



Lewis Earl Bankston

July 23, 1940 - March 11, 2019

Lewis Earl Bankston of Laurel passed away on March 11, 2019 at the age of 78. He was born July 23, 1940.

Lewis was retired from Dairy Fresh where he was operational manager and supervisor. He was previously employed at Bush Dairy as plant manager until it closed.

He is survived by his wife of 59 years Mary Evelyn Bankston; one daughter Connie Landrum (Joey); one granddaughter, Lindsay Johnson (Josh); three great grandsons, Jett, Kannon, and Miles Johnson; and one brother, Archie Bankston of Newberry, Florida.

Services will be held Wednesday, March 13, 2019 at Freedom Baptist Church, Laurel, MS. Visitation will be from 1 until 3 p.m. with services following at 3 p.m. Interment will be at Myrick Cemetery. Rev. Josh Johnson, Rev. Robby Johnson, and Rev. David Fedele will officiate.

Pallbearers will be Charles M. Bankston, Richard O'Neal, Jett Johnson, Alton Smith, Steven O'Neal, and Greg Foster.

To sign the online guest book, visit www.memorychapellaurel.com.

Cemetery Details

Myrick Cemetery

1490 Lower Myrick Road
Laurel, MS 39443

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 13. 1:00 PM (CT)

Freedom Baptist Church
971 Freedom Rd
Laurel, MS 39443

Service

MAR 13. 3:00 PM (CT)

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971 Freedom Rd
Laurel, MS 39443

Tribute Wall

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“ Prayers for all.
Vaugh and Debbie Thomas Fields



Deborah Fields - March 13, 2019 at 12:47 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for
the family of Lewis Earl Bankston.



March 12, 2019 at 03:44 PM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Marilyn Bankston Floyd - March 11, 2019 at 08:15 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for
the family of Lewis Earl Bankston.



March 11, 2019 at 07:55 PM

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“ *The Bankston and Roland Families purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Lewis Earl Bankston.*



The Bankston and Roland Families - March 11, 2019 at 07:20 PM

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“ *Lewis Earl will be greatly missed. Loved him and his family. I always had a great respect for Lewis. Outstanding character and integrity and a gentle man.*

Wanda Morrison - March 11, 2019 at 06:36 PM

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“ *Our prayers are with y'all. God's comfort surround you!
Martin and Linda Smith and family.*



Linda Smith - March 11, 2019 at 06:07 PM