



## Fred Hill

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Fred Hill, of Gainesville, VA, passed away on Sunday, July 28, 2024. He was born and raised in Bridgeport, AL. He was the son of the late Frances and Isaiah Hill Sr. He worked for Travelers Insurance for 44 years, retiring as a Director of Products & Designs. He was a lifelong and faithful Christian who served as a preacher, deacon, and elder in local “churches of Christ” (Romans 16: 16) in different cities. His most recent service to the church were as a mentor and Bible Study teacher with the Eastside church of Christ in Cleveland, TN. He has now received his “crown of life” in Heaven (Rev. 2: 10). In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife of 49 years, Ocie Hill, son Anthony Hill, and brother Isaiah Hill Jr. He leaves behind to cherish his faithful work to the Lord Jesus Christ and memory to his children; daughter Jennifer (Brian) Miley of Gainesville, VA; son Christopher Hill of Atlanta, GA; daughter-in-law Quandra (Anthony) Hill of Buford, GA; and sister-in-law Sandra (Isaiah Jr) Hill of Bridgeport, AL. In addition to these, he leaves behind eight grandchildren and numerous extended family members and friends who were tremendously and wonderfully impacted by him.

The family plans to have a graveside service and “Celebration of Life” in his hometown of Bridgeport, AL, at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, the family has requested prayers on their behalf.

You are cordially invited to share a personal memory of Fred or your condolences with his family at his online memorial located at <https://www.piercefh.com>. The Pierce Funeral Home is honored to assist the Hill family with any arrangements or accommodations.

# Tribute Wall

SS

“ Jennifer, I'll never forget your dad's big smile and his knack of making me feel special on those few occasions we ran into each other at worship services. He was a real gentleman. What a comfort to know that he has fought the good fight and will have his reward.

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**Shannon Stimatze** - September 09, 2024 at 11:35 AM

VO

“ Hill Family  
We were saddened to hear of the passing of brother Hill. Your parents were some of the first ones to welcome us to Avondale a young preacher family. They were very caring and loving people. I remember brother Hill being a good elder in the Lords church. I remember he loved to laugh and fellowship with the congregation. He loved his family and we will forever be thankful for his the example set before us. Oh and we had a love for coffee I remember I had never made coffee and we were having our Christmas party at our home and he wanted some coffee and I said I have some I don't know how to make it and he proceeded to teach me how to make it. I continue to this day to use his method. A gentle man will surly be missed looking forward to seeing him in Heaven.  
Vanessa Owens (Eric Owens)

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**Vanesa Owens** - August 06, 2024 at 02:55 PM

JD

“ I got to know Mr. Hill through my good friend Chris. I'll never forget his quiet, calm demeanor every time I saw him. I would later learn why he was that way, he was a believer. RIP Mr. Hill. You will be missed.

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**Jarvis Davis** - August 03, 2024 at 08:36 PM

CB

“ We have fond and loving memories of Fred and Ocie Hill during the time we worshipped at Avondale Church of Christ 1991-2007, Atlanta GA. He was an example of a true Christian who loved our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, his wife, family and community! May he rest in peace!!  
Joe and Cassandra ‘Sandy’ Brown  
Bouldercrest Church of Christ, Atlanta GA

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**Cassandra ‘Sandy’ Brown** - August 03, 2024 at 04:05 PM

JT

*Calanthia and I are saddened about the passing of Fred, we met Fred and Ocie in college when they were dating and the excitement Fred had for Ocie was amazing. They got married a few weeks or months before we did and they rented a room in a house and when we were married we also rented a room in the same house they were in until our apartment was ready.  
Fred and Ocie were dedicated to the Lord even back then as young students. Nice people. About 10 or 12 years after college I received a call from a young man who thought he would surprise me and that I wouldn't recognize his voice and of course I said hello Fred, I would have recognized Fred's voice 50 years later for he had a very distinctive voice. We'll miss him but hope to see him again according to the will of our God.  
May God comfort and bless his family.*

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**Joseph Tucker** - August 03, 2024 at 06:27 PM

JJ

“ Jennifer, I will remember your dad's gentle spirit and ready smile. My mental image of him is just like his picture - smiling. Prayers from us to you and the family.

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**Jim Jonas** - August 02, 2024 at 05:27 PM

GJ

“ *A most wonderful man that I ever knew. When certain people cross your path in this life. You are so grateful to God. Fred is one of these men. My faithful brother in Christ. I love you . . . ,,*

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**Gary Jones** - August 02, 2024 at 11:02 AM