



Mr. Russ Murfin

January 31, 1954 - January 8, 2021

Mr. Russ Murfin, age 66, a native of Daphne, AL and a resident of Silverhill, AL passed away Friday, January 8, 2021. Russ was a minister of music of several Baptist churches in Baldwin County and currently the Minister of Music for the Fairhope Avenue Baptist Church. A Gospel singer and songwriter, Russ has three albums. He retired from Scott Paper Company after 22 years. He loved working outdoors and had a landscape and irrigation company at one time. Russ also worked as an electrician. Many know him for his generosity and his great sense of humor. He was preceded in death by his parents, William R. Murfin, Sr. and Wanda Madere Murfin and survived by his loving wife and best friend, Susan Vinson Murfin of Silverhill, AL, son, Jason Murfin of Daphne, AL and his fiancée Jessica, granddaughter, Sophie, sister, Brenda Murfin Blair (Terry) of Fairhope, AL, brother, Martin J. Murfin (Twila) of Silverhill, AL, sister, Nancy Murfin Hall (Robert) of Fairhope, AL, sister, Martha Murfin Tauzin (Lennet) of Dallas, TX, sister, Thelma Murfin Pierce (Andy) of Baton Rouge, LA, and many nieces and nephews. A celebration of Life service will be held Saturday, February 13, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. at the Fairhope First Baptist Church, 300 South Section Street, Fairhope, AL. You may watch on Facebook or YouTube. Firstfairhope.org Click WATCH/LISTEN In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Fairhope Avenue Baptist Church, 8717 Fairhope Avenue, Fairhope, AL 36532 - memo line - In Memory of Russ Murfin.

Events

FEB **Celebration of Life** 02:00PM
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Fairhope First Baptist Church
300 South Section Street, Fairhope, AL, US

Comments



“ A wonderful voice which will now only be heard in our hearts, has now been called to sing all the more wonderful in Heaven. Thank You Russ for allowing our family, especially me, to accompany you on some of your special concerts. You not only shared HIS word in song, but, you also took the time to share and present HIS word in sermon and testimony. Our prayers are for Susan and your family at this time. We love you, Brother. Arleen and Ron Moore. (Matt 21:22)

Arleen and Ron Moore - February 13 at 01:43 PM



“ Words seem so insignificant at times like this. We love you Susan and we loved Russ. I have no doubt that he is in the bosom of The Lord. Please know we are here for you.



Wayne and Kathy White - January 31 at 11:09 PM



“ Brenda Murfin Blair lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russ Murfin



Brenda Murfin Blair - January 18 at 09:45 PM



“ Russ was a guest speaker several Sundays at Magnolia Springs Baptist Church during our search for a full-time pastor. Our congregation was inspired by his sermons and deeply moved by his beautiful musical talent. It was a pleasure to have known him and his love of Christ. Our prayers and sympathies go out to his wife and family. Treasure your memories of a life well lived and well loved.

Pat Kenney, Church Secretary

Pat Kenney - January 17 at 06:18 PM



“ Susan. Prayers for you and your family. Keeping you in my prayers
Debbie Augustine

Debbie Augustine - January 12 at 06:01 PM



“ Susan, you and your family are in my prayers. I pray for peace during this time of sorrow, as God holds you in His loving arms.

Paula McKinnell

Paula McKinnell - January 12 at 08:00 AM



“ Thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.



Barbara Gail Strickland - January 11 at 11:39 AM



“ Susan, you & your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Russ was a shining light in a dark world . He will be greatly missed but a wonderful addition to the Heavenly choir. His voice will never be silenced...A precious friend and many sweet memories. May God Bless you with His comfort and peace.

Doug & Diane Reynolds - January 11 at 09:38 AM



“ Doug & Diane Reynolds lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russ Murfin



Doug & Diane Reynolds - January 11 at 09:33 AM



“ Our heart felt prayers for the Murfin family. Loved to hear Russ sing. So sorry for your loss.
Pat & Bill Peevy

Pat Peevy - January 11 at 08:35 AM



“ Dearest Susan & Family,
Our prayers for comfort & strength for you and your family are with you in this time of loss. Rus will definitely be missed by so many. He was a kind hearted man & so loved the Lord & was blessed with such beautiful music talent.
May God wrap His loving arms around you & gently hold you close. God Bless - The Coleman's -Ron & Erida

Erida Coleman - January 11 at 06:36 AM



“ John Griffin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russ Murfin



John Griffin - January 10 at 04:42 PM



“ Janis Cole Walker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russ Murfin



Janis Cole Walker - January 10 at 01:31 PM



“ Deepest sympathy to the family. God bless you.



Donna Ikner - January 10 at 10:22 AM



“ Deepest sympathy and prayer extended to the Murfin family.

Debra Reynolds - January 10 at 09:25 AM



“ Andy Henderson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russ Murfin



Andy Henderson - January 10 at 12:47 AM



“ I have known Russ since his father Bother Murfin became the pastor of Daphne Baptist Church for the first time. Several of my friends and I baby sat for the Murfin children and Russ was full of life. As years passed, I kept up with most of the Murfin children who lived in Baldwin County. Russ was blessed with such a wonderful voice and I tried to make all of the concerts that he did at various churches. One of my favorite songs he almost always sang was "The Midnight Cry". I purchased his CD's so I will still get to hear that beautiful voice. I'm so sorry for the loss of this Godly man. I pray his wife, family and all his friends far and wide, have comfort in know that he is resting in the arms of Jesus. Miss you my friend.

Martha Taylor - January 09 at 11:34 PM



“ Martha Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russ Murfin



Martha Taylor - January 09 at 11:25 PM



“ Cindy & Kenny Leonad lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russ Murfin



Cindy & Kenny Leonad - January 09 at 09:17 PM



“ Steve Strickland lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russ Murfin



steve strickland - January 09 at 09:12 PM



“ Bonnie Broughton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russ Murfin



Bonnie Broughton - January 09 at 09:04 PM



“ Russ Murfin was one of God's brightest lights in this world and he will be greatly missed. His family and friends will miss your beautiful voice.

Brenda Baggett Labram - January 09 at 08:54 PM



“ I was blessed to play the piano for Russ during Revivals and then when he was Minister of Music at Loxley Baptist Church. I'll never forget Russ challenging me to write some music with him. We co-wrote several songs together and while I didn't think I had contributed that much, he made sure my name was included. Russ was a very dear friend and he was truly a man of God. He loved his Savior and I have no doubt he is heaven singing his heart out to the Lord. He will be missed by so many and my heart goes out to Susan and his family. I know how it feels to lose a husband. May God comfort and bless them during this time!

Alice Bishop Hilton - January 09 at 08:19 PM



“ Diane Fountain lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russ Murfin



Diane Fountain - January 09 at 05:41 PM



“ Although I only had a few encounters with this Russ I felt like I knew him so well based on the conversations I had with his loving wife Susan! She spoke of him in such a loving and delightful way! I am thankful for his salvation and the assurance that they will be together again!

Rhonda McDuffie - January 09 at 05:22 PM



“ Charmian Winsett lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russ Murfin



Charmian Winsett - January 09 at 05:07 PM



“ Russ always had words of encouragement and time to listen and talk. He will be greatly missed by all that knew him.

Tony McCluskey - January 09 at 10:15 PM



“ Praying for all who love and will miss Russ. May God comfort each of you during your time of grief.

Linda Blair Davis - January 09 at 04:47 PM



“ Gladys & Walter Nelson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russ Murfin



Gladys & Walter Nelson - January 09 at 04:30 PM



“ Sandy Cook lit a candle in memory of Mr. Russ Murfin



Sandy Cook - January 09 at 04:13 PM



“ Extending deepest sympathy and prayers to the Murfin family.

Debra Reynolds - January 10 at 09:09 AM



“ Russ had a very pretty voice i loved to hear him sing,.So sorry Susan i know you will miss him ,my husband passed away a year and half ago i miss him very much. God loves you.
Mary N.

MARY NICHOLSON - January 10 at 01:02 PM



“ Praying for Russ's family, His wife Susan, His son and His siblings. Russ will be missed by all who knew Him. Dorothy Blair

Dorothy Blair - January 10 at 01:12 PM