

FOR MY DADDY

Have you seen my Daddy? I don't know where he's gone.
Sometimes it hurts so much I can't seem to carry on.
I hear he doesn't look quite the same. He doesn't need much rest.
The IV and medications are all gone; In fact, he looks his best.
Is he playing tag with his parents in that place way up high?
Or is he napping in God's garden where the beautiful in hammocks lie?
Some say he is always watching; I hope this to be true.
And that one day he'll return to me and say, "I've come for you."
Have you seen my Daddy? I imagine he's doing okay,
Though it hurts to know I can't call him every day.
I really miss my Daddy. I wasn't ready to say goodbye.
It will never be the same. Years from now, I know I'll cry.
I bet God is with my Daddy, wrapped up in His arms,
Sheltered from all illness and sorrow, keeping him from harm.
I bet he sees us morning but would want us to smile
And tell us our time a part is only a little while.
I'll never quite understand why your time here was so small,
But you said you'll always be there to catch me when I fall.
I miss you so much Daddy, but I hope and pray
That when it's my time, you'll come for me. I'll see you again someday.
I guess it was meant to be that your work here on Earth was done.
Now your life in Paradise has only just begun.
Tears that I weep and prayers will hopefully travel very far
To reach my loving Daddy sitting among the stars.

In Loving Memory of My Hero, Willie Frank Prather, Sr.
1942-2020



Final Arrangements Entrusted To:

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CELEBRATING THE LIFE

OF



Willie Frank Prather, Sr.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2020
~ 3:00 P.M. ~

RED OAK GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH
GAY, GEORGIA

REVEREND ALEX PARKS, *EULOGIST*

Obituary

Willie Frank Prather Sr. was born on June 8, 1942 in Meriwether County. The Lord called him home on February 17, 2020. He was born to the late George Crowder and Cora Bell Prather. He leaves behind three siblings to cherish his memories: Annie Lois Hall of Luthersville, GA, William Lee Prather of Newnan, GA and Annette Favors of Senoia, GA. Virgil Prather Cora Mae Prather, Alberta Favors and Magaline Leach preceded him in death.

He attended Meriwether County School. He joined St. Paul Holiness Church. He loved his children and grandchildren dearly. He also loved gardening and fixing on things.

Willie Frank Prather Sr. was married to the late Rozell Prather and to this union seven children were born. One preceded in death, Terry Remond Prather.

He leaves behind six children: Willie Frank (Wylene) Prather Jr. of Luthersville, GA, Jettie (Emanuel) McGruder of Newnan, GA, Linda Whatley (Michael Moss) of Greenville, GA, Andrew (Sandra) Prather of Woodbury, GA, Bobby (Evangeline) Prather of Luthersville, GA, Sharon Ford (Leroy Cameron) of Hogansville, GA. He also leaves a legacy of love with twenty-one grandchildren and fifty-six great grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews and cousins; a close friend, Katie Jefferson.

Order of Service

MUSICAL PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL

SOLO.....*When The Gates Swing Open*.....Charlie Sinkfield

SCRIPTURES

Old Testament.....Pastor Willie Sinkfield

New Testament.....Pastor Chunn

SOLO.....Raymond Sinkfield

PRAYER.....Pastor Willie Sinkfield

OBITUARY (Read Silently)

REMARKS (2 Minutes Please)

SONG.....Kimberly Prather, *Granddaughter*

EULOGY.....Reverend Alex Parks

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS.....Dr. Amber Mukoro

RECESSIONAL

Interment

Red Oak Grove Baptist Church
Cemetery

Repast

Red Oak Grove Baptist Church
Fellowship Hall

Pallbearers

Grandsons

Flower Attendants

Granddaughters

Acknowledgements

The family of Willie Frank Prather, Sr. would like to express our sincere gratitude to the many family members and friends for your thoughtfulness, prayers and support. Your kindness will never be forgotten and will forever hold a special place in our hearts.

~ The Family ~
