



Franklin Leroy Lewis

June 14, 1939 - May 17, 2025

Franklin 'Buck' Leroy Lewis, passed away peacefully on May 17, 2025, at the age of 85 in Monroe, Georgia.

He was preceded in death by his loving wife, Betty Jo Lewis, whom he married in 1988. Together they shared many wonderful years filled with love, family, and laughter.

Franklin was preceded in death by his parents, Roger and Carrie Lewis, and by three of his siblings: James (Lucille), Horace (Jean), and Betty (Bill). He is survived by his siblings: Charles (Joyce), Helen (Bryon), and Marvin (Rita); his children: Kathy (David), Kenneth, Carol (John), Stuart (Pam), and Scott (Andreana); and by his cherished grandchildren: Kevin (Amy), Lindsey (Frank), Curtis; Kylie (Austin), Gracen (Mark), Kyndal; Preston, Chase, Madison (Jake), Lauren; Colin (Rebecca), Taylor (Savanaa), Brian; Savannah, Michael, Braydon, and Knox; as well as great-grandchildren.

Franklin was born on June 14, 1939, in Conyers, Georgia, to Roger Daniel Lewis and Carrie Leila Knight. He graduated from Rockdale County High School in 1958 and went on to serve his country in the United States Air Force from 1958 to 1962, achieving the rank of Airman Third Class.

In 1963, Franklin began working in the warehouse of the William F. Bishop

Company, which later became Bishop & Brogdon. Over the years, through dedication and hard work, he rose to become a part-owner of the company, where he remained until his retirement in 2006.

He was a member of BYO Atlanta and proudly served as its president in 2002. Through this organization, Franklin formed many lifelong friendships - bonds he cherished and maintained faithfully throughout his life.

After retiring, Franklin and his beloved wife settled at Lake Martin, Alabama, where the family shared some of their most treasured memories together. It was a place filled with laughter, storytelling, and togetherness - a reflection of the life he built and the love he gave.

He will be remembered for his strength, work ethic, contagious laughter, and unwavering love for his family. Franklin's presence enriched the lives of all who knew him, and his legacy will live on in the hearts of those he loved and who loved him.

A visitation will be held on Tuesday, May 20th, from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Scot Ward Funeral Services in Conyers, GA. The funeral service will take place at Scot Ward Funeral Services on Wednesday, May 21st, at 1:00 p.m., with a private graveside ceremony for immediate family to follow.

Condolences may be submitted on-line at www.scotward.com. Scot Ward Funeral Services, 699 American Legion Road, Conyers, GA 30012, 770-483-7216.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 20. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Scot Ward Funeral Services at Green Meadow Memorial Gardens
699 American Legion Road
Conyers, GA 30012

Service

MAY 21. 1:00 PM (ET)

Scot Ward's Green Meadow Chapel
699 American Legion Road
Conyers, GA 30012

Tribute Wall

SE

“ *Snapping Shoals EMC purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.*



Snapping Shoals EMC - May 21, 2025 at 09:40 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.*



May 20, 2025 at 05:48 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Franklin Leroy Lewis.*

May 20, 2025 at 05:48 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.*



May 20, 2025 at 04:40 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.



May 20, 2025 at 02:35 PM



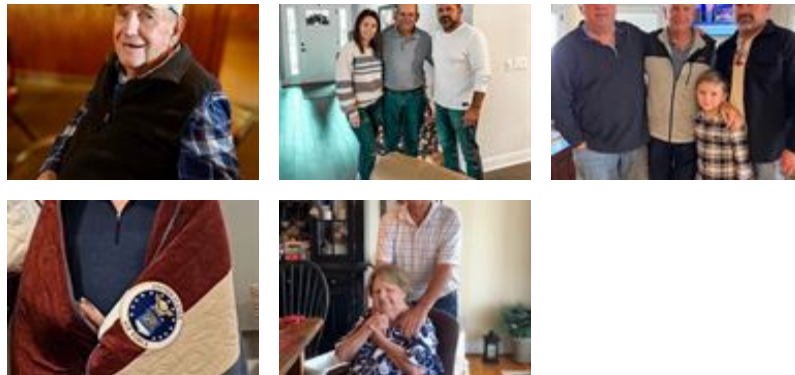
“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.



May 20, 2025 at 12:05 PM



“ 64 files added to the album Life Tributes



Scot Ward Funeral Services - May 20, 2025 at 09:55 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.



May 20, 2025 at 09:37 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.



May 20, 2025 at 08:51 AM



“ Darren and Shelby Anderson purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.



Darren and Shelby Anderson - May 19, 2025 at 06:18 PM



“ Darren and Shelby Anderson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Franklin Leroy Lewis.

Darren and Shelby Anderson - May 19, 2025 at 06:18 PM

CS

“ I really enjoy seeing him walking early in the morning I think he walk while neighborhood he was good walker on his golf cart he would always stop when I walking my girls aka dogs always give them a tray I would always say good to see you he always said it's good to be seen I will truest miss him I already do Rip Cathy Strantz ❤️

cathy strantz - May 19, 2025 at 05:47 PM

TF

“ The Harper family purchased the Basket of Mem ories for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.



The Harper family - May 19, 2025 at 02:14 PM

JM

“ Jimmy Melvin purchased the Country Basket Blo oms for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.



Jimmy Melvin - May 19, 2025 at 02:01 PM

LB

“ Lewis's , Hoppes, Jordans & Barringers purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.



Lewis's , Hoppes, Jordans & Barringers - May 19, 2025 at 01:18 PM

ME

“ *Melika purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.*



Melika - May 19, 2025 at 12:46 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.*



May 19, 2025 at 12:01 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Franklin Leroy Lewis.*

May 19, 2025 at 12:01 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.*



May 19, 2025 at 11:05 AM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.*



May 19, 2025 at 10:41 AM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.*



May 19, 2025 at 10:39 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Franklin Leroy Lewis.*

May 19, 2025 at 10:39 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.*



May 19, 2025 at 10:36 AM

DP

“ Our entire community in Grand Haven at Alcovy Mountain will miss Franklin. He always had a big smile and kind words. I had the pleasure of living only a few homes away from him. Prayers of comfort for your family.

Dan Putman - May 19, 2025 at 09:56 AM

RO

“ Rachel O. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Franklin Leroy Lewis.

Rachel O. - May 19, 2025 at 09:45 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.



May 19, 2025 at 09:40 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Franklin Leroy Lewis.

May 19, 2025 at 09:40 AM

PH

“ *Preston & Jill Hobby purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Franklin Leroy Lewis.*



Preston & Jill Hobby - May 19, 2025 at 09:15 AM