

## *When I'm Gone*

When I come to the end of my journey  
and I travel my last weary mile.  
Just forget if you can that I ever frowned  
and remember only the smile.  
Forget unkind words I have spoken;  
remember some good I have done.  
Forget that I ever had heartache  
and remember I've had loads of fun.  
Forget that I've stumbled and blundered  
and sometimes fell by the way.  
Remember that I have fought some hard battles,  
and won, ere the close of the day.  
Then forget the grief for my going  
I would not have you sad for a day.  
But in summer just gather some flowers  
and remember the place where I lay,  
And come in the shade of the evening  
when the sun paints the sky in the west.  
Stand for a few moments beside me  
and remember only my best.



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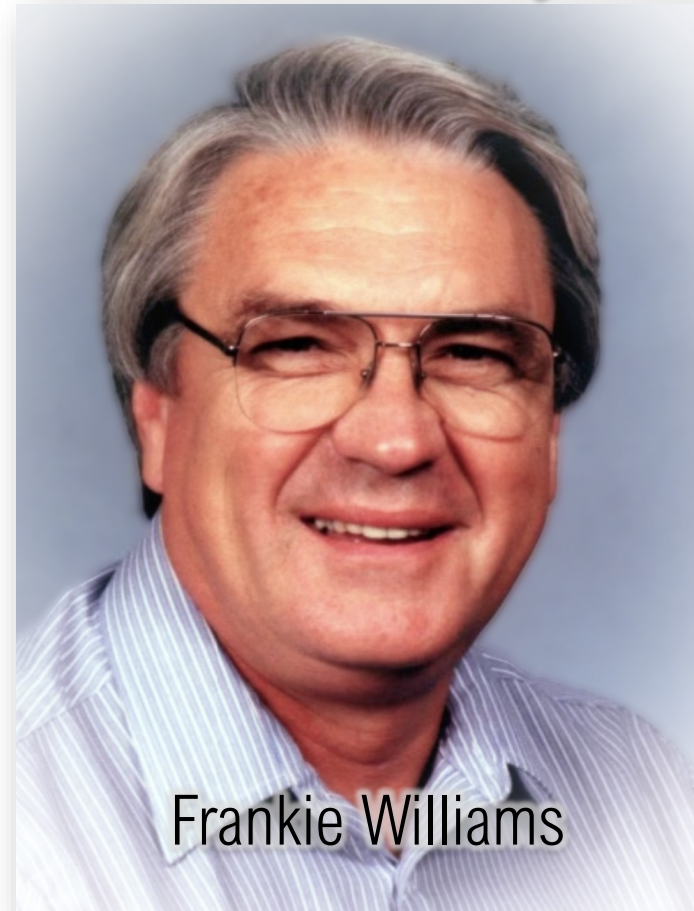
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## *Celebrating* THE LIFE OF



**Frankie Williams**

November 3, 1941 ~ December 24, 2022

Service:  
2:00 p.m., Thursday, December 29, 2022  
South Main Baptist Church  
2801 Main St.,  
Crossett, Arkansas 71635  
Bro. Roy Grantham and Pastor Brad Savage, officiating

## Obituary

Frankie Williams, 81, of Crossett, passed away on Saturday, December 24, 2022. He was born November 3, 1941, to his parents, Leanzie and Ardis Ashley Williams, and was a member of South Main Baptist Church. Frankie grew up in Beekman, Louisiana logging with his dad. He later acquired his CDL license and drove trucks for many years for the Alton Box Plant in Crossett. At their closure, he began driving for the Georgia Pacific Chemical Plant where he eventually retired closing out a forty-three-year career.

Frankie was an avid outdoorsman. If he wasn't working, he was tending to his vegetable garden, camping, or sitting in his fishing boat awaiting the next bite. Fishing was his passion and just as enjoyable as the catch, was frying them up afterwards, all while smiling and telling jokes.

Frankie was an easy-going God loving man who loved his church family and especially adored his grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Along with his parents, he is preceded in death by his wife of fifty-four years, Pat Williams; one brother, R.D. Williams; and one sister, Peggy Guin.

He leaves behind two daughters, Amy Brantley (Darren) of Crossett, and Carla Ferrell (Lance) of Johnsville, AR; one son, Todd Williams (Gayla) also of Crossett; and one sister, Charlotte Jones (Jimmy) of Monroe, LA; along with seven grandchildren, Ryan Brantley, Lauren Cunningham, Chase Ferrell, Logan Ferrell, Colby Williams, Todd Williams, Jr., and Carly Carter; and twelve great-grandchildren, Blakely, Kylie, and Conner Cunningham, Carson and Alan Brantley, Dawson, River, and Kinsley Ferrell; Ava and Sky Williams, and Ayden and Gracelyn Carter.

In My Father's house are many mansions; if it were not so,  
I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you.

And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again  
and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also.

And where I go you know, and the way you know."

Thomas said to Him, "Lord, we do not know where You are going,  
and how can we know the way?" Jesus said to him,

"I am the way, the truth, and the life.

No one comes to the Father except through Me."

John 14:2-6

## Order of Service

**Opening Prayer and Obituary Reading**  
by Bro. Brad Savage

**Memorial Tribute Slideshow**  
presented by Medders Funeral Home

**Message**  
by Bro. Roy Grantham

**Closing Prayer**

**Recessional**

Interment:  
Crossroads Cemetery

Pallbearers:  
Darren Brantley, Ryan Brantley, Lance Ferrell, Chase Ferrell,  
Logan Ferrell, and Todd Williams, Jr.

Honorary Pallbearers:  
Royce Swaim and Phillip Clark

*Thank You*

Frankie's family would like  
To thank each of you for your prayers,  
and compassion during this difficult time.  
May God bless each of you.