



## Ernest Adkins

May 1, 1942 - February 15, 2022

Mr. Ernest Osborne Adkins, went to be with the lord, while surrounded by his family, on Tuesday, February 15, 2022. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, February 19, 2022 at 11 AM at Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church located at 265 Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church Road, Gordon, GA with Rev. Ralph Story officiating.

Ernest was born in Bleckley County. He was preceded in death by a sister, Sherby Adkins; two brothers, CB Adkins, and Massie Jackson Adkins, and his parents, Clinton and Massie Adkins. He was a member of Mt. Pleasant Church. Survivors include his wife, Betty Adkins for 31 years, and 8 children, Alan Scott (Dalonga), Jeff Scott (Cindy) of Ellijay, Laura Layfield (Danny) of Milledgeville, Julie Reyes (Manuel) of Chesterfield, VA, Andy Adkins (Julie) of Winder, Cody Adkins of Hawkinsville, Jarvis Adkins of Milledgeville, and Desiree Adkins of Chesterfield, VA; 9 grandchildren, Kenny, Tionna, David, Kirsten, Nikki, Sarah, Danielle, Kale, and Kileigh; 3 great grandchildren, William, Isaiah, and Kaeden; and a sister, Shirley McCook of Macon.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made to Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

FEB **19**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church  
265 Mt. Pleasant Church Road  
Gordon, GA 31031

# Tribute Wall

DE

“ Papa I remember all the good times we had together ik that I got to be strong but it's hard because I never got a chance to say goodbye but just know u will never be forgotten because u will always have a place in my heart. I remember when u used to hold me in your lap and u tell me that I was your baby girl and that no matter what u will never change that for the world I love u papa so much May God rest your soul



Desiree - February 28, 2022 at 10:29 PM



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Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - February 19, 2022 at 02:04 PM

Jl

*A touching memorial. Rest in peace Mr. Ernest.*

Jill - February 19, 2022 at 04:41 PM

KB

“ Jarvis please know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers during this time  
KimByrd



Kim Byrd - February 17, 2022 at 02:00 PM

JA

*Yes ma'am thank you so much!*

**Jarvis Adkins** - February 17, 2022 at 06:08 PM

KB

“ *Praying for all of you thro this time in your lives- May God be with you and give you a peace that passeth understanding*

**Kim Bedford** - February 17, 2022 at 09:36 AM

VG

“ *My sincere condolences to the family. My prayer is that our Lord comfort and strengthen each one during this time.*

**Vicki Gholson** - February 16, 2022 at 08:09 PM

JB

“ *To Mrs. Betty, Jarvis, and family-- I am very sad about the passing of Mr. Ernest but Heaven welcomed a Godly man today! I will always remember the kindness he showed at church as he was indeed a gentleman. Ernest and Betty were a true example of a couple in love for MANY years! I've never seen two people so content with one another. God bless you Betty, I know your heart is broken. I am praying.*



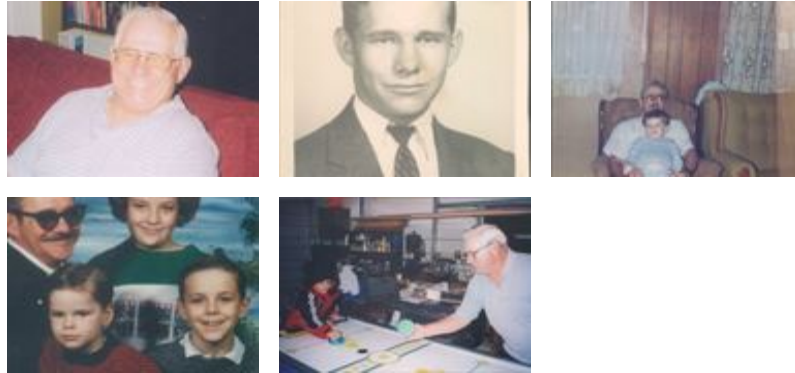
*When I joined Mt. Pleasant church, Ernest and Betty didn't hesitate to visit my home and offer a cordial welcome. I still remember that day although it was 35 years ago. I also had the pleasure of teaching a vacation Bible school class with this awesome couple and that is where the real friendship began.*

*Jarvis, you are blessed for having been raised by them. Ernest was a wonderful Pa to you!*

**Jill Blackwell** - February 16, 2022 at 07:50 PM



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Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - February 16, 2022 at 03:36 PM

JA

“ My pa adopted me when I was about 2-3 months old. He raised me for 22 years, and let me tell you those were the greatest 22 years of my life. He raised me to be a good Christian man, he never met a stranger. He always kept a positive attitude. He will be very missed, and he will always be in my heart. I love you pa! Until we meet again ❤️❤️❤️

Jarvis Adkins - February 16, 2022 at 02:29 PM

DS

Your Pa was a fine man Jarvis.  
He taught you to be a fine Christian man. He is now in the presence of Jesus where all of us who are in Christ look forward to be one day.  
Live your life the your Pa taught you. Invest your life in others the way he showed you.  
God Bless you.

David Smith - February 16, 2022 at 06:30 PM

MS

“ I am so very sorry for your loss.



Michelle Simpson - February 16, 2022 at 12:21 PM

JA

“ My daddy was an awesome man who would give you the shirt off his back. He never met a stranger and he always showed love and compassion to everyone who came in contact with him. Rest easy old man until we meet again



Julie Reyes Aquino - February 16, 2022 at 12:10 PM

AY

“ I am very sorry for your loss.

Angela Yarbrough - February 16, 2022 at 11:13 AM

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“ Angela Yarbrough lit a candle in memory of Ernest Adkins



Angela Yarbrough - February 16, 2022 at 11:12 AM

KS

“ *We are so sorry for the lost of Ernest. I know he will be missed by all of you. We asked God to give the family peace and comfort at this time.*

*Love,  
Kathy and Bill Stephens*



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**Kathy & Bill Stephens** - February 16, 2022 at 10:50 AM