



Mr. Mickel Fred Turner

May 29, 1936 - February 23, 2021

Mickel Fred Turner, 84, husband of Elma Wilbanks Turner, of 251 Whetstone Road, Mountain Rest, passed away on Tuesday, February 23, 2021 at his home.

Mr. Turner was the son of the late Clemson Calhoun and Clara Miller Turner. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and retired from the Forest Service and Oconee Memorial Hospital. Mr. Turner was a member of Open Arms Tabernacle.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Turner is survived by sons: Mike Turner and Brian Clemson Turner (Tracy); eight grandchildren: Brandi Moore (James), Brittany Kuerth (Shane), Heather Simpson (Jon), Stephen Turner (Amber), Cody Turner (Kayla), Lynlee Turner, Ben Tompkins and Carleigh Turner; and five great-grandchildren: Easton Kuerth, Silas Simpson, Sawyer Turner, Elma Ann Simpson and Rhett Calhoun Turner.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Turner was preceded in death by his daughter: Brenda Wald; brother: Ruben Turner; and sisters: Cecil Thompson and Sybil Turner.

Funeral services will be held at 4:00 PM, Thursday, February 25, 2021, at Open Arms Tabernacle with burial to follow at Mountain Rest Baptist Church

Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 3:00-4:00 PM, Thursday, prior to the service, at the church.

Flowers are accepted.

The family is at the home.

Cemetery Details

Mountain Rest Baptist Church Cemetery

9915 Highlands Highway
Mountain Rest, SC 29664

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 25. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Open Arms Tabernacle
Cassidy Bridge Road
Mountain Rest, SC 29664

Funeral Service

FEB 25. 4:00 PM (ET)

Open Arms Tabernacle
Cassidy Bridge Road
Mountain Rest, SC 29664

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*

January 28, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ *My husband Donnie and I attended church with Mickel and Alma at Open Arms Tabernacle in Mountain Rest. He was always happy to see you and even sick, he never complained. He was a very good part of our church family. He will be missed by many. Condolences to his wife and family.*



Kimberly Arnold - March 14, 2021 at 08:06 PM



“ *Becky Manley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Becky Manley - March 02, 2021 at 10:27 AM



“ *I'm so sorry to family especially , Alma for there loss!! Her & Mickell worked with me at OMH for many, many years & a grandchild was a friend. He was always very friendly, nice. He was well liked at OMH!! Bless him & family!!!*



Connie Gillespie - February 28, 2021 at 09:14 AM

DM

“ *Many memories of Mickel while working at OMH. Always kind, professional and a man you could count on. Praying for you.*

Debbie Edwards Morehead - February 27, 2021 at 06:11 PM

JL

“ *Judy Lee lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Judy Lee - February 27, 2021 at 09:42 AM

RT

“ *Elma I am so sorry to hear of Mickel's passing. I always thought the world of you and him. I have fondest memories of visiting y'all with Mama. You're all in my thoughts and prayers. He was such a wonderful man. Love you!*

Reba Blackwell Talley - February 27, 2021 at 09:15 AM

HL

“ *So sorry to read about Mickel's death . He was a special man with a special wife . Sending prayers & much love .*

Haskell & Betty Long - February 26, 2021 at 01:00 PM

KA

“ *Kathy Addis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Kathy addis - February 26, 2021 at 01:03 AM

GL

“ *Glenda(Cobb)Grant lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Glenda(Cobb)Grant - February 25, 2021 at 07:26 PM

ID

“ *Dink &Iris Duncan lit a candle for Mr.Mickel Fred Turner*



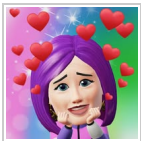
iris duncan - February 25, 2021 at 06:17 PM

RC

“ *Ray Cobb lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Ray Cobb - February 25, 2021 at 05:43 PM



“ *Elma and family, Mr. Mickel was one of the sweetest people I ever had the pleasure of knowing at Oconee..My prayers are with you and your family at this sad time.*

Clem Bagwell - February 25, 2021 at 04:36 PM

JT

“ *Julie Thompson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Julie Thompson - February 25, 2021 at 03:49 PM

MA

“ *Condolences to Elma and family, I remember working with Mickel at the hospital many years ago. So sorry for your loss. God bless each one in your family. He was a helpful and kindhearted man.*



Mary Alexanddr - February 25, 2021 at 03:19 PM

RT

“ *Reg Tatum lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Reg Tatum - February 25, 2021 at 12:29 PM

JB

“ I am very sorry to know of Mickels Passing. I didn't know him very well and not at all in recent years. I haven't seen Mickel since I was around 10 years old. He was 2 years older than me. The reason I met him was that my Dad, Jake Butler, bought the property that Clemson built a home on at 199 Abbott Road in Walhalla. It was a beautiful piece of property and I still own it although all my family have since passed on. I will keep all Mickel's family in my prayers as you struggle through this difficult time. John Butler

John Butler - February 25, 2021 at 12:02 PM

MW

“ Mel & Glenda Wilbanks lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner



Mel & Glenda Wilbanks - February 25, 2021 at 11:40 AM

JR

“ Elma and Family— my thoughts and prayers to each one of you during this sad time. I remember the great job Mickel did as part of our security at OMH, always smiling and willing to help. May the Lord give you His peace that passeth all understanding.

Jan Rice - February 25, 2021 at 11:15 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner.



February 25, 2021 at 11:03 AM

GH

“ My prayers are to the family for Mr. Mickel Turner. He was a good gentle man that would help you in any way he could if you needed help. Many years ago, he would stop by my mother's house on his way home and look at the vehicles she had for sale. Always cheerful and such a very sweet man. God called his special Angel home and we will all miss him dearly. Praying for the family during this difficult time.



Gailyn Housley - February 25, 2021 at 08:38 AM

PB

“ Mickel and his family hold a special place in my heart. I worked with him and Elma at OMH for years. It was a pleasure to work with him. A good and Godly man. Eager to help any way he could. God has truly gained an angel! I pray for strength, comfort and healing for your family.



Pamela Burrell - February 25, 2021 at 07:44 AM

KH

“ Karen Harmon lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner



Karen Harmon - February 25, 2021 at 06:27 AM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner.



February 24, 2021 at 11:09 PM



“ Mickel was my favorite cousin. times. We were best buddies in our youth. Mickel pulled me down Whetstone road on my bike and he in his car when the road was just an old gravel road. We had many trips to Folly Beach near Charleston. I have many memories because of Mickel. We had good times that I will always cherish. Mickel was kind and gentle, a good man to be with. Mickel would always greet you with a handshake and a smile. Mickel will be sorely missed by all that call him a friend. God bless this family as they struggle with the loss of a Godly father and a real hero that we all loved. Al and Annette Rochester.



Alvin/Annette Rochester - February 24, 2021 at 11:05 PM



“ Leland And Richadene Talley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner



Leland and Richadene Talley - February 24, 2021 at 10:13 PM

TS

“ Trent Smith lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner



Trent Smith - February 24, 2021 at 09:52 PM

JH

“ We are praying for comfort and strength in the loss of our dear friend Mickel.



Jim & Runelle Hall - February 24, 2021 at 09:51 PM

KB

“ My sympathy and prayers are with you all during this difficult time. My heart goes out to you at this time of sadness.



Kristy Blair Billingsley - February 24, 2021 at 08:37 PM



“ Wayne F Barton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner



Wayne F Barton - February 24, 2021 at 07:11 PM



My wife worked with Brenda at Itron . She met Mr. Turner in hospital when Brenda was sick . She said he was such a wonderful & caring Christian man. Prayers for family. Wayne & Wanda Barton

Wayne F Barton - February 25, 2021 at 09:57 PM



“ *Wayne F Barton sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Wayne F Barton - February 24, 2021 at 07:10 PM

KH

“ *It saddens me to know Mick has passed away.He and I always enjoyed meeting up with each other around Walhalla.We never saw each other without sharing some laughs about those brutally cold days we spent building walking trails in the mountains for the Forest Service. Those are good memories I'll always carry with me about Mick and our younger days.I'll miss him and my sincere sympathy goes to his family. Kay Hall*

Kay Hall - February 24, 2021 at 07:04 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner.*



February 24, 2021 at 06:44 PM

KH

“ *Elma,
My thoughts and prayers are with you.*



Karen Harmon - February 24, 2021 at 05:56 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the
family of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner.*



February 24, 2021 at 05:50 PM

JF

“ *Jackie Collins Fowler lit a candle in memory
of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Jackie Collins Fowler - February 24, 2021 at 05:35 PM

FC

“ *Frank And Judy Crowe sent a virtual gift in
memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



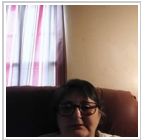
Frank and Judy Crowe - February 24, 2021 at 05:24 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner.*



February 24, 2021 at 04:05 PM



“ *Renee Butts lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Renee Butts - February 24, 2021 at 03:54 PM



“ *Randy & Kathy Owens lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Randy & Kathy Owens - February 24, 2021 at 03:32 PM



“ *Burgess (Bird) Laye lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Burgess (Bird) Laye - February 24, 2021 at 03:17 PM

BW

“ *Byrd & Frankie Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Byrd & Frankie Williams - February 24, 2021 at 03:05 PM

KH

“ *Kay And Pat Hall sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Kay and Pat Hall - February 24, 2021 at 02:43 PM

TS

“ *Terry & Kay Sanders lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Terry & Kay Sanders - February 24, 2021 at 02:19 PM

CH

“ *Chris Hamor lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Chris Hamor - February 24, 2021 at 02:14 PM

PB

“ Pamela Ball lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner



Pamela Ball - February 24, 2021 at 02:13 PM

RC

“ Rebecca Cromer lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner



Rebecca Cromer - February 24, 2021 at 01:46 PM

PN

“ This was one amazing man. I worked with him at OMH for a long time always there when you needed him, glad to help you do anything. Also working with his wife was a blessing. Prayers for the family. Patti Nelson



Patti Nelson - February 24, 2021 at 01:38 PM

TS

“ Teresa Sills lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner



Teresa Sills - February 24, 2021 at 01:31 PM

AK

“ *Angie Kelley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Mickel Fred Turner*



Angie Kelley - February 24, 2021 at 01:20 PM