



Alfred Earl Thomas

December 22, 1932 - May 26, 2020

Alfred Earl Thomas, age 87 of Chickamauga, went home to be with the Lord on Tuesday, May 26, 2020. He was born to the late H.F. and Catherine Johnson Thomas in Dayton, TN, moved to the Chickamauga area in 1947 and was a member of LaFayette Church of Christ. He served his country in the U.S. Army and was the owner/operator of Thomas & Son Construction Company for more than 20 yrs. Alfred was also a graduate of Central High School, class of 1948, a previous member of Contractors of Chattanooga and served on the Board of Directors for Boyd Buchanan School. He was a loving and devoted Christian, husband, father, grandfather, brother and friend, who will be greatly missed. Alfred was also preceded in death by his brother, Sam Thomas. He is survived by his loving wife, of 68 yrs., Sue Thomas, children, Danny Thomas and Debbie (Evan) Whittington, sister, Sylvia Edwards, grandchildren, Daniel Whittington, Casie Buffat, Kurt Whittington, Chris Thomas and Ashely Clark, 9 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. The funeral service will be held at 2:00 pm on Sunday, May 31, 2020 at LaFayette Church of Christ, with Min. David Paden officiating. Interment will follow in LaFayette Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends from 3:00 pm to 8:00 pm on Friday, 2:00 pm to 8:00 pm on Saturday and prior to the service on Sunday. Online guestbook at www.wilsonfuneralhome.com. Arrangements by Wilson Funeral Home-J. Avery Bryan, Chickamauga.

Cemetery Details

LaFayette Memory Gardens

N. Hwy 27 @ Wheeler Rd.
LaFayette, GA 30728

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 29. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wilson Funeral Homes - Chickamauga Chapel
215 Lee Ave.
P.O. Box 370
Chickamauga, GA 30707
(706) 375-2161
bo@wilsonfuneralhome.com
<https://www.wilsonfuneralhome.com/>

Visitation

MAY 30. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

MAY 31. 2:00 PM (ET)

LaFayette Church of Christ
104 West Main Street
LaFayette, GA 30728

Tribute Wall

AJ

“ Alfred was a friend and always told it like it was weather you wanted to hear the truth or not. A wonderful singer and tried to teach me to sing but explained it dont matter what it sounds like jesus loves it.



Alfred Jones - June 01, 2020 at 01:59 PM

SC

“ Sheila Crum lit a candle in memory of Alfred Earl Thomas



Sheila Crum - May 31, 2020 at 05:11 PM

BW

“ Benny Ware lit a candle in memory of Alfred Earl Thomas



Benny Ware - May 31, 2020 at 08:28 AM

TW

“ *What a Godly man and bible scholar! Alfred was such a quick wit with a kind heart And with a love of Gods word and also for his fellow man. Our hearts go out to sweet Sue and the rest of the family. It was an honor to call him my friend. May Gods richest blessings and peace fall upon the family.*

Tim, Brenda, Megan, Tori West

Tim West - May 29, 2020 at 10:57 PM

LJ

“ *Our deepest sympathy. Alfred was always kind and cordial to me, as we moved from Oklahoma in 1982 to Chattanooga, where I began teaching and coaching at Boyd Buchanan. Our paths crossed with church events. He will be greatly missed.*

Larry Judd

Larry Judd - May 29, 2020 at 09:54 PM

TC

“ *Tonia From Golden Corral lit a candle in memory of Alfred Earl Thomas*



Tonia from golden Corral - May 29, 2020 at 01:26 PM

HJ

“ *I've known Alfred since I was a very young girl. He was one of my spiritual fathers and though we debated some issues, all in good love, of course, I have always respected his passion and love for Gods word. See you later my friend ❤️*

Holly Compton Keller Jones - May 29, 2020 at 07:49 AM

LE

Holly, we were both influenced by Alfred as teenagers. I credit him for helping ground me in the faith during those very formative years. I can't imagine this earth without him.

Lecia Eubanks - May 29, 2020 at 06:20 PM

TB

“ *Tammy Barnett lit a candle in memory of Alfred Earl Thomas*



Tammy Barnett - May 28, 2020 at 11:09 PM

LB

“ *Lee & Tammie Bowers lit a candle in memory of Alfred Earl Thomas*



Lee & Tammie Bowers - May 28, 2020 at 10:45 PM

JK

“ *I have known Alfred since I was around 5. My heart hurts for all who love him. Loosing Alfred feels the same as a library burning down. He was full of knowledge and good advice. He was a true friend to Allen and me.*

Joy Kellett - May 28, 2020 at 10:44 PM

DH

We have only known Alfred for a few years. He was a good friend and was respected. Will miss him.

Dave and Nancy Hendricks - May 28, 2020 at 11:37 PM

KB

“ *Kathy And Wade Bates lit a candle in memory of Alfred Earl Thomas*



Kathy and Wade Bates - May 28, 2020 at 09:42 PM

KB

He loved the Lord.

Kathy and Wade Bates - May 28, 2020 at 09:45 PM

MS

“ *Michael Sentell lit a candle in memory of Alfred Earl Thomas*



Michael Sentell - May 28, 2020 at 07:47 PM

NH

“ *My heart broke at the news of Alfred's death. He and Sue have been precious friend's, and he will be missed dearly. My love and condolences go to Sue, Danny, Debbie and all of the family. May our God of peace and love, hold you in the palm of His hand* ❤️🙏

Nanette Hawkins - May 28, 2020 at 07:05 PM

BT

“ *Becky Tucker lit a candle in memory of Alfred Earl Thomas*



Becky Tucker - May 28, 2020 at 06:18 PM

DH

“ *Debbie Hobbs lit a candle in memory of Alfred Earl Thomas*



Debbie Hobbs - May 28, 2020 at 05:53 PM

JW

“ *My heart broke last night when I heard the news of his passing. Alfred was a wonderful , Godly man. I hope his dad, Fee, was waiting on him at the gates of Paradise!
“Well done, thou good and faithful servant!”
My love to the family, with prayers for the Holy Spirit’s Comfort and Grace!
Rest In Peace, dear Alfred!*

Jay Westmoreland - May 28, 2020 at 05:33 PM

PB

Found memories of Alfred and Sue when we meet them on Bible land tour. Great Christian people. So sorry Sue and family for your lose💕💕

Phyllis Brasher - May 29, 2020 at 12:35 PM

DD

“ One of my first Church Bible Teachers in the 1950's, and life long friend and brother in Christ. My love and prayers for all of this very special family.

Dr. G. O'Dell Denton - May 28, 2020 at 05:08 PM

CB

“ Charles & Sandra Brock lit a candle in memory of Alfred Earl Thomas



Charles & Sandra Brock - May 28, 2020 at 04:28 PM

SW

“ Steve Wilson lit a candle in memory of Alfred Earl Thomas



Steve Wilson - May 28, 2020 at 04:25 PM

TB

“ Tressa Baggett lit a candle in memory of Alfred Earl Thomas



tressa baggett - May 28, 2020 at 04:20 PM

DD

“ *A wonderful Christian man who be greatly missed . Much love to the family !! You are all in our thoughts and prayers!*
Dan and Lynn



Dan and Lynn Dye - May 28, 2020 at 03:44 PM