



Mr. Keith Leggett

December 24, 1941 - March 21, 2024

Mr. Keith Leggett, 82, of Sylvester, died on Thursday, March 21, 2024, at his residence.

The funeral service will be held at 2:00 PM on Saturday, March 23, 2024, at the First Baptist Church of Sylvester, interment will follow in the Poulan Cemetery. The Rev. Donnie Duncan will officiate.

Mr. Leggett was born on December 24, 1941 in Lakeland, Florida, to the late Rufus and Joy Bell Sanders Leggett. He had lived in Worth County for the past 56 years, and retired from the Life of Georgia Insurance Company where he worked as an insurance agent. Mr. Leggett enjoyed woodworking, playing cards, watching Nascar and going to Ed's Truck Stop. He loved spending time with his family and friends, especially with his grandchildren and great grandchildren. Mr. Leggett was a member of First Baptist Church of Sylvester. Survivors include his wife, Jennie McStephenson Leggett of Sylvester; daughters, Lisa Baggett (Brian) of Worth County, Rita Leggett of Sylvester; step-sons, Kevin McStephenson of Eastman, Georgia and Randy McStephenson of Tifton; 9 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren; sisters, Barbara Ettingoff, Mary Edith Canupp, Cheryl Meagher and a host of nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Leggett was preceded in death by his first wife, Linda Faye Futrill Leggett on November 1, 2005; siblings, Ernest Leggett, Howard Leggett and Delores Godbold.

The family will receive friends on Saturday from 1:00 PM until the service hour

at First Baptist Church of Sylvester.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the First Baptist Church of Sylvester at 207 North Isabella Street Sylvester, Georgia 31791.

Please sign our online guest registry at www.banksfh.com.

Banks Funeral Home in Sylvester is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Poulan Cemetery

275 East Church Street
Poulan, GA 31781

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 23. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church
207 N. Isabella St.
Sylvester, GA 31791

Funeral Service

MAR 23. 2:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church
207 N. Isabella St.
Sylvester, GA 31791

Burial

MAR 23 (ET)

Poulan Cemetery
275 East Church Street
Poulan, GA 31781

Tribute Wall



“ *Kristi Hartsfield - Whittington lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett*



Kristi Hartsfield - Whittington - March 26, 2024 at 08:07 AM



“ *Carole Burkhart Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett*



Carole Burkhart Jones - March 25, 2024 at 01:51 PM



“ *I was saddened to hear this news. I have been out of town and didn't realize he had been sick. He was just out working in the yards before I went out of town. I'm sure going to miss seeing him across the street. Jeannie if I can do anything, please don't hesitate to ask.*



Kay Ireland - March 24, 2024 at 11:07 PM

AK

“ Jennie, Lisa, and Rita our hearts are broken for you all during this most difficult time. Mr Keith will be missed by so many and the days at the truckstop won't be the same. 25 years we have had the pleasure of his company, oh the memories. It was always a pleasure seeing you all come together for breakfast. Precious times. We love you all. Will never forget his Angie grits



ANGELE L KENNEDY - March 23, 2024 at 09:12 AM

SB

“ Lisa & Rita, I am so sorry to hear of your dad's passing. Both of you and your family will be in our thoughts and prayers.



Sharon Blalock-Canup - March 22, 2024 at 09:56 PM

MP

“ so sorry to hear of Keith`s passing prayers for the family

melvin paulk - March 22, 2024 at 09:30 PM

JC

“ Joe Carter lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett



Joe Carter - March 22, 2024 at 08:20 PM

RH

“ *Ray Humphrey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett*



Ray Humphrey - March 22, 2024 at 06:00 PM

ST

“ *Shirley Conerly Treadway lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett*



Shirley Conerly Treadway - March 22, 2024 at 04:33 PM

JC

“ *Janie Crowe lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett*



Janie Crowe - March 22, 2024 at 03:30 PM

RJ

“ *Ruby Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett*



Ruby Jones - March 22, 2024 at 01:54 PM



“ Praying for peace and comfort for all the family. ❤️🙏❤️

Janice Carter - March 22, 2024 at 01:43 PM



“ Prayers of comfort for family and friends 🙏



Deborah Smith Mainor - March 22, 2024 at 01:21 PM



“ I was Keith's pastor from Dec., 1964 to early 70's in Lakeland, FL. Great man, wonderful Christian fellowship. Keith taught our Teen Class. I challenged him on having the largest attendance on a particular Sunday (his class vs. my adult class). The loser would "eat crow" next Sunday morning worship. Keith won with a little over 100 in his Teen Dept. He killed and cooked a crow and brought it on a silver dome platter and I ate it (part of it) on the platform in front of Sunday morning congregation. Keith worked in our bus ministry and served faithfully in our church along with his wife Faye. On Wed. night he, Faye, and Lisa would come to our house after the service and we would watch Alfred Hitchcock. Mary and I (Pastor King) loved Keith and his family. Our love and prayers to Jeanie and family. "Heaven is getting sweeter all the time"

Pastor Johnny King - March 22, 2024 at 01:06 PM



Thank you Pastor King for sharing this precious memory of our dad.

Lisa Baggett - March 22, 2024 at 09:42 PM

MM

“ *Our thoughts & prayers are with you. We Love you*

mary ann mullis - March 22, 2024 at 12:35 PM

JG

“ *Joy Gaddy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett*



Joy Gaddy - March 22, 2024 at 10:29 AM

Brenda
Hicks

“ *Brenda Hicks lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett*



Brenda Hicks - March 22, 2024 at 08:15 AM

MW

“ *Michael Wilson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett*



Michael Wilson - March 22, 2024 at 06:10 AM

MW

“ Mike Willis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett



Mike Willis - March 22, 2024 at 03:45 AM

KM

“ Keith Leggett will remain in our fondest memories. He married our best friend Jennie and was a wonderful husband and father and grandfather. We were so happy that he and Jennie got to share these years together traveling and enjoying their love. Our condolences to the family and our love.
Karen and Bill Moore

karen and Bill Moore - March 21, 2024 at 10:59 PM

DM

“ Deanns Merritt lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett



Deanns Merritt - March 21, 2024 at 10:36 PM

SW

“ Sandra Watson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett



Sandra Watson - March 21, 2024 at 09:01 PM

JS

“ Lisa, Rita and family, we are sorry for the loss of your Dad. You were so blessed to have a wonderful Mom and Dad and Step Mother. May comfort each one of you! We send our love and prayers.

Judy& Mack Sutton - March 21, 2024 at 08:02 PM

MD

“ Jennie and family, Richard's and my deepest sympathy for your loss! Keith was a long time of ours and we will miss deeply but know some day we will see him again. Sending our love to the Leggett family and may you continue to feel the love and comfort of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ! Martha and Richard Dail

Martha Dail - March 21, 2024 at 07:18 PM

DK

“ Davis and I are so sorry to hear about Keith ! Please know our thoughts and prayers are with you during this sad time !

Donna McCourry King - March 21, 2024 at 07:15 PM

KS

“ Praying for peace and comfort for all of you.
He is at peace with our heavenly Father now.



Kathy Knight Sanders - March 21, 2024 at 06:22 PM

BV

“ *Bonnie Potts & Rodney Varnadoe lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett*



Bonnie Potts & Rodney Varnadoe - March 21, 2024 at 06:13 PM

CG

“ *May the light of God's love be reflected in the memories you shared. Our hearts and prayers are with & for you all. From our family to yours David & Christie Gann*



Christie Gann - March 21, 2024 at 05:56 PM

KG

“ *Kathy Griffin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett*



Kathy Griffin - March 21, 2024 at 05:37 PM

BP

“ *Brenna Barber Patnaude lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett*



Brenna Barber Patnaude - March 21, 2024 at 04:51 PM

SJ

“ *Sandra A Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett*



Sandra A Jones - March 21, 2024 at 03:58 PM

RP

“ *Robert And Penny lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett*



Robert and Penny - March 21, 2024 at 03:18 PM

CH

“ *Charlotte Souter Hall lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett*



Charlotte Souter Hall - March 21, 2024 at 03:00 PM

DB

“ *Prayers for Keith's daughters and extended family... Keith raced go karts with my daddy in Poulan... such good memories...*

Donna Odom Broadway - March 21, 2024 at 02:50 PM

AS

“ Jennie and family, Rick and I send our deepest condolences. We're so very sorry for your loss.

Rick and Arlene Schippang

Arlene Schippang - March 21, 2024 at 01:28 PM

LC

“ Linda Clemens lit a candle in memory of Mr. Keith Leggett



Linda Clemens - March 21, 2024 at 11:54 AM

CY

“ Lisa, Rita and family, I am very sorry to hear of your loss. May God give you strength and peace during the coming days. Much love and prayers for you.



Carol York - March 21, 2024 at 11:37 AM

LM

“ Lisa, Rita, family: I'm so sorry for your loss 💔 continued Prayers 🙏 during this most difficult time. May the the Lord wrap his Loving arms of comfort and grace around you all. Rest In Peace 🙏❤️🙏 Laurie



Laura Marshall - March 21, 2024 at 10:34 AM