



Hollis Clarence Fraser Jr.

Jan, 17, 1930 – June 23, 2021

Hollis Fraser, 91, died June 23, 2021. A native of Birmingham, he graduated from Woodlawn High School. He served during the Korean Conflict.

Hollis Fraser, went to sleep, joined his family, to be with his heavenly father on June 23, 2021 at the age of 91. A native of Birmingham. He attended Kennedy Elementary and was a graduate of Woodlawn High School where he was a member of the band. He would later excel in softball and other sports.

Entered the military during the Korean Conflict (1951-53) served with the Dixie Division, where he was in the infantry, motor pool, quartermaster, and chaplain assistant.

Hollis, a devout believer, trusted his Lord and Savior and was baptized at the age of 12 at 66th Street Baptist Church, later became its youngest ordained deacon. At 31, he embraced his calling to ministry, sold his home, and with his family, moved to New Orleans to study at the New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, earning a diploma in Religious Education and Sacred Music. For 38 years, he faithfully served as Minister of Music, Minister of Education, and Minister of Youth across churches in Mississippi, Florida, Virginia, and Alabama.

He retired from full-time ministry at Crestway Baptist Church, from Argo Christian Fellowship after 17 years in a part-time role, from Lance Snack Foods after 7 and a half years, and from Brannon Honda after 17 years of service.

As a member of Huffman Baptist Church, he served as a deacon and sang in the Celebration and Happy Hearts choirs for many years.

Hollis and his ministry partner, Carol Ann Campbell, were blessed with two sons, Jeff and Scott, and two daughters, Holly and Melody, in their union.

Predeceased by his wife Ann after 62 years of marriage in 2016, his parents Hollis C. and Annie Laurie Callaway Fraser, his half-siblings Owen Kinchade Williams and Frances Lucelle Williams Storey, and his grandchild Jeffrey Michael Fraser, Hollis is survived by his sons, Jeff

(Theresa) of San Antonio, TX, Scott (Priscilla) of Savannah, GA, daughters Holly Fraser Lowe, and Melody (Pete) of Vestavia, along with nine grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

A celebration of life is scheduled for Sunday, June 27, at Jefferson Memorial Gardens, 1591 Gadsden Highway, Birmingham, Alabama, at 2:00 PM with Wade Rogers and Larry Smith officiating. Friends are welcome to join the family at 1:00 PM in the Chapel.

The burial will take place at Jefferson Memorial Gardens on Monday, June 28.