



Mr. Bruce Allen Bender

October 29, 1949 - March 27, 2025

Bruce Allen Bender was born on October 29, 1949 in Magee, MS to the late Willie, Sr. and Amanda Chisolm Bender. He transitioned to be with our Heavenly Father on March 27, 2025 at the Mississippi Baptist Memorial Center in Jackson, MS.

Bruce attended and graduated from Henry Weathers High School in Rolling Fork, MS class of 1967. He graduated from Tuskegee University with a Bachelor's and Master's Degree in Business. He was also a member of Omega Phi Si Fraternity. He was a member of Word of Life Church in Flowood, MS under the leadership of Pastor Joel Sims.

He served in the United States Army from 1971-1979 and honorable discharge as a Captain.

One quiet evening he met the love of his life, Jackye, walking down the halls of General Motors. They were married on December 31, 2006.

Bruce was preceded in death by his parents Willie, Sr. and Amanda Bender, Father-in-Love Wallace Davis, Sister-in-Love Carolyn (Harry) Washington, and Brother-in-Love Alvin Jerome Davis.

He leaves to cherish his memories his wife, Jacqueline, brothers Ralph

(Joyce) Bender of Madison, MS, Willie Bender, Jr of San Francisco, CA, Mother-in-Love, Birdia Davis of Pearl, MS, Sisters-in-Love, Andrea (Charles) Hendricks, Gwendolyn (Elvis) Wade of Pearl, MS and Vivian Dillon of Columbia, MS, Brother-in-Love Dwight (Connie) Davis of Pearl, MS. He also leaves to cherish his memories a host of nieces, nephews, family, and friends.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 5. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Dean Memorial Funeral Home
745 Highway 468
Brandon, MS 39042
(601) 825-3884
<https://deanmemorialfuneralhome.com/>

Homegoing Service

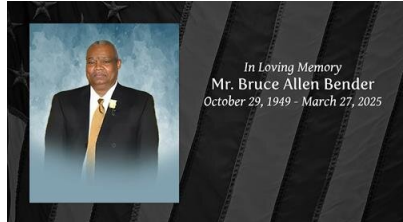
APR 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

"Lovie" Dean Memorial Chapel
745 Hwy 468
Brandon, MS 39042

Tribute Wall



“ *Dean Memorial Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Bruce Allen Bender*



Dean Memorial Funeral Home - April 05, 2025 at 04:28 PM



“ *TONY McCOY lit a candle in memory of Bruce Bender*



TONY McCOY - April 09, 2025 at 04:23 AM



“ *My deepest condolences to my dear friend Jackye, May GOD give you the peace that passes all understand* 🤍🙏



Lesia Anderson - April 05, 2025 at 03:56 PM

HF

“ *Hayes and Cousin Family*



Hayes and Cousin Family - April 05, 2025 at 03:46 PM

MB

“ *Sending love your way.*

Monya Bates - April 05, 2025 at 03:03 PM

GS

“ *Thoughts of love to our family, with prayers for comfort and strength to endure this season.*



Gwendolyn & Dallas Sutton - April 05, 2025 at 11:02 AM

MA

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Mary Anderson - April 04, 2025 at 12:52 PM

EA

“ *Eddie Ainsworth lit a candle in memory of Bruce Bender*



Eddie Ainsworth - April 04, 2025 at 08:44 AM

PR

“ *Phyllis Rankin lit a candle in memory of Bruce Bender*



Phyllis Rankin - April 03, 2025 at 04:47 PM

EW

“ *May God give you strength in your time of sorrows.*



Eletha Walker - April 03, 2025 at 10:51 AM

PB

“ *May God give the family comfort and strength during this difficult time. Bruce will be truly missed.*



Pamela Diane Bender - April 02, 2025 at 09:19 PM

CB

“ Charlie boyd purchased the Simply Elegant Spat hiphyllum for the family of Mr. Bruce Allen Bender.



Charlie boyd - April 02, 2025 at 05:02 PM

BJ

“ Beverly D Jones lit a candle in memory of Bruce Bender



Beverly D Jones - April 02, 2025 at 11:48 AM

MD

“ Mary Davis lit a candle in memory of Bruce Bender



Mary Davis - April 01, 2025 at 09:03 PM

CI

“ My dear and loving friend, Jackye, I extend my sincerest condolences to you and the entire family. Bruce had a quiet spirit, but a kind heart. I pray that the love of God can give you all some peace and comfort today, tomorrow, and days ahead. Love, Lucinda Wade-Robinson and Family



Cindy - April 01, 2025 at 11:15 AM

MW

“ *Mildred Winston lit a candle in memory of
Bruce Bender*



Mildred Winston - March 31, 2025 at 09:56 PM



“ *Henrietta Gibbs lit a candle in memory of
Bruce Bender*



Henrietta Gibbs - March 31, 2025 at 07:46 PM