



## Mr. Phillip Eugene Wright

February 18, 1945 - August 29, 2021

Phillip Eugene Wright, 76, of Cushing, Oklahoma, passed peacefully from this life on Sunday, August 29, 2021, at his home surrounded by family. He was born in Dewitt, Arkansas on February 18, 1945, to parents Dewey Shelton and Dorothy Elizabeth (James) Wright. He was a proud Veteran serving overseas in the United States Army. After his honorable discharge he drove a truck for 12 years off and on. He farmed for 9 years and was then a carpenter for over 24 years.

Eugene was baptized into the General Assembly and Church of the Firstborn on July 31, 1963, at Oklahoma City Lake by Brother Thomas Neal. He loved to sing, in church with the brethren but even all alone in his car driving down the road. Some of his very favorites were "It is Love," "Marching in the Light," "Kneel at the Cross," "Where the Soul Never Dies," and "When the Saints Go Marching In."

Those preceded him in death are his parents; 2 precious daughters, Rene and Jennifer; brothers, Edward, Richard, Thomas, Bobby, Royce, James, Johnny, and Alvie Wright; sisters, Lucille Grissom, Luthelma Brickey, and Gladys Barrett; and daughter in law, Paula Wright.

Eugene is survived by his children, Phillip Wright of Cushing, OK, Tim Wright of Tulsa, OK, Marlene (Brian) Lee of Rogers, AR, Tracy (Regina) Wright of

Cushing, OK, Darlene (David) Miller of Drumright, OK, Raymond (Kayla) Bateman of Tahoka, TX; his first wife, Glenda Brickey of Rogers, AR; siblings, Nolan (Charlene) Wright of DeWitt, AR, Oscar (Penny) Wright of DeWitt, AR, Joanne (Lawrence) McFarlin of Parkland, OK, Evon (David) Watkins of Pine Bluff, AR, Luther (Missy) Wright of Lovington, NM, and Geneva (Bill) Attberry of Las Vegas, NV; 19 grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren, many extended family members, and a host of brethren and friends.

Arrangements in Oklahoma have been entrusted to the care of Palmer Marler Funeral Home, Cushing and will faithfully continue through Essex Funeral Home, Dewitt, Arkansas.

Visitation will be held from 1:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 31, 2021, at Palmer Marler Funeral Home, Cushing, Oklahoma.

Visitation will be held from 1:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 2, 2021, at Essex Funeral Home, DeWitt, Arkansas. Family will be present to greet friends from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Funeral Services will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, September 3, 2021, at the General Assembly and Church of the Firstborn with burial following in Thompson Cemetery. Brother Raymond Farrow will officiate.

# Cemetery Details

**Thompson Cemetery**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

SEP 2. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Essex Funeral Home  
1405 South Grandview  
DeWitt, AR 72042  
(870) 946-3104  
<https://www.essexfuneralhome.com>

### Service

SEP 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

General Assembly and Church of the Firstborn  
DeWitt, AR 72042

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Phillip Eugene Wright.*



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September 02, 2021 at 09:41 AM



“ *Praying for the family and friends of Bro. Eugene. We were glad to know him and we were always happy to spend time with him. May God's blessings shower down on his family at this difficult time. - Bro. Mark and Sis. Janette Kumming, Pea Ridge, Arkansas*

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**Mark Kumming** - September 01, 2021 at 07:05 PM



“ *Prentice And Sue Davis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Phillip Eugene Wright*



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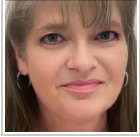
**Prentice and Sue Davis** - September 01, 2021 at 01:22 PM



*We thought the world of Eugene, Him and Wanda were a blast. Prayers for his love ones.*

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**Prentice and Sue Davis** - September 01, 2021 at 01:24 PM



“ *Eva Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr.  
Phillip Eugene Wright*



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**Eva Williams** - September 01, 2021 at 11:56 AM