

Mr. Wiley "Gene" Murphy

September 3, 2015

MURPHY, Wiley "Gene", 88, of Plant City, Florida, entered into eternal rest on September 3, 2015. He was a longtime member of Midway Baptist Church, where he served as a deacon, Sunday School superintendent, RA Leader, and training union director. He loved his family and his church, and he enjoyed witnessing for his Lord. He is survived by his loving wife of 70 years, Louise Linton Murphy; daughters, Loretta Norris (Lonnie) of Mulberry, Linda Williams (Clifton) of Lee, and Kathy Carter (Bob) of North Carolina; grandchildren, Don, Dean (Lisa), Shane (Pam), Brent (Michele), Jessica, and Kyle; great-grandchildren, Nathan, Hannah, Cheyenne, Bryce, and Brock; and many other family and friends. A Celebration of Life will be held on Tuesday, September 8 at 11:00 A.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 CR 39 S, Plant City, where the family will receive friends beginning at 10:00 A.M. Committal to follow at Hopewell Memorial Gardens, Plant City. The family extends a special thanks to the loving and dedicated workers at the Health Care Center of Plant City. Expressions of condolence at www.HopewellFuneral.com.

Cemetery Details

Hopewell Memorial Gardens

6005 County Road 39 South
Plant City, FL 33567
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Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 8. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Celebration of Life

SEP 8. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Wiley "Gene" Murphy

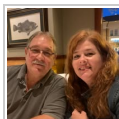


Hopewell Funeral Home - September 06, 2015 at 03:06 PM

PH

What a lovely tribute. I am so glad that I had the opportunity to meet you and experience the loving Man that you were. As much as I know that you will be missed, I know without any doubt that much comfort will remain in your 3 beautiful Daughters knowing that you are resting in our Heavenly Fathers arms. Penny Hyatt

Penny Hyatt - September 07, 2015 at 03:03 PM



What a wonderful tribute. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.
Tina Carter

Tina Carter - September 07, 2015 at 09:29 PM

LC

*Such a beautiful video and a wonderful man! We were so blessed to have known him.
Will always remember him for his strong desire to make a difference in people's lives
and to help them in whatever way he could. Not only did he want to make a difference
in their lives, but he wanted others to share his joy in serving others as well. He has left a profound respect and admiration in the hearts of those who were fortunate to have known him.*

David and Linda Croxton

Linda Croxton - September 16, 2015 at 08:32 AM

SF

“ I have many wonderful childhood memories of Uncle Gene, he was such a kind and gentle man. He raised a fine family. I know he will be missed.

Love to All,
Sherry(Murphy) Fogleman & Family



Sherry Fogleman - September 08, 2015 at 02:22 PM

MI

“ Thank you Mr. Murphy for the wonderful memories you left me. It was a pleasure to be able to take care of you and be there for you. I will always remember your smile and kind words. My mornings will no longer be the same but I'm at ease that you lived life long and full of joy. I will always keep you in my heart!

Love your CNA,
Mireya



Mireya - September 08, 2015 at 10:41 AM



“ Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Wiley "Gene" Murphy.



September 07, 2015 at 03:49 PM

LN

“ 1 file added to the album *Life Tributes*



Lisa Norris - September 07, 2015 at 03:03 PM

AS

“ *April Fleming Sullivent lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wiley "Gene" Murphy*



April Fleming Sullivent - September 07, 2015 at 12:05 PM

BB

“ *Louise, Loretta, Linda and Kathy
I have such wonderful memories of Gene.
What a wonderful example of what Christ would like for us to set.
I know you will miss his sweet and pleasant spirit.
I pray God will give you comfort and peace at this time.
Love Beth Rentz Bailey*

Beth Rentz Bailey - September 07, 2015 at 11:36 AM



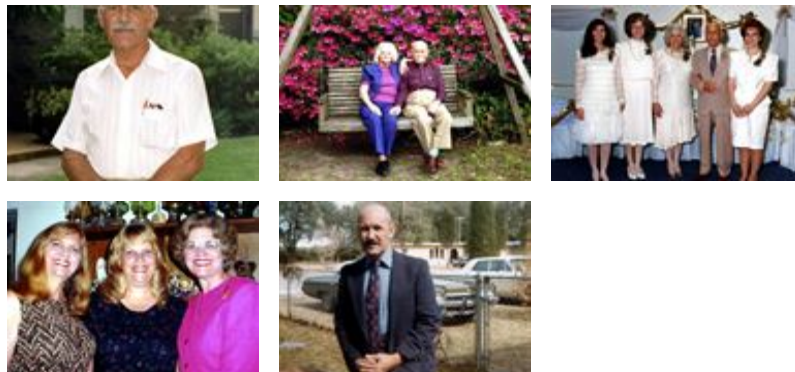
“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Wiley "Gene" Murphy.*



September 06, 2015 at 08:08 PM



“ 29 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Hopewell Funeral Home - September 06, 2015 at 03:04 PM



“ Wayne & Shirley Smith, Bobby Williams purchased the *Vivid Recollections* for the family of Mr. Wiley "Gene" Murphy.



Wayne & Shirley Smith, Bobby Williams - September 05, 2015 at 01:00 PM



“ Lucille Kilgore and girls purchased the *Divine Peace Bouquet* for the family of Mr. Wiley "Gene" Murphy.



Lucille Kilgore and girls - September 05, 2015 at 11:55 AM

LK

“ *I'm sorry I couldn't be there in person but please know I'm there in my heart. I'm so thankful I could visit with him last month and spend time with him. What a wonderful memory May God give each of us peace in knowing we will see him again in heaven. I love you Gene. Love Lucille Kilgore.*

lucille kilgore - September 05, 2015 at 11:05 AM