



## Lewis Marshall Lankford

May 21, 1942 - May 24, 2023

Lewis Marshall Lankford (Bill) 81 of Gallant, AL. passed away Wednesday, May 24, 2023, after suffering a previous stroke.

Services will be at 3 p.m. Sunday, May 28, 2023 at Etowah Memorial Chapel, Boaz, with Rev. Dennis Hayes and Rev. David Socha officiating. Visitation will be 1 until 3 before the service. A graveside service will follow at Red Hill Cemetery, 1774 Gallant Road, Attalla, AL.

Lewis was born May 21, 1942, in Keener, AL. He was preceded in death by his parents Lewis M., Sr. and Grace Lankford, Kenner, his sister Brenda Gail Conn, Rainbow City, his daughter Penny Charlotte Adams, Trussville, Father and Mother-in-law Tracy and Myrtie Brothers, Ivalee.

Survivors are his wife of 60 years, Judy Brothers Lankford, daughter and son-in-law Kimberly Lankford and Johnny Ford, grandson Trace Marshall Adams, brother Danny (Jerri) Lankford, special cousin Sandy Matthews Brown, and closest friends Edward and Carolyn Lee.

Lewis was a longtime member of Red Hill United Methodist Church. He was currently a member of Attalla First United Methodist Church. He was a 1960 graduate of Etowah High School, and a former plate mill operator at Gulf State Steel with 35 years of service.

Lewis' true passion was cattle farming and growing and harvesting hay. He gained much of his strength from God's natural beauty. He loved sunrises and sunsets, the changing seasons, and communing with nature.

Pallbearers will be Edward Lee, Mike Snead, Cameron Horsley, Larry Nance,

Jeff Waters, and Clay Lee. Honorary pallbearers will be Travis Roberson, David Watkins, and Gary Downey.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations should be made to your favorite charity.

The family wishes to express thanks to friends, family, and neighbors of the Ivalee and Gallant Communities for their prayers, and support during Lewis' illness.

Etowah Memorial Chapel Directing

# Cemetery Details

## Red Hill Cemetery

Ivalee, AL 35954

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 28.** 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Etowah Memorial Chapel  
12600 US Highway 431  
Sardis City, AL 35956  
(256) 593-4994

## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ So sorry to hear this sad news of Lewis Lankford passing away. Sending prayers for Judy and all of his family. May he Rip.



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Virginia Griffin Calhoun - June 03, 2023 at 05:48 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Lewis Marshall Lankford.



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“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Lewis Marshall Lankford.

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