



William Lynn Stricklin

April 18, 1950 - December 2, 2017

Lynn Stricklin went to be with the Lord on Saturday, December 2, 2017 at age 67. He is survived by his loving wife of 47 years, Betty Jo McPhate Stricklin; three sons, Clete (wife Keri), Randy (wife Ashley) and BJ (wife Jenny); seven grandchildren, Carson, Connor, Kendall, Ty, Hudson, Greyson, and Sawyer; five brothers and sisters, Carolyn, Randall, Roselyn, twin brother Lane, and Jim; and a host of nieces and nephews who loved "Uncle Lynn" very much. He is preceded by his father, Verbon Stricklin, stepfather James Case, and mother, Hazel Case.

Lynn's strong faith in God, his long, faithful marriage and his undivided family loyalty is an invaluable legacy for those he leaves behind. He was his happiest when surrounded by all his kids and grandkids or when getting to "coach" from the stands at their ballgames. He was a hard working, well respected member of the coal mining industry in Alabama for over 40 years and a beloved friend, coach and coworker to many. He will be greatly missed by so many, but his family rejoices in the hope and confidence that he is with Jesus now.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Gardendale First Baptist Church Missions Program. Visitation will be Tuesday, Dec. 5, 2017, between 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. at Gardendale First Baptist Church South Campus. The funeral service will be Wednesday, Dec. 6, 2017, at 1:00 p.m. at the South Campus.

Burial will be in Oakwood Memorial Gardens.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 5. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Gardendale First Baptist Church South Campus
940 Main Street
Gardendale, AL 35071

Funeral Service

DEC 6. 1:00 PM (CT)

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940 Main Street
Gardendale, AL 35071

Tribute Wall



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of William Lynn Stricklin.* ”



December 05, 2017 at 10:47 AM



“ *We love you guys. When I think of you and Lynn I always think of how you both opened your home to our college career group and we're always with us on our 'canoe' trips. You both were such a blessing to so many lives. Love you Betty Jo and praying for you.* ”

Denice - December 05, 2017 at 10:29 AM



“ *So sorry to hear about Mr. Stricklin. He was a great friend and neighbor to our family for so many years.* ”



John Willis - December 05, 2017 at 09:44 AM



“ *Randy And Jerri Lynn Morrow lit a candle in memory of William Lynn Stricklin* ”



Randy and Jerri Lynn Morrow - December 05, 2017 at 08:40 AM

KG

“ Our loving friendship with the Stricklin family goes back many years! Ron and Lynn played softball together, we went to Westwood Baptist together, and have remained friends these many years! Watching all of our children grow and mature into such incredible people has been our joy! Lynn leaves his family with a legacy of unconditional love that knew no bounds! It is because of his love for his heavenly Father that his family knew the real meaning of our Father's love! A loving smile and a heart full of love will be our fondest memories of Lynn! Bless all of you as you turn to our Lord for strength and comfort knowing we will all be together again!

Kathy and Ron Gilliland

Kathy Gilliland - December 04, 2017 at 10:17 PM

LW

Please know that our prayers are with you and many memories from Westwood and Smith Lake. Love , Bunk and Lavonne Wilson, Chad Wilson and Lori Unitt.

Lavonne Wilson - December 05, 2017 at 12:35 PM

BC

“ *Billy & Valinda Collins lit a candle in memory of William Lynn Stricklin*



Billy & Valinda Collins - December 04, 2017 at 10:29 AM

TL

Betty Jo hoping Lynn peace now I know how hard it is but be joyous he is with the Lord

Teresa Lee - December 05, 2017 at 10:38 AM