



## William Larry Byrd

November 8, 1954 - October 10, 2021

BYRD, William Larry, 66, of Elmore, AL, passed away on Sunday, October 10, 2021. The family will receive friends at Prattville Memorial Chapel on Saturday, October 16, 2021 from 1:00 pm until 4:00 pm. Mr. Byrd was preceded in death by his parents, Leonidas and Sarah Elizabeth Byrd; sister, Gwen English and grandson, Adam Pippin. He is survived by his spouse, Mary Isbell; one daughter, Sarah Laputka (Jacob); one son, William Byrd (Heather); two stepsons, Jason Cahoon (Alison) and Adam Cahoon; seven grandchildren, Abigail Byrd, Elizabeth Byrd, Liam Byrd, Isaac Laputka, Tyler Cahoon, Devin Moore and Nicholas Cahoon; three sisters, DeAnn Medley, Alice Hice and Sue Byrd Ward; one brother, Jimmy Byrd; extended family and friends.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **16**. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Prattville Memorial Chapel  
841 Fairview Avenue  
Prattville, AL 36066  
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# Tribute Wall

SB

“ *Sheila Busby lit a candle in memory of William Larry Byrd*



Sheila Busby - November 08, 2021 at 04:11 PM

SW

“ *Sue Ward lit a candle in memory of William Larry Byrd*



Sue Ward - October 16, 2021 at 03:55 PM

SW

*Little Brother it's hard to believe you are not here any more... I will miss you forever and cry often... but time will heal the pain and all the memories will last forever... I love you to the Heavens...💔💔💔💔*

Sue Ward - October 16, 2021 at 03:58 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of William Larry Byrd.*



October 16, 2021 at 09:22 AM



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October 15, 2021 at 09:52 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of William Larry Byrd.*



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October 15, 2021 at 08:18 AM



“ *Miss you my brother Bill!!! We'll play golf and Christmas carols again one day.*

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**Ted R Mann** - October 14, 2021 at 10:36 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of William Larry Byrd.*



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October 14, 2021 at 11:21 AM

SR

“ So hard to believe. Mr bryd was an inspiration to everyone. I remember that I wanted to play the trumpet because I wanted to be different than my two sisters who played the clarinet. He taught me not only how to play but how to enjoy it. He will truly be missed. Praying for his family in this time of loss.

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**Sonya Ray** - October 12, 2021 at 12:20 PM

CP

“ Connie Plemmons lit a candle in memory of William Larry Byrd



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**Connie Plemmons** - October 12, 2021 at 08:56 AM

MR

“ We extend our deepest condolences to Sue and Family. May you find comfort in loving memories of Bill. -Marie and Dan Rauch Reno, Nevada

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**Marie Rauch** - October 12, 2021 at 08:53 AM

JS

“ Mr. Byrd taught me how to play the French horn (and read music) at Prattville Jr. High in 1990. I wanted to play the flute, but he chose otherwise. I’m glad he did! I stayed in band through my years at Prattville High School (graduating in 1995) and on through college at Auburn. He taught us band kids that “Hard is just a bunch of easy things put together.”

Most of the time, that’s very true. But I believe I can speak for many of his former band kids when I say that saying goodbye to a man who was such a huge part of our lives is not at all easy. He taught us so much more than music. I hope he knew how much of an impact he made on so many of our lives.

Many prayers to his family and friends during this time. I promise you all, he will never be forgotten.

-Jennifer Blevins Scott

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**Jennifer Blevins Scott** - October 11, 2021 at 10:15 PM

GC

“ Prayers of comfort for the family and our deepest sympathy for the loved ones.

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**Gary Cathcart** - October 11, 2021 at 08:51 PM

NL

“ Prayers for the Family of Bill. He was a friend growing up in the same Church in Ozark and WE had Band together. He was a sweet and kind guy with a talent for music and laughter. Rest in peace Bill. Hugs and prayers for the family.

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**Nanci Brown Ludlam** - October 11, 2021 at 08:38 PM

DG

“ Bill was a dear classmate and he was wonderful in our CHS Band. I was a cheerleader and we got to ride with the band to out of town games. We always had fun. Prayers for his family. He will be missed by all that knew him. Debbie Massey Gary

Debbie Massey Gary - October 11, 2021 at 08:29 PM

JO

“ Bill was a great neighbor for many years on Julia Court in Prattville. I fondly remember the many Christmas concerts that he and Ted Mann performed under my carport. Rest in The Lord my friend.

John O'Sullivan - October 11, 2021 at 07:30 PM

MB

“ Greatest memory of Uncle Bill, was him teaching me to pitch the baseball and telling me for every pitch that wasn't a strike he would kick me in my butt. He was more like a brother to us.

Michael Byrd - October 11, 2021 at 06:25 PM

KM

“ I'll always remember Bill as that proud drum major at Carroll High. Music was his life and I'm happy he was able to have it always. Prayers and sympathy to Bill's family.

Kathleen Carleton Maloney - October 11, 2021 at 06:00 PM

MA

“ Mr. Byrd was a teacher, mentor & friend. I had the joy of living next to him for 4 years. He became a great mentor and friend during that time. Bill, your light will be greatly missed!



Mark - October 11, 2021 at 03:44 PM

DS

“ *MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO JILL AND  
THE ENTIRE FAMILY,*

*DEBBIE SIMS SPIVEY AND KAITLIN  
SPIVEY BENEFIELD*



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**DEBBIE SPIVEY** - October 11, 2021 at 03:13 PM