



William "Bud" Turner

September 8, 1941 - August 26, 2018

William "Bud" Turner, 76, husband of Sharon Riley Turner, passed away Sunday, August 26, 2018.

Born in Greer, the son of the late Robert and Vera Forrester Turner, he was a devoted loving husband, father and grandfather.

He dedicated his working life to the Greenville News. At his retirement, he directed the newspaper's home-delivery network and its post press operation.

Bud was an active member of Mount Lebanon Baptist Church.

Surviving in addition to his wife are a daughter, Tammy Cannada (Brent), sons, Derek Turner (Kim) and Tracy Turner (Michele) including eighteen grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Surviving sisters, Ruth Smith, Mildred Stokes, Louise Spearman, Sara Savot, Rita Free, Judy Cannon and Alice Batson.

He was predeceased in death by his sisters, Peggy Jo Turner and Evelyn Stokes Adkins.

Funeral services will be held 3:00 p.m. Thursday, August 30, 2018 at Mount Lebanon Baptist Church, conducted by Rev's. Mark Smith, Nelson Stokes and Tracy Turner. Burial will follow in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Keith Cannada, Andrew Turner, Stephen Turner, Keith Stokes, William Howell and Aaron Stokes.

Honorary escorts will be the Eveready Men's Bible Class and Blue Ridge High School Class of 1959.

Visitation will be held 1:00-3:00 p.m. Thursday at the church.

The family is at the home.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Mount Lebanon Baptist Church,
572 Mount Lebanon Church Road, Greer, SC 29651.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com

Cemetery Details

Mount Lebanon Baptist Church Cemetery

572 Mt. Lebanon Church Road
Greer, SC 29651

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 30. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Mount Lebanon Baptist Church
572 Mount Lebanon Church Road
Greer, SC 29651

Service

AUG 30. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

LC

“ I had the priviledge of meeting and knowing Bud when I worked at the Greenville News in the accounting dept. Such a nice and kind Man always had a sweet smile on his face, He always talked about his Farm and how much He loved His Land, sorry you could not take it with you Bud. I heard from two other people who worked there that He had passed away just this weekend . Sending sympathy to his Family. Linda Cason

Linda Cason - October 27, 2018 at 05:56 PM



“ Jennifer Campbell lit a candle in memory of William "Bud" Turner



Jennifer Campbell - September 12, 2018 at 03:41 PM

BH

“ Betty Humphries lit a candle in memory of William "Bud" Turner



Betty Humphries - September 01, 2018 at 01:04 PM

CC

“ I'm sorry to hear about Mr. Turner; I have much love and respect for him and his family. I know he is with our Lord, but he will be missed.

Carroll Campbell - August 31, 2018 at 05:16 PM

SS

“ Every time Bud and I met over the years its was always a pleasant experience.
Bud was a man of integrity.

Steve Sandlin

steve sandlin - August 30, 2018 at 07:57 AM

LH

“ Bud will be greatly missed. His shoes will be hard to fill as there will only be, one, Bud Turner. Praying for you and your family!

Laura Hicks - August 30, 2018 at 06:34 AM

YF

“ Your Trinity Point Church Family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of William "Bud" Turner.



Your Trinity Point Church Family - August 29, 2018 at 05:44 PM

MC

“ Marlene Dill Cureton lit a candle in memory of William "Bud" Turner



Marlene Dill Cureton - August 29, 2018 at 04:53 PM

GF

“ Gary Underwood and Family purchased the Delightful Dieffenbachia for the family of William "Bud" Turner.



Gary Underwood and Family - August 29, 2018 at 03:34 PM

FN

“ From everyone at The Greenville News purchased the Love's Journey for the family of William "Bud" Turner.



From everyone at The Greenville News - August 29, 2018 at 01:02 PM



“ Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of William "Bud" Turner.



August 29, 2018 at 09:49 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of William "Bud" Turner.



August 29, 2018 at 08:51 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of William "Bud" Turner.*



August 29, 2018 at 08:15 AM



“ *For the family: our hearts go out to you. We pray that God will wrap his arms around you. Just know his comfort and his strength Will get you through this. Our deepest sympathies. Sammy and Leslie Shelton*



Leslie she2 - August 28, 2018 at 11:00 PM



Bud was the best person you could meet. He once told me how we were kin in cousins on my grandpa Forresters side. God has a great person by his side. So sorry for the family & those he was so close to. He'll be dearly missed. Guess God needed his help. Never Be Forgotten. Ann & Randy Sloan.

Ann Sloan - August 29, 2018 at 06:24 PM



“ *Martha Godfrey lit a candle in memory of William "Bud" Turner*



Martha Godfrey - August 28, 2018 at 09:42 PM



“ *Simply Chic Mixed Plant Basket was purchased for the family of William "Bud" Turner.*



August 28, 2018 at 09:36 PM



“ *Bill and I are so sorry for your loss. Prayers for your family.*



Leslie Childers - August 28, 2018 at 07:34 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of William "Bud" Turner.*



August 28, 2018 at 06:33 PM



“ *I worked with Bud at The Greenville News-Piedmont years ago. He was so much fun, all of the time. The endless meetings we had there were enjoyable if Bud was one of the speakers. I admired his devotion to his wife, family, church and friends. Bud will be missed by all who knew and loved him. But, WOW, look at the legacy he left.*

Susan Fair Mullinax - August 28, 2018 at 03:31 PM

BL

“ Betty Chapman Lawrence lit a candle in memory of William "Bud" Turner



Betty Chapman Lawrence - August 28, 2018 at 03:23 PM

LW

“ Les and Jane Wilbrecht purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of William "Bud" Turner.



Les and Jane Wilbrecht - August 28, 2018 at 03:07 PM

CT

“ Our thoughts and prayer are with each family member. May God be with you in this time of sadness. Bud had a special loved for his family and friends. He always had that smile on his face Bud was a very special person and I know he loved his family very much. God bless and give the family peace.



Curtis and Doris Teems - August 28, 2018 at 01:33 PM



“ Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of William "Bud" Turner.



August 28, 2018 at 01:08 PM

TS

“ Terry , Tiffany , Quain , Sharon Sudduth purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of William "Bud" Turner.



Terry , Tiffany , Quain , Sharon Sudduth - August 28, 2018 at 12:20 PM

TU

“ The Family of Brenda and Ronnie Few and Gary Underwood purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of William "Bud" Turner.



The Family of Brenda and Ronnie Few and Gary Underwood
- August 28, 2018 at 11:11 AM

DC

“ I am praying for all of you. I know how much Bud meant to each one of you. Bud was a wonderful man.



Denise Campbell - August 28, 2018 at 10:57 AM

JS

Bud and I grew up together, attend Fews Chappell Methodist Church, Blue Ridge High and on Sunday after church Gary and I would visit Bud and sisters, eat dinner with Vera. Special memories. Bud always had respect for others. A kind loving person
Judy Bishop Starnes

judy Bishop Starnes - August 28, 2018 at 04:43 PM

SF

Sharon, I am so sorry to hear about the death of your husband. We will remember your family in our prayers.

Sharon Furniss - August 29, 2018 at 11:18 AM

HW

Sharon, my prayer is with you as you travel through this transition in your life as well as all family members. In remembering "Bud" when he smiled, he smiled with his whole face - even his eyes twinkled. He was so genuine and both of you made such a "great team" in remembering you two from high school days. My deepest sympathy to you and know that our Lord has you in the palm of his hand.

Helen Wood - Class of 1959

Helen E Wood - August 29, 2018 at 02:04 PM



Bud Turner was a huge influence on my life , meeting him & his lovely family 42 years ago when our family moved to the Blue Ridge Community & joined Mt. Lebanon Baptist Church. As I look back at my childhood & later adult years, it's only now , how much I truly grasp & realize how special of a Man he was & the positive impact he had on my life...He epitomized how to always live one's life with class, dignity, character, integrity, kindness, morals , values, ethics & unwavering faith. I'm sad & feel a huge void with his passing but I know he's in Heaven. Tracy, Michelle , Derek, Kim, Sharon - we love you all & hurt with you. Bud was a wonderful friend to our family. God bless you all as you begin the healing process in the days ahead 🙏

*Travis Campbell on behalf of
(Dr Vic Vampbell, Gail Campbell - deceased, Matt & Sherry)*

Travis Campbell - August 30, 2018 at 11:40 AM

RD

Sympathy to the entire family. His legacy is one that will always be remembered. He was a leader in our BR community and his support to his Alma Mater was appreciated. May God Bless you.

Robin Davis - August 30, 2018 at 01:56 PM