



David Marion Menger

January 29, 1955 - October 24, 2025

It is with deep sorrow that we announce the passing of David Marion Menger, 70, of Beech Island, South Carolina, on October 24, 2025. David was born in Augusta, Georgia, on January 29, 1955, to the late Earl Marion Menger and Betty Bush Menger. A proud North Augusta Yellow Jacket, David played football at North Augusta High School before graduating and later attending the University of South Carolina–Aiken.

For more than 45 years, David faithfully owned and operated Menger Door Company, where he installed doors and built lasting friendships throughout the community. He was respected for his strong work ethic, honesty, and the quiet kindness that guided every part of his life.

David was a devoted member, Sunday School teacher, and deacon at First Baptist Church of Beech Island, where his faith was both steadfast and evident to everyone who knew him.

On June 7, 1980, he married Kathryn McElmurray, at First Baptist Church of North Augusta. Together they built a loving home grounded in faith, commitment, and joy. David was the proud father of Martha Kathryn Menger Clance (Chris) and John David Walden Menger, and a devoted Granddaddy to his granddaughter, Kathryn Hogan Lang Clance, with another grandson expected in March 2026. He is also survived by his sister, Jenny Lena Menger, and brother, James Andrew Menger (Glenda). He was preceded in

death by his brother, John Russell Menger.

David found peace and purpose in the simple things—shrimping at Land's End, hunting, fishing, and spending time outdoors, especially at his cabin at Gum Swamp. He took great pride in preparing meals for family gatherings. His fried shrimp could make you forget your manners, and his Easter ham and fried turkey was the stuff of legends. A loyal Carolina Gamecock fan through wins and losses (mostly losses, "Typical Carolina", as he'd often say with a grin), David remained ever faithful—both to his team and to his Lord.

He was a vivid storyteller who could make anyone feel welcome and loved. David had a big laugh, a bigger heart, and a way of bringing people together. He read his Bible daily and lived his faith with quiet strength and joyful conviction. He carried his faith into every conversation, decision, and relationship. He was a man of compassion, humility, and strength who made everyone around him feel valued and cared for.

A celebration of his life will be held Monday, November 3, 2025, at 11:00 a.m. at Historic First Baptist Church of Beech Island, with Rev. Dr. James Andrew Menger and Rev. Greg Williams officiating, and Mr. Don Cooper, his devoted friend, as his pallbearer. Interment will follow in the church cemetery. The family will receive friends on Sunday, November 2, from 2:00–4:00 p.m. at Posey Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Historic First Baptist Church of Beech Island, 170 Church Road, Beech Island, SC 29842.

David's faith and love for his family were the cornerstones of his life. His legacy of devotion, kindness, and steadfast faith will live on through those who loved him.

“I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.” –
2 Timothy 4:7

Cemetery Details

Historic First Baptist Church of Beech Island Church Cemetery

170 Church Road
Beech Island, SC 29842

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 2. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Posey Funeral Directors
1307 Georgia Ave
North Augusta, SC 29841
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Service

NOV 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

Historic First Baptist Church of Beech Island
170 Church Road
Beech Island, SC 29842

Tribute Wall



“ Posey Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of David Marion Menger



Posey Funeral Directors - October 29, 2025 at 03:34 PM

MJ

A wonderful tribute full of memories. A Russian Proverb says “we live on in one’s memories “. I believe that to be true.

Mark A Johnson - October 30, 2025 at 04:41 PM

RM

“ Memories of high school prom and Carolina Football.



Randy Millar - November 02, 2025 at 01:46 PM

DM

“ Diane , Martha and Melanie purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of David Marion Menger.



Diane , Martha and Melanie - November 01, 2025 at 07:50 PM

DM

“ Diane , Martha and Melanie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of David Marion Menger.

Diane , Martha and Melanie - November 01, 2025 at 07:50 PM

JS

“ Josiah and Natalie Smith planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of David Marion Menger.

Josiah and Natalie Smith - November 01, 2025 at 11:05 AM

JS

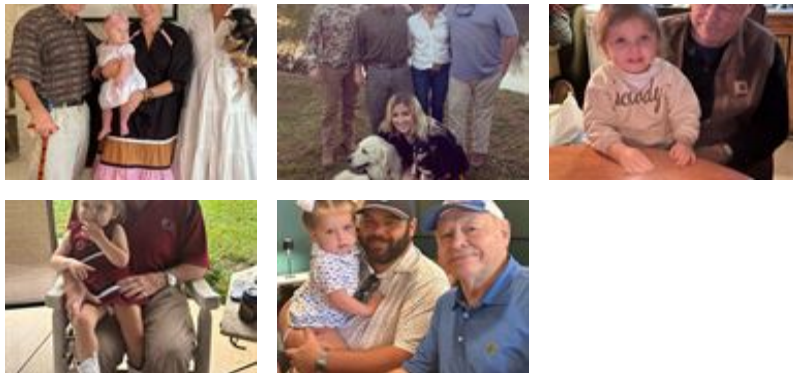
“ Josiah and Natalie Smith purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of David Marion Menger.



Josiah and Natalie Smith - November 01, 2025 at 11:05 AM



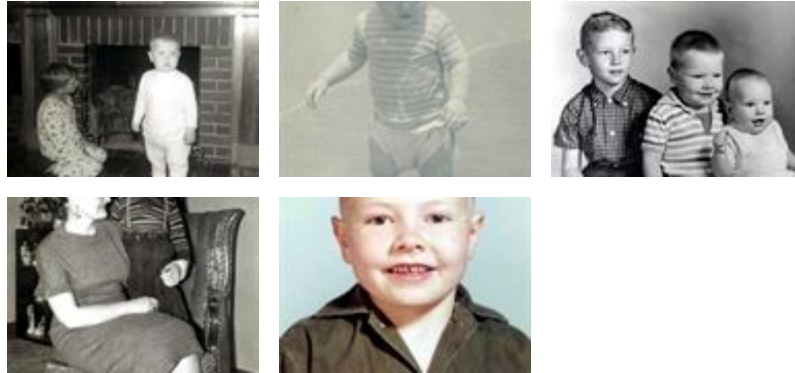
“ 11 files added to the album Life Tributes



Posey Funeral Directors - October 31, 2025 at 02:58 PM



“ 74 files added to the album Life Tributes



Posey Funeral Directors - October 29, 2025 at 03:31 PM

JW

To the family of David Menger..... may the Lord of all fill the void created by this loss. Be ever joyed in knowing that Dave is walking the streets of Gold and not suffering. His testimony is and always will be that he is singing with the Angles and praising his Savior

Jerry Withrow - November 03, 2025 at 06:56 PM

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“ *My condolences to all the Menger Family. David and I played football at NASH together and in fact I bought his Light Blue 1968 Mustang. Rest in peace brother.*

CAPTAIN David H Lepard, US Navy (RET) - October 29, 2025 at 10:20 AM

DI

“ *Don Cooper and Janet Ingram purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of David Marion Menger.*



Don Cooper and Janet Ingram - October 29, 2025 at 05:48 AM



“ Don Cooper and Janet Ingram planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of David Marion Menger.

Don Cooper and Janet Ingram - October 29, 2025 at 05:48 AM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of David Marion Menger.



October 28, 2025 at 11:28 AM



“ Jon deForests & Friend at BBL planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of David Marion Menger.

Jon deForests & Friend at BBL - October 28, 2025 at 11:28 AM



“ You were one of my first bosses. You believed in me and were good to me. Thank you for making a difference in my life. You will be missed. 🕯️

Ashley Tyson - October 27, 2025 at 05:33 AM



Grew up with David. I know no one who was as kind and gentle as he was. A great pleasure knowing him.

Mark Golden - October 27, 2025 at 12:29 PM

LF

I've known David throughout the 70's and when he worked at BIG STAR grocery store...telling my age now...and talked to him when he would come in KROGER STORE.....ALWAYS SUCH A GOOD HUMOR ABOUT ANYTHING. ALWAYS GOOD FOR A LAUGH. MAY HE REST IN PEACE...GOD BLESS 🙏🙏 HIS FAMILY

Lessie Fulmer - November 05, 2025 at 10:44 PM

JF

“ *Jamison and Will Fletcher purchased the Serene Reflections Bouquet for the family of David Marion Menger.*



Jamison and Will Fletcher - October 26, 2025 at 02:14 PM

JF

“ *Jamison and Will Fletcher planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of David Marion Menger.*

Jamison and Will Fletcher - October 26, 2025 at 02:14 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of David Marion Menger.*



October 26, 2025 at 12:44 PM

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“ *Cindy Faulkner planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of David Marion Menger.*

Cindy Faulkner - October 26, 2025 at 12:44 PM