



William "Bill" Preston Patterson

January 4, 1940 - December 14, 2015

William "Bill" Preston Patterson passed away Monday, December 14, 2015 at Grandview Medical Center in Birmingham, Alabama.

He will be fondly remembered for his wit, sense of humor and love of people. He was a breath of fresh air with a loving spirit and a bright light with a kind heart.

He is survived by his wife, Linda Patterson, the "Love of His Life"; sons, Keith (Joan) Patterson and Mitchell Kilgore; daughters, Michelle (David) Sendler and Trish Kilgore; mother, Emma Patterson; brothers, David, Ronnie, Calvin, and Jackie Patterson; sisters, Patricia (Larry) Bennett and Betty Fowler; grandchildren, Lindsey (Lorenzo) Rinaldo, Caitlin Sendler, Megan Patterson, Katie Patterson, and Matika (Trae) Thomas.

He was preceded in death by his father, Preston Patterson; son, Steven Patterson; and brother, Mark Patterson.

Graveside services will be 1 p.m. Saturday at Glenwood Cemetery with Rev. Jeff Davis and Rev. Burt Carson officiating. Music will be provided by Tina Cryer, Jim Hechler, and Sara Lynn Thompson.

The family will receive friends Friday evening from 4 until 8 p.m. at the funeral

home. In lieu of flowers, the family respectfully requests donations be made to New Oregon United Methodist Church Life Center, 1204 New Oregon Drive NE, Fort Payne, AL 35967.

The family wishes to extend a special “thanks” to Amy Justice and Ronnie Highfield at Wilson Funeral Home.

Wilson Funeral Home and Crematory is in charge of arrangements

Cemetery Details

Glenwood Cemetery

1002 Grand Avenue SW
Fort Payne, AL 35967

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 18. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Wilson Funeral Home
3801 Gault Ave. N
Fort Payne, AL 35967

Graveside Service

DEC 19. 1:00 PM (CT)

Glenwood Cemetery
1002 Grand Avenue SW
Fort Payne, AL 35967

Tribute Wall



“ *William "Bill" Preston Patterson*

January 12, 2023 at 10:45 AM



“ *Linda, I am sending my sincere condolences and sympathy. You and Bill always made me feel like family, I'm so glad I got to speak to him last time he was at Karen and Calvin's, he had me laughing like always. Michelle Patterson Grabill, Jacksonville, Fl.*

Michelle - December 18, 2015 at 05:21 PM



“ *Many of our favorite memories from our childhood include Papa. From picking blackberries and apples with him and Linda to going on walks through the woods with his homemade walking sticks he always made for us. We are so lucky and proud to have a fun, loving, kind, and generous grandfather that never failed to make us laugh. He will always be with us in our hearts...thank you for being the best Papa we could have asked for! With love, Lindsey and Caitlin*



Caitlin and Lindsey - December 18, 2015 at 02:30 PM