

## Mr. Ken Lucas

October 14, 1938 - November 19, 2022

Ken Lucas, 84, of Plant City, Florida, born in Balm, on October 14, 1938 entered into eternal rest on November 19, 2022. He was a member of Turkey Creek Baptist Church, a retired strawberry farmer, and a former President of the Florida Strawberry Festival. He loved his family dearly, and enjoyed farming, and gardening. He is survived by wife, Betty Jean Lucas; children, Marlene Lucas (Patrick Purdue) of Seminole, and Wade Lucas (Marlene) of Shirley, Arkansas; grandchildren, Wade Lucas, Jr., Luke Lucas, and Mary Turner (Tyler); great-granddaughter, Andalyn Lucas; and sister, Sharon Smith (Mickey). He was preceded in death by wife, Jane Lucas; and granddaughter, Janie Lucas. A funeral service will be held Saturday, November 26th at 3:00 P.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 South County Road 39, Plant City, where the family will receive friends beginning at 2:00 P.M. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Turkey Creek First Baptist Church, 4915 W Trapnell Rd, Plant City, FL 33566 or to a charity of your choice. Expressions of condolence at [www.HopewellFuneral.com](http://www.HopewellFuneral.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **26**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

NOV **26**. 3:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Ken Lucas



Hopewell Funeral Home - November 23, 2022 at 11:16 AM



“ Mr Lucas was a kind hearted, hard working individual. I worked on several projects with him at the Strawberry Festival and always enjoyed spending time with him, he had a way of making everything okay with just a few words. He will truly be missed, and my heart goes out to his family. RIP my friend 👍

Irvin Rupp (Carl) - November 24, 2022 at 06:51 AM



Thank you Carl. He definitely had words of wisdom, with only using just a few. We will miss him immensely.

Marlene Lucas - November 24, 2022 at 02:22 PM



A long time family friend and true southern gentleman. He will be missed.

Jerry and Karen Rodriguez - November 24, 2022 at 07:50 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Ken Lucas.



November 23, 2022 at 03:33 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Life Tributes



Hopewell Funeral Home - November 23, 2022 at 02:49 PM

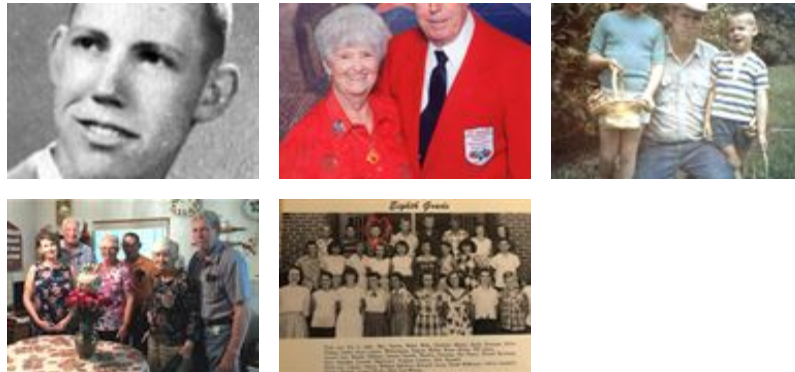


Luke's Graduation in Arkansas. This was the last long trip that Dad and Betty took. Rough trip, but they were thrilled to being there for Luke. xxoo

Marlene Lucas - November 24, 2022 at 02:25 PM



“ 36 files added to the album Life Tributes



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JE

*Sorry for your loss. Miss him dearly.*

**Jackie Everidge** - November 23, 2022 at 12:16 PM

ML

*Thank you Jackie ... The Lucas Family*

**Marlene Lucas** - November 24, 2022 at 02:19 PM

JF

“ *My deepest condolences to the family. Sharon loved her brother so and dutifully looked in on him regularly.*

**Janet Kemp and family** - November 23, 2022 at 10:54 AM

ML

*Thanks you.... Yes, Aunt Sharon was always there night and day, she was very loyal to him.*

**Marlene Lucas** - November 24, 2022 at 10:57 AM

GH

“ *RIP my friend.*



**Gail Sink Higgins** - November 22, 2022 at 09:39 PM

ML

*Thank you Gail, our family is very appreciative. The Lucas Family.*

**Marlene Lucas** - November 24, 2022 at 10:55 AM

JF

“ *So Sorry for your Loss. Choestoe Valley RV Park*

**Janice Floyd** - November 22, 2022 at 02:20 PM

ML

*Thank you Janice and Choestoe Valley RV Park. The community was always warm and friendly when I visited several times with Dad and Betty.*

**Marlene Lucas** - November 24, 2022 at 10:54 AM

HH

“ *Ken was a wonderful friend. Met him at Choestoe RV Park. We all have wonderful memories of mountains. Ken was always first to offer help in any way he could. Praying Gods Blessings on his family.*

**Hugh an Linda Haddock** - November 21, 2022 at 06:10 PM

FO

*Prayers for the family 🙏*

**Franklin O'Neal** - November 22, 2022 at 07:22 PM

MA

*Thank you for your prayers, our family is appreciative...The Lucas Family*

**Marlene** - November 24, 2022 at 10:51 AM

HF

“ *Kenneth was a special friend to everyone  
Have a lot of good memories with him at Turkey Creek High School*

**Harold Fisher** - November 21, 2022 at 04:16 PM

MA

*Thank you Harold for sharing, our family is appreciative...The Lucas Family*

**Marlene** - November 24, 2022 at 10:50 AM