



## Lowell Wunningham

November 5, 1929 - May 22, 2017

Lowell Wunningham, age 87, of Morrilton, Arkansas, passed away Monday, May 22, 2017. He was born November 5, 1929 in Austin, Arkansas, a son of Kelless Wunningham and Beva Barnes Wunningham. He was the widower of Rosalie Bean Wunningham. Lowell was a Korean Conflict Army Veteran and a member of First Baptist Church of Plumerville. He was a Basketball Coach, Superintendent of Plumerville School, and Assistant Superintendent for South Conway County School District.

He is survived by his two daughters: Mona Wunningham and husband Herbie Rooprai of Chicago, Illinois, Tracy Bardsley and husband Jamie of Perry, and his mother: Judy Brazil of Perry; brother: Doyce Wunningham of Birdtown; sister: Drs. Etta Lou and Jimmy Sellars of Mt. View, Missouri; brother-in-law: Danny Bean and wife Deloyte of Morrilton; sister-in-laws: Colleen Fields of Plumerville and Shirley Bean of Plumerville; grandchildren: Brandon Bardsley of Benton, Jonathan Bardsley of Perryville, and Susanne Bardsley of Perry; nieces: Marla Rea, Debbie Brown, Teresa Naff, Karen Price, Ginger Snyder; and nephews: Lee Wunningham, Joe Don Wunningham, David Bean, Phillip Fields, Derrick Bean, and Lynn Bean.

Other than his parents and wife, he was preceded in death by a sister-in-law: Peggye Wunningham; brother-in-laws: Charles "String" Bean and Jack Fields; infant nephew: Michael Lynn Bean; and Jamie Bardsley's aunt: Edna Ann Brazil.

Funeral services will be 10:00 a.m. Thursday, May 25, at the Harris Chapel

with Dr. Bill Brown and Bro. Allen Nelson IV officiating. Burial will be at Union Hill Cemetery near Formosa, Arkansas by Harris Funeral Home of Morrilton. The family will receive friends one hour prior to service.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lowell Winningham*

January 30, 2023 at 02:08 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss, but so happy that Mr. Winningham is so happy and peaceful now. Love him so much, and will always remember my school days with him as a basketball coach and superintendent. He had such a great influence on my life. He always encouraged me and told me I could do anything. I believed him. He was always cheerful and delight to be around.*

**Charlotte Heidenreich** - June 29, 2018 at 05:48 PM



“ *I remember when Lowell came to Plumerville as Coach. I was 15 years old and I found him to be more than a coach. He was a teacher and a friend, someone you could talk to if there were problems and as an adult I was blessed with his friendship. He was a Professed Christian that lived it like he talked it. I will forever be grateful for him in my life and what he was to me as I grew into adulthood. To the family Please know that You are in my thoughts and prayers as you go through the loss of this loved one. May god comfort you and give you strength and give you the assurance that you will see him again on that great reunion day.*

**sammy gilmore** - June 29, 2018 at 05:48 PM



“ *I am so very sorry for your loss. Your Dad was such a sweet gentleman. GOD bless and comfort you all, Rebecca Evans & Linda Geisler*

**Rebecca Evans** - June 29, 2018 at 05:48 PM

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“ *Mr. Winningham was such a kind and wonderful man. I am so sorry, for your loss.. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. May God bless you with comfort and strength.*

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**Judith Stacks-Stephens** - June 29, 2018 at 05:48 PM

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“ *Tracey,I am so sorry for your loss. Your Dad was really sweet and I am glad to have gotten to visit with him. I will keep your family in my prayers. Love you, Angelia*

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**Angelia Evans Martin** - June 29, 2018 at 05:48 PM

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“ *Coach, our basketball coach meant so much to everyone that knew him. In Plumerville He has been a big part of our lives since we were kids. He loved all of us and we loved him. I recall a tournament when we played Greenbriar. His brother was their coach. We desperately wanted to beat them. We lost and I cried so much, Coach put his arms around me trying to comfort me, telling me it was alright, that we had played hard. I told him I wanted to win for him. He almost teared up and gave me a really big hug. At age 62 he was still there for me. He gave comfort to me when Dianna died. Coach has always been there for all of us. I will really miss him and so will everyone who knew him. Tracey and Mona, I am so sorry, I will remember you in my prayers. We all love you COACH WINNINGHAM!!!!!!*

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**Donna McGee** - June 29, 2018 at 05:48 PM

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“ *Tracy and Mona I am so sorry for your loss. Prayers for your family.*

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**Sherry Trotter-Leece** - June 29, 2018 at 05:48 PM

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“ *Me. Lowell was one of the kindest men I ever had the pleasure of knowing! My thoughts and prayers are with the family*

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**Jean Fitzwater** - June 29, 2018 at 05:48 PM

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“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with all of the family during the loss of your loved one . Lowell was a kind man and will be missed by many. May God give you strength during this sad time. Larry and Deloris Tolbert*

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**Deloris and Larry Tolbert** - June 29, 2018 at 05:48 PM