words and a great sense of humor. David will be dearly missed. My deepest condolences to the Moore family.

Kim Bonner

**Kim Bonner** - May 07 at 12:58 PM

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“ David was one of my favorite people to run into in the halls at UAMS. He always brightened my day with his quick wit and kind words. He made sure to check on my son who student taught band at central during his son's senior year. David was one of a kind and will be missed greatly by all who knew and loved him. Every conversation ended with "I am so glad I got to see you today Mrs. Trickey".

**Dana Trickey** - May 07 at 12:48 PM

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“ I met David when I worked at Asbury. He was such a great person - caring, sympathetic, and very funny. I am sorry for your loss. He will be missed.

Kim Rush - May 07 at 12:29 PM

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“ There is now a palpable void in the UAMS Radiology Department...our dear friend David Moore is no longer here with us. While we will certainly miss his deep concern for patient care, his incredible ability to take care of anything that needed “taking care of” (whether it be in the department or on campus in general), and his willingness to always jump in waist-deep when called upon at a moment’s notice by anyone who could use his assistance, I believe the one thing that all of us will miss most is David’s wry and sometimes outlandish sense of humor.

David and I shared a love of all things humorous, and yes, even the humorous side of death. I came across this poem yesterday and knew it was something David would have absolutely loved. You see, we have used many of these euphemisms ourselves in discussing all things funereal (one of the MANY topics of choice we’d hit upon!) I dedicate this poem to my loving friend David – we sure had some fun together in life, Rev!

I miss you deeply...I hope you are now sitting back in heaven, listening to the fat ladies sing!

Dead Is Dead  
by Alan Balter

When somebody dies, folks hardly ever say "dead."  
They prefer "expired" or "departed" instead.  
Most of the euphemisms don't do any harm,  
Like "biting the dust" or "buying the farm."

How about "at room temperature" or "fell off the twig,"  
"Wearing a toe tag" or "played his last gig"?  
"Bought a pine condo" and "six feet under,"  
"Became a root inspector" makes one wonder.

Try "went belly up" and "bit the biscuit."  
"Laid down his burden" and never missed it.  
"Gone to his maker" and "out of print,"  
"In a horizontal phone booth" for a permanent stint.

"Defunct," "extinct," and "in the crisper."  
Most say 'em no louder than a whisper.  
"Gone to sleep city" and "passed his sell by date,"  
"Cashed in his chips at the pearly gate."

Now we could go on, but you get the point.

Have some fun in life before "checking out of this joint,"  
And should you come to my funeral, don't bring a thing.  
Just sit back and listen to the fat lady sing.

**Bernard Turgeon** - May 07 at 12:08 PM

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“Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of David Moody Moore Jr..



May 07 at 12:01 PM

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“Dear Moore Family:  
So sad to hear about David's passing. What a wonderful and kind man he was. My thoughts and prayers go to you for your loss.  
Sincerely,  
Allison Streepey



**Allison Streepey** - May 07 at 11:53 AM

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“To the Moore Family:

David Moore, Jr., was indeed a friend to all. I shall never forget him. I remember David as a sweet, kind person, and friend from the time that I met him during our studies at The Course of Study at Hendrix College. He will be missed!

God's blessings!  
Betty J. Scull

**Betty Scull** - May 07 at 11:39 AM

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“ Theresa Mills lit a candle in memory of David Moody Moore Jr.



Theresa Mills - May 07 at 11:38 AM

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“ David was always there for us UM Deacons. He made us feel useful and important. We loved him as a friend. See you later David...

LaVerne Keahey - May 07 at 11:25 AM

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“ David will be missed here at UAMS. He was always helpful and cheerful.

Dollie Williams

Dollie Williams - May 07 at 10:28 AM

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“ David was a very special man and yet he always made whoever he was talking with feel they were his priority. A friend at U.A.M.S. we could turn to for advise. I will miss you my friend. Prayers for Davids family,  
Rick Long

Richard Long - May 07 at 10:23 AM

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“ David Moore was quite the individual. I returned to UAMS in September and really wasn't sure who I was supposed to email for this or that. I kinda defaulted to David, not because he was the correct person to ask, but more because it didn't matter that he wasn't. He always answered, directed me to the correct person, or forwarded my email along. Just last week he asked me if my computer was broken because he hadn't gotten any emails from me all week. I knew if he was involved, things would be taken care.

The ultrasound department is going to miss him scolding us about running into walls with beds. We told him last week that we'd do better and to honor David, we will.

UAMS was blessed to have David on their team for so long. The next person will quite literally have big shoes to fill (David would like that joke about the shoes.)

Autumn Reddin - May 07 at 10:15 AM

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“ David Moore what a guy. Full of humor and caring, always ready to help. I was at UAMS for an out-patient surgery several years ago, here comes David as I checked in for a quick word of cheer, a joke, and a prayer. A real shock to hear of his passing, David inspired and always made the day better.

David you will be missed by all.

Lowell Staggs

Lowell Staggs - May 07 at 10:06 AM

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“ David was not only my Associate Pastor for many years at Asbury but also my co-worker at UAMS. I am heartbroken, along with so many, not to be able to share a laugh, story, joke, or smile with him or to have him remind me of who and what is important. As we walked through the hallway at work, he would stop to say hello to the maintenance worker changing the light bulbs. He would remind me to always make sure I knew that person's name - not just the executives in our building - because it was that person who made sure we could all see. He was truly a good man and will be deeply missed.

Michelle Elliott - May 07 at 10:04 AM

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“ My husband Phil and I work in the Radiology Dept at UAMS. We have known and loved David for twenty years, and we will miss him more than words can express

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David was always there for his people. If you had a problem---David Moore could solve it.

And...he was hilarious! So quick to crack a joke. He always had special nicknames for everyone he cared about. He called me "Jessica" (even though my name is Jan) because I'm an author, and that's the character's name in "Murder She Wrote."  
He came to all my book signings, and it just meant the world to me.

We will miss him every single day. The dept is a darker place now, and will again never shine quite so brightly.

We love you, David.

Jan and Phil.

JANET TAYLOR - May 07 at 09:37 AM

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“ Good Morning ... Have a great day! Many mornings over 20+ years started just that way as we would walk in together from the parking deck. I thought of you yesterday, because I had something I wanted to share with you... When I heard the news, in my heart I could hear our heavenly Father say – Good Morning David... Have a great day~  
My friend – you will be missed... To his family - your loss is felt by many.  
Blessed are they that mourn for they shall be comforted. Matthew 5:4  
Sandy

Sandy Bennett - May 07 at 08:43 AM

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“ To the family of David M. Moore jr. Please accept my sincere apology for your loss my condolences ! Please find comfort in our loving heavenly father's promise ps37:29)John5:28,29)

Regina Neil - May 07 at 08:01 AM

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“ This world was made better because David Moore was here. He was loved by his patients, colleagues, church family & all who had the opportunity to meet Him.  
With love & admiration, Pat Purifoy

Pat Purifoy - May 07 at 02:06 AM

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“ I am so sorry to hear of David's passing. My heart is broken. He was such a good friend to my late husband, Bruce Jones, while Bruce worked with David and in the few years after Bruce retired from UAMS. When Bruce passed, David graciously spoke at the funeral and shared his memories with us. David also became a good friend to me, helping me navigate things as a new widow. He was a rock for me as I'm sure he was to others. I'm going to miss David, his wit and his caring nature.

Linda Jones

Linda Jones - May 06 at 11:32 PM

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“ Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of David Moody Moore Jr..



May 06 at 11:20 PM

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“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of David Moody Moore Jr..



May 06 at 11:00 PM

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“ Deborah And William Johnson lit a candle in memory of David Moody Moore Jr.



**Deborah and William Johnson** - May 06 at 10:15 PM



“ William and I were privileged to work at UAMS and become friends with David. He certainly was a man of great integrity, wit, and intelligence. He was compassionate, provided sincere encouragement and mentored many people. Heaven has a new special spirit but the light is dimmer for those of us who will miss him on earth.

**Deborah and William Johnson** - May 06 at 10:22 PM



“ SO VERY SORRY TO LEARN OF DAVID'S UNTIMELY DEATH! HE ADDED SO MUCH HUMOR TO FAMILY GATHERINGS AND WE WERE SO HAPPY TO HAVE KNOWN HIM AND SHARED MANY HAPPY OCCASIONS WITH HIM AND ALL THE FAMILY. WE ARE TRULY HEARTBROKEN FOR YOU ALL. MAY GOD BLESS AND COMFORT YOUR HEARTS AT THIS DIFFICULT TIME. SARAH AND ERICA JOIN ME IN SENDING OUR DEEPEST CONDOLENCES. OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU ALL!

**Dyanne Scott** - May 06 at 11:09 PM

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“ Bro. David officiated my daughter's wedding and my dad's funeral. Such a fine, funny, caring individual. He will be greatly missed.

Joanne Moren - May 06 at 08:15 PM

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“ Growing up at Highland Valley -- I had the greatest pleasure to have a friendship and mentor! David always made me laugh and smile ... I remember a "Gone Fishing" sign he had on the opposite side of Kurt and the church. He was a man of honor, respect and a Christian man. His wife - I always thought she was just beautiful. I am terribly saddened to hear this news but I think of what a special impact he made on my life and I will always cherish those moments.

janna fawcett-harris - May 06 at 08:05 PM

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“ David was always there for my family and me during all my sons heart surgeries. I will miss him dearly. He was such a light during my most stressful times. Heaven is laughing now.

Pauletta Baldwin Andrews - May 06 at 07:59 PM

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“ With a heart as big as all outdoors and a sense of humor that would keep you laughing all day long he is going to be missed so much. Everybody that ever met this wonderful man loved him right off the bat. He would do anything in the world for you if you needed it. My dear sweet husband, Wally, loved him so much and he did his memorial service and when you left there you felt like you had been to a service to honor a man that was still there not one who was dead. He made it a real celebration for Wally. It was wonderful. He was a wonderful man of God. Thank you David for being my friend and Pastor.

Judy Gee - May 06 at 07:12 PM

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“ A Man of the People  
For David M Moore

He was a man with a heart for people, and the people had a heart for him.

Serving as an associate pastor, first at Highland Valley UMC, and finally at Asbury UMC, the love Christ had for him compelled him to share that love

with others.

His compassion was exceeded only by his wit, and with his uncommon humor he often deflected the heartbreak of loss, the despondency felt by those upon whom life had dealt an unexpected blow.

Now it is we who need to be lifted up by the words, the actions, of the man who was a part of so many lives. And, we can be encouraged by the memories, the stories, the laughter that will linger on, and by knowing that he is now a part of that great crowd of witnesses,

And he will never stop cheering us on.

Fly high, David,  
Carol and Larry Grace

**Carol Grace** - May 06 at 06:26 PM

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“ Kathy Cooper lit a candle in memory of David Moody Moore Jr.



**Kathy Cooper** - May 06 at 05:22 PM



“ We were classmates at Pulaski Heights junior high school and were in choir together as well as some other classes. He always kept us laughing. Always up to something! I saw him a short while ago at a memorial service for a friend and we shared some memories and laughter. He will be terribly missed.

**Kathy Cooper** - May 06 at 05:23 PM

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“ My mother, Martha Crosby, was David's favorite teacher at Hall High. And HE was her favorite student. When mom died 2 years ago, on May 4 (!), I asked David to participate in her memorial service and share stories of her as his teacher. He was gracious and funny, and so sweet. I didn't go to school with David, but I knew a lot about him due to my mom's stories. She called him "her fireman" because apparently David had an arrangement with a local firehouse! I know they are having a wonderful

time in heaven. Praying for all of Davids family.

**Susan Crosby** - May 06 at 03:34 PM

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“ We've know David for many years as he was our daughter-in-law's uncle. David's wonderful sense of humor brought much laughter to family gatherings and events. He also had a big heart and dearly loved his family. We will miss him.

Quentin and Jo Lauer

**Jo Lauer** - May 06 at 03:25 PM

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“ David was an unforgettable kind of guy! I think he married and buried all the ones dear to me. He knew how to touch your heart. He wasn't perfect but none are and he accepted his faults with grace...God's grace. We will miss you.

**Diane Gardner** - May 06 at 02:46 PM



“ Ruby Garmon

David was always s happy man

For no reason at all.

We meet him when our son John Trey Garmon was engaged to his niece Lara Barre.

There was never a dull moment with David. We will miss him and his support for our Grandchildren, Abbie, Will and Drew Garmon. They truly loved him.

John and Ruby Garmon

**Ruby Garmon** - May 06 at 05:07 PM



“ David and I served together at Asbury UMC for 6 years. He was a good and faithful service. He was a funny and compassionate soul. He will be greatly missed. Peace to all his family and friends.

Hart Moore

**Hart Moore** - May 06 at 07:14 PM



“ Even as just an acquaintance, seeing Mr. Moore's obituary today, is a moment when you think to yourself, I wish I could have seen him just one Moore time. As a contractor who's worked frequently at this great institution for the past 37 years, often in the departments David served, every good thing I've read from those close to him, was true of outside vendors he interacted with as well. In construction meetings, on the job site, walking down the halls, or seeing him out at dinner, you never felt like an 'outsider', but Moore of a friend. He put one at ease, and we shared a common goal, to make the hospital a better place for

the patients it served. He truly was a remarkable asset to UAMS.

Thank you sir for the laughs and encouragement provided to me over the years.

Sam Weatherford

River City Mechanical

**SAM E WEATHERFORD** - May 07 at 03:44 PM



“ All the comments are exactly what I want to stay. David worked across the hall from me when I worked at UAMS years ago and I considered him a bright spot in my day. We both loved the Lord and weren't afraid to share that. I still loved running in to him at Kroger weekly and I'll miss his funny quips. Such a shock but I know he's in a much happier place entertaining everyone. My prayers are with you all. Beth Coulson

**Beth Coulson** - May 07 at 08:38 PM



“ I had the pleasure to get to know David well between 1979-89 during my residency in Orthopaedic Surgery and as attending staff in the Department of Orthopaedic Surgery He was energetic, practical, funny and passionate about his work in the Department of Radiology and throughout the hospital. Soon after meeting him I recognized that he sincerely looked forward to opportunities to not only teach young physicians but learn from them as well. I thoroughly enjoyed our interactions in the midst of patient care as well as during quieter, less stressful times. As contemporaries, we connected well on many levels and both reveled in our delightful, unexpected encounters in the years after my departure from UAMS. I will never forget him. I offer my sincerest condolences to the family of this wonderful man.

Rest in Peace, David.

David N. Collins, MD

Little Rock

**David N. Collins, MD** - May 07 at 09:33 PM



“ My deepest sympathies to Melissa and sons: David, Matthew, and John David and to all of David's family. All of you were so important to him!  
Our hearts are deeply saddened. We will miss this kind man, who was full of compassion and empathy for all who crossed his path. He inspired and encouraged us with his faith and his quirky wit!  
Well we were definitely not ready to send you on your way for your just rewards, but as you would say, " love it when a plan comes together." I salute you with the Diva Wave.

**Marty Gassaway** - May 10 at 03:40 PM