



Mr. Wilmar B. Moss Jr.

July 13, 1928 - September 10, 2016

Wilmar B. Moss, Jr. 88 of Magnolia, AR., passed away September 10th. at Magnolia Regional Medical Center. He was born July 13, 1928 in Homer, Louisiana to Burnett Moss, Sr. and Carrie Bell Morgan Moss.

He was preceded in death by his parents, twins, three brothers; Phillip, Alonzo, and Malvin Moss.

He accepted Christ at an early age at the Bethany Baptist Church in McNeil, AR. where he worked faithfully for many years. Served as President of the Trustee Board. He has been a pioneer in several areas not known to many, because of his quiet demeanor, but he has been a tireless advocate and fighter for justice and equality. He served in the United States Army, has a Bachelor Degree from University of Arkansas. Served on Columbia District Trustee Board, Columbia Court House Restoration Committee, Commissioner on Arkansas Fair Housing Board, NAACP, Bail Bondsman in Columbia County, American Legion, Southwest Arkansas Community Development, Principal of Holmon Elementary School in Stuttgart, AR. Superintendent of Walker Schools in Magnolia, AR. member of Arkansas Retired Teachers & Arkansas Education Association, Arkansas Administrator's Association, and Phi Delta Kappa.

Survivors include: his wife; Mrs. Orean Sanders Moss of the home, three sons; Dwight E. Moss & wife BJ, Victor L. Moss, Gary D. Moss & wife Diane of

Phoenix, AZ. One daughter; Mrs. Wilma LaDonna "Skip" Benner & husband Shaun of Lake Forest, CA. His mother-in-law; Mrs. Doris Moss of Magnolia, AR. Three sisters; Mrs. Fannie Tucker of Washington, DC., Mrs. Diane S. Dunn of Magnolia, AR., & Mrs. Teresa Turner of Jacksonville, AR. Two brothers; Bennie Moss of Texarkana, TX. and Robert Moss of Dallas, TX. One aunt; Mrs. Dollie Morgan of Homer, LA. Three sisters-in-law; Mrs. Thelma Cooper of Dayton, OH., Mrs. Raye Moss of Lake Village, AR., Mrs. Shirley Moss of Ft. Worth, TX. Several nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. Two special daughters; Mrs. Tracy Doss and Mrs. Mary Pickings.

Home going celebration will be held Saturday, September 17th, at 11:00 a.m. at the Columbia District Auditorium in Magnolia, AR., with burial to follow with Military Honors in the Old St. Matthews Cemetery in McNeil, AR. Under the direction of R.L. Reed Funeral Home, LLC of Magnolia, AR. Officiating will be Rev. Rickey Joe.

Visitation will be Friday from 11: a.m. till 5: p.m. at the funeral home.

Active Pallbearers: Arthur Critten, Bennie Moss, John Walton, Hertis Hartsfield, Robert Moss, & Isaac Pace.

Honorary Pallbearers: Craig Moss, John Lewis, Wendell Russ, Anderson Dockery, Cleotis Sharp, & Henry weaver,

Cemetery Details

Old St. Matthew Cemetery

McNeil, AR

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Calton Strickland lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wilmar B. Moss Jr.*



Mary Calton Strickland - September 18, 2016 at 10:30 PM

AM

“ *Angela Brown Mullins lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wilmar B. Moss Jr.*



Angela Brown Mullins - September 17, 2016 at 08:46 PM

AM

Mr. Moss was so distinguished! I will always appreciate and respect his work at Walker High School with my mother...RIP

Angela Brown Mullins - September 17, 2016 at 08:49 PM

RH

“ *Praying for the Moss family.*



Rosalind Howell - September 17, 2016 at 10:07 AM

ML

“ Family and friends of Mr. Moss Jr.; Ecclesiastes 3:12 tells us that it is good to rejoice and to do good during one's life: as you celebrate the well lived life of 'one especially strong' (Psalm 90:10); please remember that Almighty God tells us at Isaiah 66:13 that He will keep comforting us as a mother comforts her son. I am sorry for your loss.

M. Louise - September 16, 2016 at 02:57 PM



“ Lisa Bray lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wilmar B. Moss Jr.



Lisa Bray - September 16, 2016 at 11:35 AM



“ Praying for the Moss family during this time of grieving the loss of their husband/father/grandfather. It's thanks to him that I have a life long and wonderful friend...his son Gary. Sending love and prayers to the family. God bless you all!

Lisa Bray

Lisa Bray - September 16, 2016 at 11:34 AM

GT

“ Gracie W. Tucker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wilmar B. Moss Jr.



Gracie W. Tucker - September 15, 2016 at 09:46 PM

TS

“ Teresa Smith lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wilmar B. Moss Jr.



Teresa Smith - September 15, 2016 at 08:18 PM



“ Sherry Marshall lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wilmar B. Moss Jr.



Sherry Marshall - September 14, 2016 at 10:52 PM



“ Sherry Marshall lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wilmar B. Moss Jr.



Sherry Marshall - September 14, 2016 at 10:50 PM

SM

“ Sarah Calton & Helen Murriss lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wilmar B. Moss Jr.



Sarah Calton & Helen Murriss - September 14, 2016 at 10:36 PM

BC

“ *Bobbie Monk Cooper lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wilmar B. Moss Jr.*



Bobbie Monk Cooper - September 14, 2016 at 08:10 PM

RC

“ *Rodney & Barbara Cooper lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wilmar B. Moss Jr.*



Rodney & Barbara Cooper - September 14, 2016 at 08:03 PM

MS

“ *Margie Chappel Standoak lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wilmar B. Moss Jr.*



Margie Chappel Standoak - September 14, 2016 at 02:21 PM

AH

“ *Amanda Henderson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wilmar B. Moss Jr.*



Amanda Henderson - September 14, 2016 at 02:00 PM

HI

“ Mrs. G.T. Henderson and the staff of Henderson's Mortuary would like to express our deepest condolences to the Moss family. We are deeply saddened to hear of the loss of such a pillar of our community. Mr. Moss was a great friend and neighbor, and his presence will be greatly missed. God bless you.

Henderson's Mortuary, Inc. - September 14, 2016 at 11:08 AM

CT

“ Claudia Stephens Tucker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wilmar B. Moss Jr.



Claudia Stephens Tucker - September 14, 2016 at 09:00 AM

SF

“ Mr. Moss was my first superintendent. I sincerely thank him for giving me the opportunity to work in the Walker School District .

sharon Ford - September 13, 2016 at 05:51 PM

VW

“ Virginia Williamson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Wilmar B. Moss Jr.



virginia Williamson - September 13, 2016 at 08:28 AM