



Chester "Cotton" Wiley King

July 15, 1934 - May 10, 2025

Chester "Cotton" Wiley King, 90, passed away on Saturday, May 10, 2025. Cotton was born in Prentiss County, to Benjamin Feb King and Cora Bell Eldridge King, on July 15, 1934. Cotton was a member of Martin Hill Free Will Baptist Church for many years and served as a Sunday School Teacher. He was a long time truck driver that knew every road and route to anywhere in the country.

He is survived by his sons, Don King (Dianne) of Booneville, Bob King of Forrest City, Arkansas, and Jason King (Sandy) of Sevierville, TN; daughters, Cynthia Sparks (Kenny) of New Site, Sharon McCombs (Randy) of New Site, and Rhonda Whitley (Jack) of Cherokee, AL; brother, James "Sonny" King (Mary) of Booneville; sister-in-law, Glenda King; grandchildren, Brad King, Amy Moore, Christy Giles, Brent Thompson, Casey Thompson, Lacey Thompson, Missy Haney, Chris Sparks, Stacy Gann, David Cunningham, Chad McCombs, Justin King, Julian Carpenter, Jay Whitley, Emily Phifer, Whitley King and Weston King; 41 great-grandchildren and 6 great-great-grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by his wife, Genell; his parents; brothers, Carmon King, Jimmie King, Doyle King, Benny King and Cecil Randal King; sisters, Marie Parker, Hester Jones, Margie Chase, Zena Phillips and Dorothy McCoy. Visitation will be held at Martin Hill Free Will Baptist Church from 5:00 PM until 8:00 PM on Sunday, May 11, 2025. Visitation will continue on Monday, May 12, 2025, beginning at 12:00 o'clock noon until service time at 2:00 PM.

Funeral services will follow in the sanctuary of Martin Hill Free Will Baptist Church. Bro. Jack Whitley, Bro. Jamie Nanny and Bro. David Harper will be officiating. Cotton will be laid to rest in the Martin Hill Free Will Baptist Church Cemetery. Booneville Funeral Home will be in charge of all arrangements. Serving as pallbearers will be his grandsons, Brad, Chad, Weston, Chris, Justin, David and Jay.

Condolences may be extended to the family at boonevillefuneralhome.net

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 11. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Martin Hill Free Will Baptist Church
Hwy 30 East
Booneville, MS 38829

Visitation

MAY 12. 12:00 PM (CT)

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