



Melton Gene Prince

October 27, 1939 - August 15, 2019

Mr. Melton G. Prince, 79, of Russellville, Alabama, passed away Thursday, August 15, 2019, at Helen Keller Hospital. A native of Franklin County, he resided in the area all of his life. He is fondly remembered by many as the produce manager at Big Star in Russellville and was a member of First United Methodist Church, Russellville.

Visitation with family and friends will be Saturday, August 17, 2019, from 5:00 P.M. until 8:00 P.M. at Pinkard Funeral Home, Russellville. Services will be Sunday, August 18, 2019 at 2:00 P.M. at the First United Methodist Church, Russellville. The body will lie in state one hour prior to the service. Officiating will be Bo Lloyd. Burial will be in Franklin Memory Gardens, Russellville.

Survivors include wife of almost 58 years, Camille Prince of Russellville; son, Scotty Prince and wife Melanie of Russellville; siblings, Shelton Prince and wife Dessie, Mary Doris Kimbrough; and Danny Prince and wife Rita; grandchildren, Andy Prince and wife CD and Amy Parker and husband Adam; great grandchildren, Sadie Brooke and Paisley Parker; mother-in-law, Josephine Scott and nieces, nephews, and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Lester and RVerne J. Prince; brother, Billy Joe Prince and sister, Betty Bradford.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to First United Methodist Church, Russellville.

Pinkard Funeral Home, Russellville, is directing.

Cemetery Details

Franklin Memory Mausoleum

2710 Waterloo Road
Russellville, AL 35653

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 17. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Pinkard Funeral Home - Russellville
27305 Hwy 24 East
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Funeral Service

AUG 18. 2:00 PM (CT)

First United Methodist Church-Russellville
311 Jackson Avenue North
Russellville, AL

Tribute Wall



“ *Pinkard Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Melton Gene Prince*

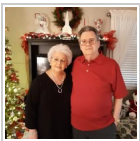


Pinkard Funeral Home - August 16, 2019 at 05:39 PM

KG

“ *Mrs. Camille, Scotty and family:
I will always remember Mr. Gene. He treated me with kindness and always had a smile and good word for me.
He and my dad, Carl Gilbert, were good friends. Dad loved him.
I admired and loved Mr. Gene greatly. As a pillar in the community, he will be greatly missed.
I'm praying for you during this difficult time.
I love you, dearly. Kerry Gilbert*

Kerry Gilbert - August 18, 2019 at 12:33 PM



“ *We always loved seeing your Dad at the Bi g star ,,and sometimed at the daily bread for lunch ,,Melton was a freind to all that he met,,praying for you and your sweet Mom,,due to K.R.'s health we can not come ,but ya'll are in our prayers and thoughts ,,heaven is getting sweeter ...love a d huggs ..*

Barbara Clement - August 17, 2019 at 02:28 PM



“ 27 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Pinkard Funeral Home - August 16, 2019 at 05:13 PM

JP

“ *Camille, you and Melton, along with Scotty are people I learned to really like almost as soon as I married and began to make Russellville my home. You are special people. God bless you at this sad time and in the days ahead. Judy Pounders and family*



Judy Pounders - August 16, 2019 at 10:08 AM

BS

“ *Camille, sorry to hear this. Please know our prayers are with you at his sad time.*
Betty Sparks

Betty Sparks - August 16, 2019 at 08:23 AM

MR

“ *He was a very sweet and kind gentleman. He will be missed seen walking at lunch time in downtown Russellville. Will be thinking about you'll.*



Mary Flippen ,Missy and Ben Richey - August 15, 2019 at 10:25 PM