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*New Hope Baptist Church
Greshamville, Georgia*

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Rev. Mike Pritchett Officiating

The Lord's Prayer

*Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.*

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| Prelude | Pat Stinchcomb |
| Processional | Pat Stinchcomb |
| <i>“Beulah Land”</i> | Harriet Welch and Marianne Slaughter |
| Prayer and Scripture | Rev. Mike Pritchett |
| <i>“How Great Thou Art”</i> | Harriet Welch and Marianne Slaughter |
| Words of Comfort & Message | Rev. Mike Pritchett |
| The Lord’s Prayer | Congregation |
| Recessional | Pat Stinchcomb |

Graveside Service
Monday, September 12, 2022 – 2:00 p.m.
Lower Hightower Baptist Church Cemetery
3528 Swallows Creek Rd.
Hiawassee, GA 30546



The family thanks the many friends and relatives who have offered their love and support.

Twenty-Third Psalm

The Lord is my Shepherd: I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:

He leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the

paths of righteousness for His name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the

shadow of death, I will fear no evil:

for thou art with me: thy rod and

thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the

presence of mine enemies:

thou anointest my head with oil:

my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow

me all the days of my life: and I will

dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

William F. "Bill" Nelson

William F. "Bill" Nelson age 76 passed away Thursday, September 8, 2022 at Piedmont Athens Regional. Bill was born March 4, 1946 to the late James and Lorene (Stells) Nelson. He was one of six children. In 1975 Bill met the love of his life, Deborah Crowe. They spent the next forty-seven years building a life together. Bill always dreamed of owning a farm. In 1980 the Nelsons moved to Greene County. Some of Bill's best memories involved riding a tractor and dealing with the livestock.

When Bill was four years old, his mother found him with her disassembled pedal sewing machine. This event foreshadowed his future as a gifted mechanic. He worked for John Deere in Madison, GA and Southeastern Uni-Loader in Greensboro, GA. He also enjoyed working on his own cars.

Bill will be remembered as a loving husband, devoted brother and uncle. He was a believer in Jesus Christ's grace and salvation and was a member of New Hope Baptist Church in Greshamville, GA.

He is survived by his wife, Deborah Crowe Nelson; sister, Doris Hickman; brother, James Douglas (Norma) Nelson; brother-in-law, John Davis; and a host of nieces and nephews. Bill was preceded in death by his parents, James Benson and Bessie Lorene (Stells) Nelson; a brother, John Nelson; and sisters, Betty Cochran and Wanda Davis.

Funeral Services will be Sunday, September 11, 2022 at 3:00 p.m. at New Hope Baptist Church 1400 Farmington Road, Madison, GA 30650 with Rev. Mike Pritchett officiating. Visitation will be held at the church from 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Serving as pallbearers will be Mike Smith, Tim Hunter, Doug Nelson, Jr., Bobby Crowe, Jr. Dusty Chictwood and Devin Sadler. Graveside services will be Monday, September 12, 2022 at 2:00 p.m. at Lower Hightower Baptist Church Cemetery, 3528 Swallows Creek Rd., Hiawasse, GA 30546 with Rev. Danny Burch officiating. Pallbearers will be Craig Harrell Glen Hicks, Chris Phillips, Coot Owens, Pat Kimsey and Bobby Crowe, Jr. McCommons Funeral Home, 109 W. Broad St., Greensboro, GA, (706) 453-2626, is in charge of arrangements. Visit us at www.mccommonsfuneralhome.com to sign the online guest register.



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