



## Dan Maxie Burchfield

August 22, 1947 - July 15, 2023

On the morning of July 15, 2023 Dan Maxie Burchfield age 75 went to be with his Lord after a long and courageous battle with ALS. Dan was a native of Itta Bena, Mississippi and a long time resident of Hammond, LA and surrounding area. He was a dedicated member and Deacon of Westside Baptist Church in Ponchatoula.

Dan proudly served his country in the United States Army for two years and was deployed into the Vietnam conflict. He was a member of the 2nd Battalion 27th Infantry Wolfhounds. In June of 1968, he was awarded a Bronze Star for his bravery. He would humbly say, "I just did my duty".

Dan was in the pest control business for over 50 years. In 1985, Dan and his wife moved to Hammond to start his own business Redd Pest Control, now RPC Pest Solutions. He was a member of the Louisiana Pest Control Assn. and served a term as its President.

After joining the Hammond Kiwanis Club in June 1990, he served as President, board member, and played a significant role in the club's major fundraising events such as Tour de Tangipahoa Bike Ride. His commitment and devoted service to the community earned him numerous awards and recognition, including the prestigious George Hixson Fellowship Award. Recently, he was named Emeritus Member of the club. In addition, he served

on the board at Community State Bank and The Hammond Golf.

Along with all he did in service to his church and community, he was an avid golfer. He also enjoyed hiking and camping with his wife and friends. Dan was a friend to all and everyone that knew him loved him.

Words could never express the deep feeling of loss as we say good-bye to this wonderful and loving husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle and friend. He is already dearly missed but we know he is no longer in pain.

Dan is survived by the love of his life, his wife Nettie Lynn Ingram Burchfield; sons, Jon Kevin Burchfield of New Orleans, and Jay Bradley Burchfield (Stacy) of Hammond; sisters, Shirley Hodges of Itta Bena, MS and Delores Mullins (Jim) of Ferriday, LA; brother Allen Burchfield (Anna May) of Natchez, MS; grandsons Caleb Burchfield, Layne Burchfield (Marrissa), Adrian Burchfield, granddaughter Magnolia Burchfield all of Hammond, and many nieces and nephews.

Dan is preceded in death by his parents, James Wade Burchfield, and Dura Allen May Burchfield; brothers, Jasper Burchfield, James Burchfield, William Burchfield, Bobby Burchfield and Billy Burchfield.

Dan's nephews will serve as the Pallbearers for both the Funeral and Graveside services. The Deacons of Westside Baptist Church will serve as Honorary Pallbearers.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to either The Team Gleason Foundation, The Paralyzed Veterans of America or your favorite charitable organization.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend a visitation at Westside

Baptist Church, Ponchatoula, LA on Wednesday, July 19, 2023 from 10:00 a.m. until the start of the Funeral Service at 1:00 p.m. A Graveside Service will be held in the Bear Creek Cemetery, Itta Bena, MS on Thursday, July 20, 2023 at 12:00p.m.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 19. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Westside Baptist Church  
40375 West I 55 Service Rd  
Ponchatoula, LA 70454

## Funeral Service

JUL 19. 1:00 PM (CT)

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## Graveside Service

JUL 20. 12:00 PM.

Bear Creek Cemetery  
Itta Bena, MS

# Tribute Wall



“ *Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Dan Maxie Burchfield*



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**Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home** - July 18, 2023 at 03:57 PM



“ *I lost one of my Best friends and will miss him dearly, however it is very pleasing to know that he is now with his Best Friend - Jesus Christ. May God Bless you Dan and please pray for my soul. Luther Simon*

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**Luther Simon** - July 22, 2023 at 09:21 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dan Maxie Burchfield.*



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July 19, 2023 at 08:47 PM



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“ *Always enjoyed Dan's company at many Kiwanis events...Rest In Peace, My Friend...rc*

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**Ricky Currier, Amite Kiwanis** - July 19, 2023 at 04:25 PM



“ *The halls of Heaven have been enhanced by the presence of one of our most beloved citizens. Dan exemplified the attributes our Heavenly Father desires in His children.. He loved God and his fellowman with all of his might, heart, and soul. He was totally devoted to Nellie and his sons. He believed that he was placed on this earth to serve God and his fellowman, and he did so with humility and enthusiasm. He was a patriot who loved his country and was willing to die for it. He endured the trials and tribulations of one of the most horrid diseases inflicted on mankind by satan and did so without complaint and with unwavering faith. He was one of the best friends God could give a man. To Nettie, Jon, and Jay: May God's peace that "passeth all understanding" comfort you with the knowledge that Dan is worshipping at the throne of our Heavenly Father.*

*Pat Settoon*

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**Pat Settoon** - July 18, 2023 at 11:33 AM



“ *Dan was a man of God who inspired others. He and Nettie were knitted together as one in a beautiful way. He loved the Lord, adored his wife, loved his children, his friends, his church family, our great country, and enjoyed life to the fullest. He is now in the presence of the Lord, worshiping and enjoying rich fellowship with other saints who went before him. He leaves behind a legacy of faith as an example for others. Pray for the Lord to comfort his dear wife, their kids, and the rest of the family, and all who miss him. Most of all, meet Dan in heaven by trusting in Christ as your Lord and Savior.*

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**Anthony Solis** - July 18, 2023 at 10:00 AM



“ *To Nettie, the sons, and all the family, our hearts go out to you. We are saddened deeply by this loss of such a wonderful man. His big smile and warm welcome greeted everyone. He was an incredible blessing to family, friends, church, and community. He was one of the best deacons I ever had. We will miss him dearly. Our continual prayers are going up to heaven that God's grace and strength will meet all your needs in the days ahead.*

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**Gerald L. Stevens** - July 18, 2023 at 10:00 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dan Maxie Burchfield.*



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July 18, 2023 at 09:16 AM

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“ My heartfelt sympathy is extended to Nettie and his sons and all of the family. My best memories of Dan is his friendliness and always smiling when We would talk with him. I remember when Jerry and I joined the fellowship of Westside Church I looked back to the back as we stood in the front and he was giving us a thumbs up. He was a very good friend and a very good man. We will miss you Dan but I know you are not suffering any longer. You are free in heaven and praising Jesus.

Ann BENTON - July 18, 2023 at 12:43 AM

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“ Nettie and family...I prayed along with you and many others for total and complete healing and he is healed now. We just all wish it had been herehere but the Lord had other plans. Dan surelyfought the good fight and finished the race. I feel the Lord met him and said "Welcome Home my good and faithful servant. Praying for you all.



Glenda Sharkey - July 17, 2023 at 05:02 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Dan Maxie Burchfield.



July 17, 2023 at 03:53 PM