

David Vernon Thompson

March 28, 1947 - August 25, 2015

David Vernon Thompson, 68, of Flintstone, Ga., went home to be with the Lord on August 25, 2015. He was a lifelong resident of the North Georgia area, and graduated from the University of Georgia with a bachelor's degree in Forestry before enlisting in the U.S. Navy. He was of the Baptist faith and held position of senior pastor at Gospel Baptist Tabernacle in Rossville, Ga. David will be greatly missed by all who knew him. He is preceded in death by his father, Vernon A. Thompson and son, Eric Thompson.

David is survived by his loving wife Connie (Owen) Thompson, of Flintstone, Ga.; mother, Mary Thompson, of Rossville, Ga.; daughter, Amy Thompson, of Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.; brothers, Ronald Thompson, of Rossville, Ga., Dennis Thompson, of Mauk, Ga., and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral Services will be at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, August 28, 2015 in the funeral home chapel with Jared Thompson, David's Nephew, and Assistant Pastor, Paul Davis officiating. Interment will follow at Chattanooga National Cemetery. Family will receive friends on Thursday from 3-8p.m. and until time of service on Friday at the funeral home. Online guest book at Arrangements by W. L. Wilson & Sons Funeral Homes, Fort Oglethorpe, GA.

Cemetery Details

Chattanooga National Cemetery

Holtzclaw Ave.
Chattanooga, TN

Tribute Wall

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“ I never got the pleasure to meet Brother David but my brother Ronnie Baker loved Brother David as his pastor and would always asked Brother David to pray for me & my family. He will be missed! Prayer's for the Thompson family!



Susie Swartz - September 01, 2015 at 11:51 AM

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“ David, his brothers, and his parents make some of my favorite childhood memories. I always enjoyed the Sundays that they spent with my family. May God bring comfort to his entire family during this difficult time.

Mary Lois Moore - August 27, 2015 at 08:30 PM

AP

“ Mr. Thompson was one of my favorite substitute teachers in Walker County. He always had a smile on his face, and he always kept us motivated, as well as a smile on our faces. God gained another Angel, and it's really a bummer to me to hear of his passing; he's home with the lord now, and may god be with his family and friends. He was truly an outstanding guy all the way around!

Andrew Pence - August 27, 2015 at 04:32 PM

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“ When I learned of David's home-going, I was overwhelmed with so many emotions and memories. When David was a teenager he missed many church services to stay with our son, Jeff. I was the pianist and J.B. was the choir director. Jeff could not be in crowds due to health problems. In order for us to attend church, David and Ronnie babysat. David was a positive, caring and upbeat Christian. My heart aches for Connie, Amy, Polly and all the family. We can be comforted in knowing David is pain free and resting in the presence of our Lord. I pray for peace and comfort for all his family.

Midge Long

Midge Long - August 27, 2015 at 03:53 PM

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“ When we were children, our families attended the same church. There were many Sunday's that our family had lunch at the Thompson's home. We kids had a lot of fun together and the Thompson family was very hospitable. I didn't see David a lot after we were grown, but he and Connie were always there for you if you needed them. I am praying for all of his family. May our Lord wrap His loving arms around you all as you say goodbye to David until we all meet him again in Heaven.

Sonya (Long) Thomas - August 27, 2015 at 03:16 PM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of David Vernon Thompson.*



August 27, 2015 at 02:39 PM



“ *David was one of my sub teachers , he always seemed to keep the room lit up he always kept the conversation going . Its hard to believe hes gone . God bless his family*

Camilla patterson - August 27, 2015 at 02:24 PM



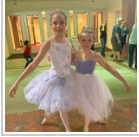
“ *David was my uncle and friend. No matter how bad he felt, I could always call him for prayer. July 24, 2015 my baby girl Arianna had surgery. When she came out of recovery, she was screaming in pain. I asked her what I could do to help. She told me to call her uncle David to pray. David was in a lot of pain himself by this time, and I was hesitant to call. However I called and handed her the phone. He prayed for her and she calmed down and went to sleep. I thank God for the time we had with him and know I'll see him again.*

Mindy Thompson - August 27, 2015 at 12:30 PM



David is my first cousin, he loved my Mother as he loved his own. When he and his wife Connie came to see Mom the room would brighten with the smile on his and her face. I am sure he never knew how much he meant to me, my wife, and Mom. Heaven got another Saint and he will truly be missed by those of us who knew and loved him for the cousin , friend, nephew, brother, son, father, husband and man of God that he was. Rest my friend and we will see each other again. Love you.

Ed Farris - August 27, 2015 at 02:51 PM



“ David was my uncle, pastor, friend, a listening ear when I needed someone to talk to, always ready to pray when I needed prayer. He took me to ball games as a kid, took me camping, taught me to drive, married me and my wife Susan, and was one of the greatest at giving encouragement I have ever known.

Justin Thompson - August 27, 2015 at 08:30 AM



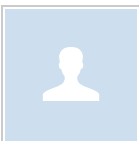
“ Mr. Thompson touched many lives (big and small) in our little town. He will be missed by many at CVMS. Praying for comfort and strength for his family in the days to come.

Kim McGraw - August 27, 2015 at 06:55 AM



“ David was my oldest brother! We didn't get to see each other a lot in later years but we still loved each other! I remember when I was about 16 or 17 I was driving David's car! I don't remember why but a man pulled out in front of me and I crashed his Duster as I recall! I was scared to death! I just knew David would beat me senseless! Well no! He wanted to know if I was okay! Then said don't sweat the car! It's insured! I knew then I had a friend for life as well as him being a great brother!

Dennis Thompson - August 26, 2015 at 10:26 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of David Vernon Thompson.



August 26, 2015 at 05:29 PM

WM

“ Wendy McCrary lit a candle in memory of David Vernon Thompson



wendy McCrary - August 26, 2015 at 03:55 PM

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“ One of the Finest men I have ever known. Out grief is deep but our joy is abundant as David is in Heaven. Our deepest sympathy to all his family especially Miss Polly, Connie and Amy. We love you all.



Denise Motley - August 26, 2015 at 12:46 PM

Kelly White Browning

“ Kelly White Browning lit a candle in memory of David Vernon Thompson



Kelly White Browning - August 26, 2015 at 12:19 PM