



Rev. Frank Knight

August 17, 1928 - August 28, 2021

Rev. Clyde Franklin Knight, 93, husband of Nellie Stephens Knight, of 953 Avondale Drive, Seneca, passed away Saturday, August 28, 2021, at Cottingham Hospice House.

A native of Oconee County, SC, Rev. Knight was the son of the late Clyde and Rosalee Rice Knight. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army serving during the Korean War and was a member of Coneross Church of God. Rev. Knight was an ordained Bishop for the Church of God.

In addition to his wife, Rev. Knight is survived by his sons: Danny Knight (Wanda) of West Union, SC, Rev. Steve Knight (Wanda) of Easley, SC, and Gary Knight (Tina) of Toccoa, GA; six grandchildren: Bradley Knight (Holly), Stephanie Knight, Chris Knight (Jennifer), Stacy Black (Kory), Jordan Yearwood (Keaton) and Kaitlan Knight; and eight great-grandchildren: Ava Knight, Greta Knight, Harper Knight, James Knight, Jolie Knight, Emma Knight, Bowman Knight and Brady Black.

In addition to his parents, Rev. Knight was preceded in death by his brothers: Roy, Sam, J.B., Harold and Melvin Knight; and sisters: Ruby Knight, Helen Turner and Lucille Ellenburg.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11:00 AM, Friday, September 3, 2021, at

Gap Hill Church of God with burial to follow at Hillcrest Memorial Park. The family requests that any ministers and their wives in attendance serve as honorary pallbearers.

The family will receive friends from 5:00-8:00 PM, Thursday, September 2, 2021, at Davenport Funeral Home.

Flowers are accepted.

The family is at the home.

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Memorial Park

2410 Gentry Memorial Highway
Pickens, SC 29671

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 2. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Davenport Funeral Home
311 S Highway 11
West Union, SC 29696
(864) 638-3611
davenportfhome@gmail.com
<https://www.davenportfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

SEP 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

Gap Hill Church of God
3540 Walhalla Highway
Six Mile, SC 29682

Tribute Wall



“ *Davenport Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Rev. Frank Knight*



Davenport Funeral Home - September 01, 2021 at 05:06 PM



“ *Rev. Frank Knight*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ *I know it's been awhile but I was thinking about him today. In trying to do what I'm supposed to, playing for the church, sometimes I think back to my childhood. And I can hear in my mind and heart Uncle Frank and Aunt Nell, Danny and Steve playing in church and even now I can feel the joy I felt even as a kid at Coneross. God bless all the Knights. Friends I am still proud of, even today.*

Steve Smith - April 15, 2022 at 04:59 PM



“ *Mrs. Nell and Family
Do not weep for he is not dead but lives forevermore! I can see Bro. Frank rejoicing and dancing on the streets of gold as the choir sings praises the the God he served so diligently and faithfully. Much love hugs and prayers*

lisa finley - September 04, 2021 at 11:57 AM

MS

“ I worked some with Bro. Knight in the Chicopee cotton mill in Walhalla. He could run a set of looms as good as any weaver I saw while working there.

My Father, William "Dude" Stephens was sanctified at the Coneross Church of God.

Bro. and Sis. Knight's example of team work, love and dedication to the pastoral work can not be improved upon. The fact that they did not compromise their convictions is to be highly respected. Amen! I might add the last time I saw Brother and Sister Knight together was in front of the Steak House in Walhalla!

Mitchell Stephens Assist. Pastor Gap Hill Holiness Church, Six Mile, SC

Mitchell Stephens - September 04, 2021 at 01:03 AM

PH

“ I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this sad time.



Patricia Holcombe - September 03, 2021 at 07:44 AM

PD

“ Pam Derrick lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Pam Derrick - September 02, 2021 at 11:02 PM

JC

“ Our most sincere and heartfelt condolences to the family with love to all. Bro. Knight was truly 'a man of good report'. He had a quiet, humble reverence about him but he was also quick witted and never failed to offer a humorous story or anecdote. He touched countless lives during his ministry, including ours. We were blessed to be a part of his congregation and under his spiritual guidance during our younger years. He will always hold a special place in our hearts and in our memories. .

Jimmy and Sandra Cox - September 02, 2021 at 06:15 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Rev. Frank Knight.



September 02, 2021 at 12:06 PM



“ I am soooo sad to hear this. I know heaven is rejoicing that he has made it home. Praying for this wonderful family...



April Barry - September 02, 2021 at 09:55 AM

TO

So sorry to hear of Rev. Knights passing, may God Bless his family.

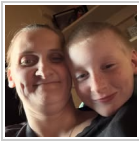
Teena Owens - September 02, 2021 at 07:28 PM

TA

“ *Trenia Alexander sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Frank Knight*



Trenia Alexander - September 02, 2021 at 09:38 AM



“ *When I was growing up I remember going to church my grandparents (Ernest and Dorothy Webb) and I loved going to church with them and I'm going to miss those days with them. I remember walking in the church and the first two people I met was preacher knight and his wife Nellie. Preacher knight was a very kind hearted man and I know that he is with the Lord and my grandparents singing in the angels choir. RIP preacher knight gone so soon but never forgotten until we meet again.*



JoAnna Owens - September 02, 2021 at 03:40 AM

LA

“ *LauraEanes lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight*



LauraEanes - September 01, 2021 at 10:23 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rev. Frank Knight.*



September 01, 2021 at 07:47 PM



“ *Joan And Dwight Fretwell lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight*



Joan and Dwight Fretwell - September 01, 2021 at 03:52 PM



“ *Julie Thompson lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight*



Julie Thompson - September 01, 2021 at 03:09 PM



“ *Prayers from the family of Dorothy and Ray Cantrell.*



Diane Carver - September 01, 2021 at 12:03 PM

DC

“ *Diane Carver lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight*



Diane Carver - September 01, 2021 at 12:02 PM

RP

“ *Roy Tench & Darlene Price purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Rev. Frank Knight.*



Roy Tench & Darlene Price - September 01, 2021 at 11:34 AM

KD

“ *So sorry Brother Knight has passed. We will keep you in our prayers. Keith and Melanie Deaton*



Keith Deaton - September 01, 2021 at 10:36 AM

KA

“ *Kathy Addis lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight*



Kathy Addis - September 01, 2021 at 01:53 AM

GH

“ My deepest prayers to Rev. Knights family. He was an angel that God gave us and to hear him preach, was the ole' time gospel that I will miss. He was a genuine preacher and know that he touched many lives. May God Bless and Keep the Family in Comfort during this difficult time.



Gailyn Housley - September 01, 2021 at 12:16 AM

LF

“ Linda Fuller-Freeman lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Linda Fuller-Freeman - September 01, 2021 at 12:04 AM

JH

“ Jan Hinchman lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Jan Hinchman - August 31, 2021 at 11:00 PM

SK

“ Rev. Frank Knight was a wonderful friend to our family. He was always there to comfort us in our grief during the loss of a loved one and I always enjoyed his sermons. I will also remember him for his gentle personalty and smile. God has called home one his most faithful servants.
Steve Kelley

Steve Kelley - August 31, 2021 at 09:31 PM

RD

“ *Sympathies extended to the Knight family.
Jack and Rachel Duncan*



Rachel Duncan - August 31, 2021 at 09:29 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the
family of Rev. Frank Knight.*



August 31, 2021 at 09:25 PM

KR

“ *Katlyn Rademacher lit a candle in memory of
Rev. Frank Knight*



Katlyn Rademacher - August 31, 2021 at 09:23 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for
the family of Rev. Frank Knight.*



August 31, 2021 at 08:13 PM

LH

“ Larry And Wanda Laye Harden lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Larry and Wanda Laye Harden - August 31, 2021 at 07:42 PM

RS

“ Precious man of God he will be missed , family you are in my thoughts and prayers



renee shelton - August 31, 2021 at 07:38 PM

EG

“ Estella&shane Galbreath lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



estella&shane galbreath - August 31, 2021 at 07:05 PM

SR

“ Sharmon Rivera lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Sharmon Rivera - August 31, 2021 at 05:54 PM

SR

“ I remember Preacher Knight from my childhood and him and his beautiful wife always visiting my Granny anytime she was in the hospital. I always enjoyed seeing him and his wife.

Sharmon Rivera - August 31, 2021 at 05:53 PM

SS

“ The Smith family has always been associated with and fiercely fond of Coneross and the Knight family. I can honestly say that growing up in the Church of God, I have never known a better man than Uncle Frank Knight.
Steve W Smith.

Steve Smith - August 31, 2021 at 05:28 PM

GG

“ Glenda Grant lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Glenda Grant - August 31, 2021 at 05:26 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Rev. Frank Knight.



August 31, 2021 at 03:41 PM

BJ

“ *Becky Johnson lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight*



Becky Johnson - August 31, 2021 at 02:49 PM

SB

“ *Steve & Stephanie Burdette lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight*



Steve & Stephanie Burdette - August 31, 2021 at 02:48 PM

DE

“ *Words cannot express the respect and love all of our family had for Pastor Knight ! What a fine and compassionate man. My Dad (like everyone) held him in high regard, and thought of him as a good friend. Prayers for all of you.*

Danny Edwards

Danny Edwards - August 31, 2021 at 02:45 PM

TA

“ To Mrs. Nell and family,
Rev. Knight was one of the finest men our
family has ever known. He lived what he
preached and he sure could preach. He was
loving and kind with all people. He will be
greatly missed in this County and on this earth.
He lived a good life, had a fantastic wife, and wonderful children and
I don't know of anyone who did not love Rev. Knight. God bless
each of you in a special way. What a great legacy he leaves and
what lifetime memories you will always have of Rev. Knight. (LC and
Mary Jo McCoy Alexander)



The Alexanders - August 31, 2021 at 02:13 PM

MC

“ Hovie and Martha
Crenshaw
Sympathy to the Knight
Family.



Martha Crenshaw - August 31, 2021 at 11:39 AM

JL

“ Jess&marcella Langston sent a virtual gift in
memory of Rev. Frank Knight



jess&marcella langston - August 31, 2021 at 11:29 AM

KK

“ Keith And Sonja Kelley lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Keith and Sonja Kelley - August 31, 2021 at 10:03 AM

WS

“ Walt & Judy Stephens lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Walt & Judy Stephens - August 31, 2021 at 09:52 AM

JM

“ Janice Morgan sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Janice Morgan - August 31, 2021 at 09:49 AM

SK

“ A true Christian gentleman, whose love and passion for God, his family, and music was evident throughout his life. I will always remember his unique sense of humor. So thankful to have had the privilege of knowing him. He was a praying man, and his life showed it.

Scott Kelley - August 31, 2021 at 07:53 AM

WT

“ *Preacher Knight... one of the most respected , kind ,caring gentleman I ever met. And what a passionate preacher who knew God’s word and shared with so many. Always there for our family ! He and his precious wife Mrs. Nell Spent many a day at Emory hospital with Ray and then at Oconee Memorial with Haley and at Elgeston’s Children’s hospital in GA. This meant so much to our family .. so supportive. You watched Ray grow up and spend many days playing with Steve snd Danny when little then you watched our daughters and grands grow up ..you will be missed Preacher Knight .. listening to you preach God’s word , playing instruments and singing with Ms Nell .. love you Preacher heaven “Going home Going home”*

Wanda and ray thomas - August 31, 2021 at 01:20 AM

BH

“ *Brad Hendrix sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Frank Knight*



Brad Hendrix - August 31, 2021 at 12:55 AM

JR

“ *We are so sorry for your loss—such a wonderful man of God—we know we will see him again— until then, may the Lord give you His peace that passeth all understanding— much love— Jan and Ruth Rice*



Jan Rice - August 30, 2021 at 11:31 PM



“ I have great memories of Brother Knight. A Power House for God



Michael Anthony - August 30, 2021 at 11:28 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rev. Frank Knight.



August 30, 2021 at 10:28 PM



“ Wayne F Barton sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Wayne F Barton - August 30, 2021 at 09:30 PM



“ Wayne F Barton sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Wayne F Barton - August 30, 2021 at 09:28 PM

ST

“ Sharon and Candace Thrift purchased the Cherished Memories for the family of Rev. Frank Knight.



Sharon and Candace Thrift - August 30, 2021 at 09:21 PM

BC

“ Barbara Cantrell-Burrell sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Barbara Cantrell-Burrell - August 30, 2021 at 09:20 PM

SB

“ Sherrie Benson lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Sherrie Benson - August 30, 2021 at 09:00 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rev. Frank Knight.



August 30, 2021 at 08:58 PM

VW

“ Virginia Hall Weeks lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



virginia Hall weeks - August 30, 2021 at 08:47 PM

JM

“ Jim & Becky Manley sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Jim & Becky Manley - August 30, 2021 at 08:20 PM

KH

“ Kay & Pat Hall lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Kay & Pat Hall - August 30, 2021 at 07:09 PM

WL

“ Wanda Long sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



wanda long - August 30, 2021 at 06:41 PM

FC

“ *Heaven gained a precious Angel ...
Family ,We are sorry about Bro.Knight passing,
We love you All and In our prayers
May Our Jesus wrap his arms around each of
you with Peace and comfort ..We will see him
again , never to part .*



Frank and Judy Crowe - August 30, 2021 at 05:30 PM

VC

“ *Sorry for your loss!! Praying for the family!!*



Vickie Cawthon - August 30, 2021 at 05:15 PM

DF

“ *Danielleroach And The Roach Family lit a
candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight*



Danielleroach and the roach family - August 30, 2021 at 05:07 PM

HC

“ *HENRY AND IRENE CHAPMAN lit a candle
in memory of Rev. Frank Knight*



HENRY AND IRENE CHAPMAN - August 30, 2021 at 03:29 PM

RB

“ *Ruby Bell lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight*



Ruby Bell - August 30, 2021 at 03:19 PM

SH

“ *Prayers for the family 🙏 Steve & Debbie*



Steve Harvey - August 30, 2021 at 03:07 PM

JM

“ *Johnny Mize lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight*



Johnny Mize - August 30, 2021 at 03:01 PM

JM

Danny, So sorry to hear about your father. My condolences to you, your mother and the rest of your family.

Johnny Mize - August 31, 2021 at 09:00 PM

JC

“ So sorry for your loss. Much love and prayers for the family.



Judy Cheek - August 30, 2021 at 03:01 PM

LL

“ Leonard Loudermilk lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Leonard Loudermilk - August 30, 2021 at 02:51 PM

JV

“ JE & Linda Vaughn lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



JE & Linda Vaughn - August 30, 2021 at 02:36 PM

SC

“ Sandra Cantrell-Burrell lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Sandra Cantrell-Burrell - August 30, 2021 at 02:27 PM

TG

“ Tammy Griffin lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Tammy Griffin - August 30, 2021 at 02:10 PM

RG

“ Roger And Debbie Gibson lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Roger and Debbie Gibson - August 30, 2021 at 02:01 PM

NC

“ Nell Cantrell lit a candle in memory of Rev. Frank Knight



Nell Cantrell - August 30, 2021 at 01:49 PM

IR

“ Dennis & Iris Duncan lit a candle for Rev. Frank Knight



irisduncan - August 30, 2021 at 01:21 PM