



Claude Earl Shankles

May 27, 1946 - August 10, 2025

Mr. Claude Earl Shankles age 79 of Rainsville, AL passed away on Sunday, August 10, 2025 at DeKalb Regional. Funeral services will be held on Friday, August 15, 2025 at 1PM at Victory Baptist Church. Burial will follow in Town Creek Cemetery. Rainsville Funeral Home, Inc. directing. www.rainsvillefuneralhome.com

The family will receive friends on Thursday, August 14th from 5PM-8PM at Rainsville Funeral Home & Friday, August 15th from 10AM-1PM at Victory Baptist Church.

Claude loved woodworking and working around the farm. He enjoyed fishing and gardening. He had a knack for finding deals at the 5 Dollar Bin Store. He loved taking photographs of nature and wildlife. He also enjoyed feeding the animals. He loved vacation and going to church. Mr. Shankles was a deacon at Victory Baptist Church.

Survivors

Wife of 61 Years: Peggy Shankles of Rainsville

Daughter: Lesia Todd and James Gann of Henagar

Son: Christopher Shankles and wife Tina Shankles of Section

Sister: Reba Shankles Beck and husband Shannon Beck of Albertville

2 Grandchildren: Joshua Lee Shankles

Brittany Hicks and husband William Blake Hicks

A Host of Nieces, Nephews & extended Nieces & Nephews

Preceded in Death

Parents: William Hollis & Maude Lena Shankles

Siblings: Jewell Shankles Guffey, Junior Shankles, Rev. Chester Shankles,
Margaret Willodean Shankles Brown, Calvin Shankles & Clyde Shankles

Cemetery Details

Town Creek Cemetery

Marshall Road
Rainsville, AL 35986

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 14. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (cst)

Rainsville Funeral Home
498 Mccurdy Ave N
Rainsville, AL 35986
(256) 638-2122
<https://www.rainsvillefuneralhome.com>

Visitation

AUG 15. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (cst)

Victory Baptist Church
426 Marshall Rd
Rainsville, AL 35986

Service

AUG 15. 1:00 PM (cst)

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