



## William Preston Tucker

January 7, 1949 - February 20, 2026

William Preston Tucker, 77, went to be with his Lord and Savior on February 20, 2026 after a short illness.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 49 years, Deborah Janice Lewis Tucker; brother, Johnny L. Tucker; father, Robert Preston Tucker; mother, Johnnie Nell Tucker.

He is survived by his sons, Jace Tucker, Tennon Tucker, and Frank Gregor (Lisa); brother, Don Tucker; sister in law, Rhonda Tucker and his precious grandchildren; Colt Tucker, Case Tucker, Wyatt Mills, Clayton Chapman, Olivia Tucker and Tenlee Tucker and a host of nieces and nephews. Special friend, Charlotte Pickering; lifelong friend, James Crane; fishing partner, Robert Pope.

Preston had many friends in the hunting and fishing community. Preston dearly loved tournament bass fishing where he and Mr. Pope won many awards, Preston also cherished working in his church.

He will be sorely missed by his friends and family.

Pallbearers are Alex Lindsey, Jeffery Fountain, Shelby Smith, William Walker, Justin Tucker, and Randy Calahan

Visitation will be held at Memory Chapel Funeral Home Wednesday, February 25, 2026 from 5:00 – 8:00 p.m. and Thursday, February 26, 2026 beginning 12:00 p.m. at Antioch Church with funeral service to follow at 2:00 p.m. Burial will be at Antioch Cemetery. Rev. Glenn Freeman will officiate.

To sign the online guest book, visit: [www.memorychapellaurel.com](http://www.memorychapellaurel.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Antioch United Methodist Church Cemetery

845 Lower Myrick Road  
Laurel, MS 39443

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **25**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Memory Chapel Funeral Home  
3100 Audubon Drive  
P. O. Box 674  
Laurel, MS 39440  
(601) 428-5235  
memorychapel@comcast.net  
<https://www.memorychapellaurel.com/>

## Visitation

FEB **26**. 12:00 PM (CT)

Antioch United Methodist Church  
845 Lower Myrick Rd  
Laurel, MS 39443

## Service

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FEB **26**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *David's Grocery with the coffee crew I will miss Mr Preston he always had a kind word and a smile is will miss him 😊 😊 ❤️*

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**Darlene Dean** - February 23 at 05:02 PM

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“ *So sorry to hear of this. He was our neighbor and will miss seeing him pass by. Praying for the family in the days ahead.*

*David & Angela Rudolph*

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**Angela Rudolph** - February 23 at 02:12 PM