



Broadus "B.L." Farr, Jr.

June 7, 1932 - December 21, 2019

Broadus L. "B.L." Farr, Jr., 87, of Mooresville, passed away on Saturday, December 21, 2019 at Gordon Hospice House in Statesville following a very brief illness.

B.L. was born on June 7, 1932 in Taylors, SC, to the late Broadus and Ruth Bagwell Farr. While at Taylors High School, he was a state stand out in both basketball and baseball. Following his Air Force service, where he was stationed at Whidbey Island, WA and overseas in Austria and Germany. B.L. played semi-pro baseball and participated in the textile basketball league. During his retirement years, he enjoyed delivering flowers for the local florists and being a courier for Health Smart Pharmacy. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Mooresville; where he served as an usher and was a stranger to no one.

He is survived by his wife of 69 years, Janet Turner Farr; his children, Wayne Farr (Diane), Renee Kistler (Patrick); his sisters, Barbara Turner and Mary Burgess; and his grandchildren, Jason Kistler, Ross Kistler (Kara), and Griffin Kistler.

The family will receive friends on Thursday, December 26 from 1:00-2:00 PM with the service to follow at 2:00 PM at Cavin-Cook Funeral Home Chapel, 494 E. Plaza Drive, Mooresville, with Dr. Jerry Cloninger officiating. Burial will

follow the service at Glenwood Memorial Park, 273 Glenwood Drive,
 Mooresville.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church Building
 Fund, 150 South Church Street, Mooresville, NC 28115.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home & Crematory, Mooresville, is serving the Farr
 family. Condolences may be made to the family at www.cavin-cook.com.

Cemetery Details

Glenwood Memorial Park

273 Glenwood Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115

Previous Events

Receiving Friends

DEC 26. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home
494 E. Plaza Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115

Funeral Service

DEC 26. 2:00 PM - 2:45 PM (ET)

Cavin-Cook Chapel
494 E. Plaza Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115

Graveside Service

DEC 26. 3:00 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

Glenwood Memorial Park
Glenwood Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115

Tribute Wall



“ *Broadus "B.L." Farr, Jr.*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ *Broadus "B.L." Farr, Jr.*

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Broadus "B.L." Farr, Jr.*

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM



“ *I'm so sorry for the loss of Mr. Farr. He was always a special man. He and my Daddy Floyd F. Dean we're friends from their years at Superba Print. I will always remember when he came to the hospital to see Daddy before he passed away. Always a smile and a hug from him at church. Janet you will always have a special place in my heart for being so kind. Love you and prayers for your comfort and peace. God Bless Your family. Love Elaine Dean Smith*

Elaine Smith - January 12, 2020 at 01:53 PM



“ *Elaine Smith lit a candle in memory of Broadus "B.L." Farr, Jr.*



Elaine Smith - January 12, 2020 at 01:49 PM

HC

“ Never knew his name was Broadus until I came across Mr. Farr’s obituary. He was always one of my favorite people at First Baptist. He was a kind and gentle soul, always with a smile. One of my favorite memories of him is when he drove Wayne and me on our “date” to a dance in junior high. We sat in the back seat and he chauffeured us. I am sending love and hugs to this dear family. We are all better people having known him.

Harriet Dishman Clark, Myrtle Beach, SC

Harriet Clark - December 29, 2019 at 06:55 PM

JA

“ To Janet and family:
So sorry to hear about the passing of B.L. He was such a great person and will be missed. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Jennifer Eakle Cook and Al

Jennifer Eakle Cook and Al - December 27, 2019 at 08:27 PM

DC

“ very sorry to hear about the passing of bill.i was talking to him at the small walmart back in late oct or early nov. bill was a great friend and ill miss him very much. sorry i cant attend his service as im in bangkok thailand.but his family is in my thoughts and prayers. dave cook

dave cook - December 25, 2019 at 04:05 AM

JA

Janet and family
So sorry to hear of the loss of B.L. He was such a friendly person! I remember seeing him at church, it seems like not too long ago, while I was visiting my Dad! You all are in my thoughts and prayers! God Bless! Jennifer Eakle Cook and Al

Jennifer Eakle Cook and Al - December 27, 2019 at 08:22 PM

JW

“ Janet and the children: So sorry to have read of B.L.'s passing. He was somewhat older than me but I have fond memories of growing up with him, the Farr family and the Turner family as well. May God bless the entire family.

Jim Wilson

Jim Wilson - December 24, 2019 at 04:50 PM

CM

“ Such a sweet and gentle soul. Will miss my Sunday morning hugs. Love to family.

Cynthia McLaurin - December 24, 2019 at 12:53 PM

SM

“ Don and I loved BL and will miss him very much! He was a kind and sweet gentleman! I will miss those hugs each Sunday morning! Prayers are with Janet and family!



Suzanne and Don Markofski - December 23, 2019 at 06:27 PM

Maria Richards

“ Many fond memories at Aunt Ruth's and Uncle Broadus with BL and family. 🙏



Maria Richards - December 23, 2019 at 05:18 PM

KP

“ I am going to miss B.L.'s hugs on Sunday morning! Such a kind, sweet man! Our thoughts and prayers are with the family!

Kathi Pickard - December 23, 2019 at 03:45 PM

DB

“ Dale Bagwell lit a candle in memory of Broadus "B.L." Farr, Jr.



Dale Bagwell - December 23, 2019 at 02:34 PM

GL

“ B.L. was probably one of the nicest men I have ever had the pleasure of knowing and I was proud to call him my friend. He will be missed terribly by his church family and me personally. As I told someone when I heard of his passing--"They don't make them like that anymore!". Prayers for his family. Rest in peace brother!

Greg Lewis - December 23, 2019 at 01:32 PM

AH

“ SO SORRY , B. L. WAS A WONDERFUL PERSON, WHO WAS KIND AND HELPFUL TO ALL
GOD BLESS AND KEEP YOU.

MUCH LOVE AUDRY & ROY HARRIS

AUDRY HARRIS - December 23, 2019 at 12:00 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of BL's passing. I always enjoyed talking to him when he was out getting his neighbor's mail and newspapers. He was such a good man.*

Janice Lowrance - December 23, 2019 at 09:15 AM



“ *Such a sweet man. I will miss my Sunday morning hug & week wishes as I headed into the sanctuary. BL had such a sweet spirit & warm smile. He will truly be missed. Prayers for Janet & the rest of the family.*

Lynette Thompson - December 22, 2019 at 07:01 PM