



Parks Bell Martin

December 14, 1935 - September 17, 2021

God healed Parks Bell Martin of his physical limits on earth on Friday, September 17, 2021. He was promoted to the Heavenly choir with praise and song.

Parks left to love and cherish his life, a family he loved and cared for in the way God taught him. Louise Thompson Martin, his love of 61 years; daughter who will carry him with her forever, Cindy and son-in-law, Randy Wiggins; grandsons he loved, Troy, Cody, and GW Martin; great grandchildren who brightened his smile by entering the room, Brooke, Austin, and Natalee Martin; daughter-in-law whom he appreciated her love and support, Alisha Ahuna. He also leaves to cherish memories of him his sister, Annette Hinson and brother-in-law, Jerry; and many special nieces and nephews. Parks leaves an extended family at Shearer Presbyterian Church, the place he worshipped for most of the 85 years he walked in faith.

Summer golf outings, mowing the grass, and having an occasional milkshake were the things Parks loved along with being a regular at the Waffle House. He never passed by a fried apple pie or funnel cake.

Parks served in the US Army's tank division. Retiring from the US Postal Service, he enjoyed the friendship of co-workers on the golf course. He loved his brother Joe Howard who called often and prayed for him in the final chapter of life.

Welcoming Parks through the gates of Heaven were his son, Timothy William Martin; mother and father, Ruby Nell and George Martin; brother, Abbott

Martin and sister-in-law, Ina Martin; what a joyous reunion.

The family will receive friends on Sunday, September 19 from 5:00-6:00 PM with a service following at 6:00 PM at Shearer Presbyterian Church with Rev. Dr. Stephen Stout officiating. Burial will follow the service in the church cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, please say a prayer for Louise and the boys. Parks was a caregiver for Louise and the rock the boys could always turn to.

Memorials can also be made to the American Heart Association, 401 Hawthorne Lane, Suite 110-287, Charlotte, NC 28204 or www.heart.org or The Michael J. Fox Foundation, Parkinson's Research, P.O. Box 5014, Hagerstown, MD 21741-5014 www.michaeljfox.org.

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

Cemetery Details

Shearer Presbyterian Church Cemetery

684 Shearers Road
Mooresville, NC 28115

Previous Events

Receiving Friends

SEP 19. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Shearer Presbyterian Church
684 Presbyterian Road
Mooresville, NC 28115

Funeral Service

SEP 19. 6:00 PM - 6:45 PM (ET)

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Graveside Service

SEP 19. 6:45 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

PW

“ I just learned of Parks passing.
I don't take the paper & my sister Melody forgot to tell me.
I attended Shearer years ago.
I still have good memories of my time there with my family.
Parks was always there if you needed him.
His love for God was evident in everything he said & did.
He will be greatly missed.
My prayers go out to Louise & family.
My deepest sympathy.
Pat Williams

Pat Williams - October 13, 2021 at 07:56 PM

SD

“ RIP Parks.



Schvonnah Johnson Dugan - September 21, 2021 at 12:40 PM

SD

*What a wonderful man. So sorry for your loss.
Love Schvonnah Johnson Dugan*

Schvonnah Johnson Dugan - September 21, 2021 at 12:41 PM

GS

“ Our love & prayers
May God comfort each one of you in the shelter of his arms
It's comforting to know when you take your last breath on earth you
take your first breath in Heaven RIP Parks

geri & jim Sherrill - September 20, 2021 at 02:00 PM

DC

“ *very sorry to hear about parks passing.i knew him first from the days when he was dateing. on week ends seeing him at the silver dollar grill.him and lots of his friends always came by on sat or sunday evening.great guy.we will all miss him.dave cook*

dave cook - September 19, 2021 at 11:58 PM

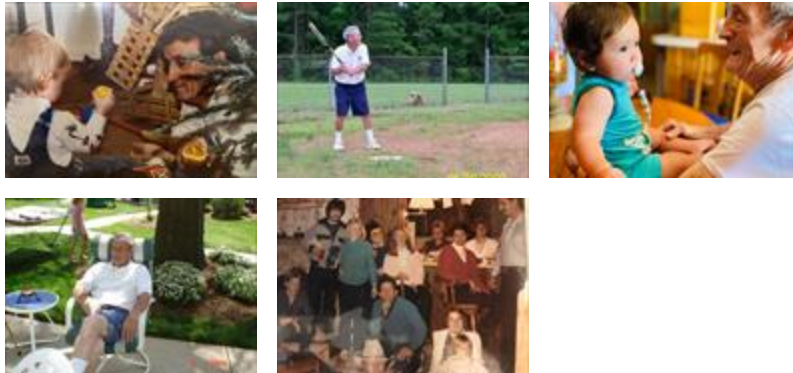
W.

“ *So sorry for your loss! Prayers for all! W.D.Bumgarner and family*

W.D.Bumgarner - September 19, 2021 at 12:13 PM

CW

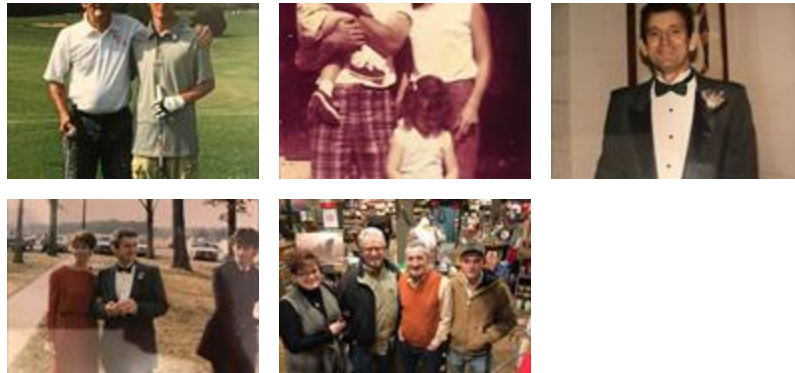
“ *6 files added to the album Memories Album*



Cindy Martin Wiggins - September 19, 2021 at 09:44 AM

CW

“ 18 files added to the tribute wall



Cindy Martin Wiggins - September 19, 2021 at 09:38 AM

CH

“ Parks Martin was a great neighbor while I was growing up on Owens Farm Road. Never forget to see Parks raking leaves and burning the leaves on his property. He would help out my mom by keeping her lawn mowed, thank you for that. Prayers to Louise and Cindy and the rest of the family. May God give you all Peace and Comfort during this time and future. My mom Cora Hughes also gives her condolences.

Chuck Hughes

Chuck Hughes - September 18, 2021 at 10:10 PM

AW

“ Cindy and Family!! Prayers for you all!! Parks was a special Dad!! So many great memories!! We have so many Great Angels watching our backs!! Oh, the stories that are being told!! Love ya!
Angie and Randy Walker

Angie Wingate Walker - September 18, 2021 at 03:13 PM

TF

“ Parks Martin was a man that I respect immensely and was a great role model for the kids that grew up in Shearer Presbyterian Church. He constantly helped folks and my Parents were no exception as did his wife Louise. He will be missed by many. My deepest condolences to the family.

Thomas Fleming - September 18, 2021 at 02:44 PM

LF

“ RIP Parksy & Condolences & God's Blessings to Louise, Cindy , Annette & all the grand children. You will truly be missed! You were such a pillar of the church & community and a Great friend & Wonderful Neighbor to All! It was a blessing growing up next to you & Weezy, Cindy & Tim and I'm sure Frank & Dot will be looking to welcome you home as well!
Much Love & Respect!
Lee & Jennifer Fleming



lee fleming - September 18, 2021 at 01:22 PM

KJ

Growing up Parks Martin was one of the men in my church that you always looked up to . As you watched him live his life there was no doubt that he loved and served the LORD everyday. As I grew into a man myself I watched him age gracefully and continue his witness to GOD. It was an honor and a privilege to have known him for my entire life . Rest now Parks and LET THE CELEBRATION OF A LIFE WELL LIVED CONTINUE HE IS HOME. AMEN!

Kevin Johnson - September 19, 2021 at 08:07 AM