



## Flake Joel Childers

December 13, 1928 - March 31, 2019

Flake Joel Childers, 90, of Mooresville, passed away on Sunday, March 31, 2019, at his home.

Born December 13, 1928, in Iredell County, NC, he was a son of the late Ira and Minnie Childers. Mr. Childers was a retired truck driver for Johnson Motor Liners having drove one million miles as a truck driver. He was a member of Fieldstone Presbyterian Church, Mooresville. Mr. Childers was a Korean War veteran having served in the US Army with the first Ranger Battalion.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Ruth Lowe Childers; brothers, Donald, Emanuel, Marvin "Toad" and Cecil Childers; sisters, Betty Robinson, Blanch Albright, and Ann Lee; and a grandson, Jason Mills.

Mr. Childers is survived by his children, Karen Mills and her husband, Ed, and Mike Childers and his wife, Ann, all of Mooresville; brother, Jack Childers and his wife, Bea, of Mooresville; grandchildren, Chris Mills, Jennifer Childers, Eric Childers and his wife, Elise, and Amy Childers; great grandchildren, Madelyn and Ada Limon and Rhett Childers and special friend, Mary Shook.

Funeral services will be held at 4PM on Tuesday, April 2, 2019, at Fieldstone Presbyterian Church with Rev. Inger Manchester and Rev. David Childers officiating. Burial will follow in Glenwood Memorial Park, Mooresville, with

military honors. The family will receive friends from 3-4PM prior to the service at the church.

Memorials may be made to Fieldstone Presbyterian Church, 804 Fieldstone Rd., Mooresville, NC 28115.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home, Mooresville, is serving the family of Mr. Childers. Condolences may be made to the family at [www.cavin-cook.com](http://www.cavin-cook.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Glenwood Memorial Park

273 Glenwood Drive  
Mooresville, NC 28115

# Previous Events

## Receiving Friends

APR 1. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Fieldstone Presbyterian  
804 Fieldstone Road  
Mooresville, NC 28115

## Funeral Service

APR 2. 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM (ET)

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804 Fieldstone Road  
Mooresville, NC 28115

## Graveside Service

APR 2. 4:30 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Glenwood Memorial Park  
Glenwood Drive  
Mooresville, NC 28115



# Tribute Wall



“ *Flake Joel Childers*

February 14, 2021 at 11:24 AM



“ *Flake Joel Childers*

February 14, 2021 at 11:04 AM



“ *Flake Joel Childers*

February 14, 2021 at 11:03 AM



“ *To Karen, Mike and all the Childers Family, I send my deepest sympathy on the loss of Flake. I am sure you will miss him very much, but I hope time will ease your grief. His service happened to fall on my birthday.*

*My best wishes to all of you.*

*Willie*

**Willie Beaver** - April 20, 2019 at 07:31 PM



“ *Mike and family....sorry to hear about the loss of your father. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

**Boyce and Laurie Sherrill** - April 02, 2019 at 08:08 PM

DK

“ We were blessed to have Flake as a neighbor several years ago and he was a very nice man who always has us laughing. The day he got a new riding lawn mower he had the biggest smile on his face and I think I'll remember him just like that. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family. Ken & Diane Keller



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**Diane Rose Keller** - April 02, 2019 at 02:41 PM

MR

“ Mike, Karen and family,  
Your Dad was such a special friend to me and so many others.  
Loved having chats with him that was interesting and laced with laughter.  
My love and prayers to each of you,  
Martha Robertson

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**martha robertson** - April 01, 2019 at 09:28 PM

LJ

“ Love Dawn, Steve, Jan, Dan, Will & Jordan purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Flake Joel Childers.



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**Love Dawn, Steve, Jan, Dan, Will & Jordan** - April 01, 2019 at 04:37 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Flake Joel Childers.*



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April 01, 2019 at 02:31 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss praying for yall he will be missed dearly he was like my 2nd grandpa to me. Love Megan and Michael Hardin*



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**Megan Hardin** - March 31, 2019 at 10:08 PM



“ *I'm so sorry. He was so kind to my parents when my dad was seriously ill many years ago. He had the brightest smile, and my little granddaughter loved seeing him at church. He will be missed, and your family will be in my prayers.*

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**Karen Ledbetter** - March 31, 2019 at 09:52 PM



“ *Pamela T Byers lit a candle in memory of Flake Joel Childers*



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**Pamela T Byers** - March 31, 2019 at 07:36 PM

KL

*I'm so sorry. He was so kind to my parents when my dad was sick many years ago, and my little granddaughter loved seeing him at church. He was always smiling. Your family is in my prayers.*

**karen ledbetter** - March 31, 2019 at 07:48 PM

JD

“ *Mike and Karen, So sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers for you and your families.*

*Jan Brown Dean*

**Jan Dean** - March 31, 2019 at 07:26 PM

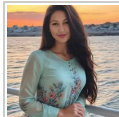
PR

“ *Mike, Karen and families,*

*I was so sorry to hear about your Dad. I remember him well when we lived across the street from your family. He had a great smile, and always took time to speak or wave every time he saw people he knew, especially his neighbors. You are all in my thoughts and prayers during such a difficult time.*

*Pam Neill*

**Pam Rink** - March 31, 2019 at 03:20 PM



*Such a great man and great legacy. Prayers for comfort to his family*

**Debra M. Clampitt Gramling** - March 31, 2019 at 05:57 PM

SR

*Our sincerest prayers for a great life .*

**Steven Rimmer** - April 01, 2019 at 01:10 PM