



William J. (Bill) Whitson

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Obituary

Community leader, William (Bill) J. Whitson went home to be with the Lord, Thursday, February 18, 2016 at 10:45 a.m. Bill and Betty are Charter members of Memorial Baptist Church. Bill is the son of the late James Garland and Bessie Mae Denton Whitson. He was also preceded in death by brothers-in-law, Charles Baxter and Eugene Hall. He is the devoted husband of Betty, father to Russell Whitson, grandfather to Candra Raneau and April Richelle Whitson. He is also survived by sisters, Ms. Edith Baxter, Ms. Barbara June Hall, Mr and Mrs. John (Judith) Wade, Linda Whitson, brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel (Mary) Whitson, several loving nieces and nephews, special friends, Fred Allen and Charles Allen, Jr., and loving friends of the Hard Times Street Rod Car Club in which he was a charter member and Smoky Mountain Home Health. Friends may call after 11 a.m. Saturday, February 20, 2016 at the Memorial Baptist Church. Funeral service will be held at 3 p.m. with Chaplain Glen Bradley, Rev. Alvin Watts, and Rev. Harold Ball officiating. Entombment will follow at Union Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family request that donations be made to Memorial Baptist Church Choir Fund. Brown Funeral Home is honored to serve the Whitson family.

To send flowers to the family or plant a tree in memory of William J. (Bill) Whitson, please visit our floral store.



Tribute Wall

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JC

Jan Carpenter posted:

With deepest sympathy

February 22 at 7:00 PM

LC

Lloyd Cureton posted:

So sorry to hear about Bills' passing. Bill and his family were neighbors and family friends for several years when they lived on Jones Cove Road in Cosby. Sending prayers and condolences to family.
Lloyd Cureton

February 22 at 7:00 PM

LM

Liz McNabb posted:

Betty sorry for your loss

February 22 at 7:00 PM

MR

Mark Robinson posted:

Thoughts and Prayers for Betty and the Bill Whitson Family.

February 22 at 7:00 PM

SS

Sandra Hoilman And Renee Strange posted:

We are so sorry for your loss. We will keep you and your family in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

February 21 at 7:00 PM

CB

Connie & Marsha Ball posted:

Betty, we are so sorry for your loss. Our prayers and thoughts are with you.

February 20 at 7:00 PM



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DF

David Fox posted:

We loved Bill, and we will miss him. Our deepest sympathy goes out to Betty, Rusty, and the Family. We are praying for all of you. We look forward to the day we all will be reunited.

February 20 at 7:00 PM

EC

Earl & Ila Ruth Edmonds & Mildred Carrell posted:

We are sorry for your loss.

February 19 at 7:00 PM

KH

Kathy Ramsey Huff posted:

WE ARE THINKING AND PRAYING FOR ALL OF YOU DURING THE LOSS OF BILL THAT GOD WILL BLESS AND COMFORT YOU AT THIS MOST DIFFICULT TIME MARY HELEN ALLEN & KATHY RAMSEY HUFF

February 19 at 7:00 PM

KH

Kathy Ramsey Huff posted:

We are thinking and praying for all of you during the loss of your loved one And in the days to come MAY GOD BLESS and COMFORT ALL OF YOU

February 19 at 7:00 PM

DC

Donald And Carolyne Fox posted:

Betty, we are so sorry to read of Bill's passing. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

February 19 at 7:00 PM

DS

Doug And Joyce Shoemaker posted:

Our Deepest Sympathy Doug and Joyce Shoemaker

February 19 at 7:00 PM



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TO

Terry & Sherry Ottinger posted:

Betty so sorry for your loss , you are in our prayers.

February 19 at 7:00 PM

GT

George & Charlotte Tweed posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

February 19 at 7:00 PM

SH

Sue Hall posted:

Sorry for your lose. In our hearts and prayers. Conley,Sue and Heath Hall

February 19 at 7:00 PM

JB

Jack & Mary Bryant posted:

Prayers for the family. Our deepest sympathy.

February 19 at 7:00 PM

JV

John & Kimberly Vick posted:

Our prayers are with you during this time.

February 19 at 7:00 PM

DJ

Diane Justus posted:

I am so sorry to hear about Bill Bill and Betty has always been a dear friend to my family Bill and Ruth Justus. Daughters Diane,Norma Jean. Family will be in my prayers.

February 19 at 7:00 PM

CA

Carla posted:

Betty, I am deeply sorry to hear of the passing of Bill. He was a kind man and will be dearly missed. My thoughts and continued prayers are with you and your family. Much love Carla

February 19 at 7:00 PM



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WS

Willis & Louise Suggs posted:

We are so sorry to hear that Bill has passed. He was such a sweet person. We missed you both at the Christmas Party. Prayers for the family.

February 19 at 7:00 PM

GF

Ginni Walker Foust posted:

I have very fond memories of Bill & he was one of my Dad's favorite people. My thoughts & prayers are with you. Ginni Walker Foust

February 19 at 7:00 PM

PT

Pat & Patricia Mathis Taylor posted:

Betty our prayers are with you and Russell during this sad time. Love you.

February 19 at 7:00 PM

CF

Connie Frisbee posted:

My sincere condolences on your loss of Bill.

February 18 at 7:00 PM

AB

Abby Balch posted:

Love you dearest Betty, so very sorry to hear of Bill's passing. He and my dad shared the love of cars/conversation and politics. Special thoughts for Rusty and family....

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MB

Melissia R. Ball posted:

With heartfelt sympathy.

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RH

Randall & Anna Jane Holt posted:

We are so sorry for your loss may god bless all of the family

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TC

Tom & Robin Conway posted:

Dearest Betty, Our prayers are with you at this difficult time. With Love, Tom & Robin Conway

February 18 at 7:00 PM

SF

Sherry & Len Frisbee posted:

Betty We are so sorry for your loss. I will always have fond memories of Bill from his days working at Newport Utilities or riding around in his old Studebaker. Our prayers are with you and your family.
Sherry & Len Frisbee

February 18 at 7:00 PM

TR

Tom And Linda Rosberg posted:

Linda and I share the sadness of Bill's death, a friend of so many years, and realize the loss the family and the community will also feel. Bill was a respected voice and a man one could trust. He will be surely missed.

February 18 at 7:00 PM

DS

Debbie Solomon posted:

So sorry for your loss

February 18 at 7:00 PM

PL

Peggy W. Lane posted:

Sorry for your loss.

February 18 at 7:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring William by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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