



Mr. L Roger Powell

October 3, 1933 - March 2, 2017

Lawrence Roger Powell, of Grant, Alabama, passed away early Thursday, March 2, 2017. He was 83 years old.

A memorial service will be held at Grant church of Christ, Grant, Alabama on Monday, March 6, 2017 at 6:30 pm. The family will receive guests following the service.

Roger was born October 3, 1933 in Davie County, North Carolina. He graduated from Davie County High School. He was a graduate of David Lipscomb University.

He was married to Clara Sue Forrest Powell for 63 years. He was a gospel preacher for 50 years. Roger was a local preacher in Waynesboro, VA; Statesville, NC; and Wintergreen, VA. He had a passion for mission work and spent time campaigning in Jamaica, Moldova, and Nigeria. He was preceded in death by his wife, Clara Sue Powell; parents, Lawrence and Nina Powell; two brothers, Ben and Bob (Francis) Powell; and Sister, Janie (Wesley) Potts. Roger is survived by his sister, Geraldine Haynes of Wilmington, NC; sister-in-law, Marie Powell; daughter, Elaine Mahler of Afton, Virginia; daughter Janice (Mark) Bales of Afton, Virginia; son David (Rhonda) Powell of Grant, Alabama; grandchildren, Ashley (Jerel) Hunt, Laura (Daniel) Boyd, Nathan (Amy) Powell, and Rachael Mahler (David); great-grandchildren, Annie Ruth, Jon Grayson, Levi, Carolaine, Corlew, and Finn (to be born in May).

In Lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Clara Sue Powell Camp Scholarship Fund, in care of Grant church of Christ (4197 Cathedral Caverns

Highway, Grant, AL 35747).

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAR 6. 6:30 PM (CT)

Grant Church of Christ
4197 Cathedral Caverns Road
Grant, AL 35747

Tribute Wall

LW

“ David and Family, I will always remember how kind Roger and Sue were to me. I came to your home in Waynesboro often. Your Dad Baptised me in 1976. Your mom taught me about sewing. And Roger showed me his Love for cars. And how important it was to treat people like you would want to be treated. David, I remember a trip that we all went on. I think you should still remember. Now your Dad is in his new home in Heaven with your mom together always. David, I am praying for your family and Loved roger and Sue so much. Lisa Williams



Lisa Williams - March 08, 2017 at 01:09 PM

JD

“ While I never met Mr. Powell, I watched the memorial service on line and realized that he was a very special Christian man. Now I know why his son David emanates some of those same qualities and values that his father taught him. May God's love and beautiful memories from the past sustain each one of you "this side of Heaven." I send my condolences to all of Mr. Powell's family and will keep you close in thought and prayer at this sad time.

Judy L. DeCristofaro - March 08, 2017 at 06:54 AM

PS

“ Roger was a beautiful person with a heart of gold
He taught me the scriptures
Baptized me
Married me
Counseled me
I love him dearly
Sue and the Angels are rejoicing
See you again one day
Pat Sioe



Pat Sipe - March 05, 2017 at 01:57 PM

AB

“ Our sincere sympathy to Elaine, Janice, David, and families with the passing of our sweet Roger. He was a fine man always smiling, always friendly. He is singing with the Angels now and walking hand-in-hand with Sue. He will be missed. Wish we could be there with you. God bless you all. Alan and Betty Beaver.



Alan and Betty Beaver - March 04, 2017 at 11:14 AM

LB

“ Lisa Williams Burch lit a candle in memory of Mr. L Roger Powell



Lisa Williams Burch - March 04, 2017 at 06:47 AM

LM

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. I'm sure Roger will be missed by many. Your in our thoughts and prayers. May God comfort you.

Lynn Maupin - March 03, 2017 at 03:02 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. L Roger Powell.



March 02, 2017 at 10:32 AM