



## Mr Frank Grover Burkes

February 5, 1949 - November 7, 2023

Frank Burkes  
Carthage, MS

Frank Grover Burkes was born February 5, 1949 and passed away on Tuesday, November 7, 2023 at the age of 74. Affectionately known as Daddy Frank, Chicken Man, and Santa, Frank Spent much of his time serving others through cooking sausage logs, stews, and grilling chicken at the ECCC BSU. He loved people and he loved to laugh.

Friends and family are invited to come share memories as we celebrate his life. Visitation will be held at Wilcox Funeral Home in Carthage, MS on Friday, November 10, 2023 from 5:00 pm until 8:00 pm. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, November 11, 2023 at 11:00 am at First Baptist Church in Carthage, MS followed by a graveside service at Salem Cemetery.

Frank was preceded in death by his father and mother, William Odell Burkes and, Billie Jean Conn Burkes, as well as his brother, Tom Conn Burkes. He leaves behind, his wife, Frosty; his son, Chris (wife Caryn); his son, Casey (wife Teresa); his daughter, Kelly (husband Brandon Tucker); and nine grandchildren. While he will be greatly missed, Frank placed his faith in Jesus Christ for salvation unto eternal life. We rejoice in the rest and freedom he is celebrating now and look forward to seeing him again.

The family would like to say thank you to the men serving as pallbearers:  
David Barham, Stephen Bell, Casey Burkes, Chris Burkes, Jack Burkes, Reed

Harrington, and Larry Muse.

# Cemetery Details

## Salem Cemetery

Carthage, MS

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **10**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Wilcox Funeral Home  
106 S Jordan Street  
Carthage, MS 39051  
(601) 267-8081  
wilcoxfh@netdoor.com  
<https://www.wilcoxfuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Service

NOV **11**. 11:00 AM.

First Baptist Church of Carthage  
Carthage, MS

# Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr Frank Grover Burkes.*



November 11, 2023 at 09:27 AM



“ *Love, hugs and prayers my friends. The sound of Frank’s voice always brought a smile to my face and joy to my heart. So thankful for great memories going back to Belmont, Nashville and MS. He was a fine, dedicated Christian and servant of God. Peace, Jerry and Jane*

**jane armour** - November 10, 2023 at 03:09 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mr Frank Grover Burkes.*



November 10, 2023 at 11:06 AM



“ *Denny & Cherise Mulgrew planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr Frank Grover Burkes.*

**Denny & Cherise Mulgrew** - November 10, 2023 at 11:06 AM

MS

“ *Condolence to all of his family and loved ones!*



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**Mary Sharp** - November 10, 2023 at 09:59 AM

MW

“ *Mary W. purchased the Rainbow Reflections Basket for the family of Mr Frank Grover Burkes.*



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**Mary W.** - November 10, 2023 at 09:24 AM