



## Riddle Edward Williams

May 20, 1943 - March 23, 2025

Riddle Edward Williams, age 81, of Paris, Arkansas passed away, Sunday, March 23, 2025 in Paris. He was born May 20, 1943 in Altus, Arkansas to Nobel Edward Williams and Ruby Mae Mason Williams. Riddle was of the Pentecostal faith and was a member of the Altus Pentecostal Church. He worked for the Army National Guard and in construction. He enjoyed fishing, spending time with family, and playing blue grass music.

Riddle is preceded in death by his wife of 54 years, Patsy Ann Phillips Williams; one brother, Alfred Williams; two sisters, Mary Robinson and Thelma Sarten; and one granddaughter, Kaitlyn Thompson.

Riddle is survived by one son, Kevin Chancey of Alma, Arkansas; one daughter, Melissa Fessler and significant other Brian Mosley of Paris; three brothers, Johnny Williams of Ozark, Arkansas, Kenneth Williams of Denning, Arkansas, and Pete Williams of Alix, Arkansas; two grandchildren, Amber Ross and Taylor Bean; and seven great grandchildren, Daniel Ross, Jackson Ross, Sawyer Ross, Brinlee Thompson, Abbigale Thompson, Michael James, and Lincoln James.

Visitation will be 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M., Wednesday, March 26, 2025 at Shaffer Funeral Home, 2315 West Commercial Street in Ozark.

Funeral service will be 2:00 P.M., Thursday, March 27, 2025 at Shaffer Funeral Home Chapel in Ozark, with Brother James Larabell officiating, with burial at Cedar Grove Cemetery, Shaver Road in Paris, Arkansas.

Serving as pallbearers will be Billy Ray Williams, Tony Williams, Steve Sarten, Jimmy Don Sarten, Daniel Ross, and Jack Ross. Serving as honorary pallbearers will be Brian Mosley, Dusty Ross, Sawyer Ross, and Jimmy Sisk.

To leave an online memorial visit [www.shafferfuneralhomeweb.com](http://www.shafferfuneralhomeweb.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Cedar Grove Cemetery

Shaver Rd.  
Paris, AR

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 26. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Shaffer Funeral Home  
2315 West Commercial Street  
PO Box 680  
Ozark, AR 72949  
(479) 667-4147  
shafferfuneralhome@gmail.com

## Funeral Service

MAR 27. 2:00 PM (CT)

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## Burial

MAR 27 (CT)

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Shaver Rd.  
Paris, AR

# Tribute Wall



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Riddle Edward Williams.

March 27, 2025 at 10:43 AM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Riddle Edward Williams.



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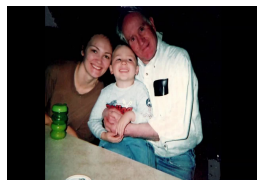
“ Deepest condolences to the family and friends.



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