



Mr. Anthony Jerome Burnette

April 17, 1946 - March 27, 2025

Mr. Anthony Jerome “Jere” Burnette, age 78, went to be with the Lord on Thursday, March 27, 2025, at his home in Madison, Florida.

Jere was born in Madison, Florida, on April 17, 1946, to his parents, Wayne and Martelle Burnette. He enjoyed fishing, sketching, and working on cars and boats. And more than all of those combined, he absolutely loved spending time with family and dear friends. Jere was a member of Fellowship Baptist Church in Madison, Florida, where he served as a deacon for many years. In 1973, Jere would marry the love of his life, Darlene Boden, and they spent over 52 happy years together. Jere and Darlene would later adopt their daughter Crysti, in 1988, who would go on to give them 3 wonderful grandsons and a great son in law.

Jere is preceded in death by his loving parents Wayne and Martelle Burnette, his brother John Wayne “Buddy” Burnette, and his sister Judy Sparks.

He is survived by his wonderful wife Darlene Boden Burnette of Madison, Florida; daughter Crysti Handfield (Clint) of Moultrie, Georgia; sister Robyn Langford of Lake Park, Georgia; and 3 grandsons Cooper, Reid, and Grady Handfield.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held Sunday, March 30, 2025, at 2:00

p.m. at Fellowship Baptist Church, 1997 NE Colin Kelly Hwy, Madison, FL 32340. Visitation will take place one hour prior from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. Rev. Jackie Watts will officiate. In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to the Fellowship Church Youth Group.

For any questions, please contact Beggs Funeral Home - Madison Chapel at (850) 973-2258.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 30. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Fellowship Baptist Church
1997 NE Colin Kelley Highway
MADISON, FL 32340

Celebration of Life Service

MAR 30. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Great friend and neighbor. Good memories of playing in our Madison neighborhood, growing up! Prayers for family* ”

Ann Owens Isbell - May 18, 2025 at 10:20 AM