



Franklin "Frank" Andrews Jr.

February 11, 2015

Franklin L. Andrews, Jr., 73, was born in Tallahassee, Florida in 1941 and passed away at his home on February 11, 2015 surrounded by his loving family.

Frank graduated from Leon High School in 1959, attended Radio Electronics School in Miami, FL, returned to Tallahassee where he attended Florida State University. He served in the United States Air Force from 1961-1965, after which he began his career in the brick business. He joined Cheraw Brick Works in SC as plant superintendent in 1966. Two years later he became Executive Vice President of Palmetto Brick Company. In 1988 he purchased a brick distributorship in Marshville, NC and moved the business, (Brickworks) to Monroe, NC. He sold the business in 2010 and retired to Tallahassee to marry his high school sweetheart.

Frank was deeply involved in the Brick Institute of America and held various positions in the local Chambers of Commerce. He served on the Board of Directors as president of the local Lions Club and attended St. David's Episcopal Church in Cheraw where he taught Sunday School and twice served on the Vestry as Junior and Senior Warden.

Frank was passionate about his family. He dearly loved his wife, children and grandchildren. He loved sports and always said he had the best life had to

offer in the way of hunting and fishing. Tennis was his passion. He won district and made several trips to the SC state playoffs.

He met people from all walks of life and loved the comradery. He said you could always tell a lot about a man's character by the way he called the lines in tennis. Tallahassee tennis amazed him.

Frank was preceded in death by his father, Frank, Sr., his mother, Ruby Moon; and his sister

Betty Gail Burch. He is survived by his loving wife, Sherry Hartsfield Andrews; and children, Frank, III (Kathy), Lesli Andrews (John), Stephen Stroud (Nancy) and Ashleigh Munn (Collins).

He is also survived by his 8 grandchildren, Nicholas Odom, Madison Odom, Alexa Odom, Grayson Munn, Hayden Munn, Sarah Camille Munn, Cody Andrews, Candace Mitchell (Devin); his siblings, Marvin Andrews (Gingir), David Andrews (Susan Hartsfield Andrews), Fred Andrews (Bonnie), Joan Consalvi; brother-in-law, Stephen Hartsfield, III (Patty); and many loving nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held at 2:00 pm at St. Peter's Anglican Church on Thomasville Road, Friday, February 27th. A Reception will follow. In lieu of flowers a memorial contribution in Frank's name can be made to St. Peters Anglican Church, Big Bend Hospice or your favorite charity.

Cemetery Details

Oakland Cemetery

838 N Bronough St
Tallahassee, FL 32303

Tribute Wall

MA

“ I was so touched when our son Harvey, who was 4 or 5 at the time, invited Frank to a program he was in at St. David's School. Frank said, "You know Pop Frank wouldn't miss it." To see Harvey's face when he saw Frank there was priceless. Frank said, "Your granddaddy would have loved you, and I love you, too."

It meant so much to all of us to have been supported and loved by Frank Andrews. What a prince of a man!

Douglas & Mary

Mary Anderson - February 26, 2015 at 08:01 AM

CM

“ One of the finest men there ever was. I remember going out to the Anderson pond and Frank pulling the truck with one hand and pulling the boat on the trailer with the other hand and pulling them together to hook them up. He could slap water ski too. Also, the walls on the St David's bbq pit are so high because they were measured to Franks waist. Everybody else had to stand on stools to flip the pork and chickens. There are many many fond memories for me. He probably never knew this but he was a mentor to me. I am a better man for having known Frank Andrews. Janice and my prayers go with you all during this time.

Crawford Moore - February 25, 2015 at 06:34 PM

BW

“ Dear Sherry: Frank and Leslie will perhaps remember me, but I was Rector at St. David's Cheraw back in the '70s and have many wonderful memories of working w/ Frank there, including playing the guitar together.

Frank was just the very best, and we all loved him.

Love and blessings to you,

Father Bob Williams
Bird Song Cottage
603 W. Greene St
Cheraw SC 29520

Bob Williams - February 25, 2015 at 12:07 PM

GD

“ Your St. David's family is saddened by your loss. He was such an active part of our ministry when he was in Cheraw. Your family remains in our prayers.

Gayle Davis - February 23, 2015 at 09:01 AM

 Cat Mossburg

“ Uncle Frank was the BEST uncle ever! I will never forget his amazing, booming voice, fun family times in the basement, and how he made everyone feel so important and loved. He passed on the same day a coworker's friend lost her 4 month old baby. I guaranteed her my Uncle Frank would be watching over that little boy, because that's the type of man he was. I love you, Uncle Frank.
-Catherine

Cat Mossburg - February 18, 2015 at 11:26 PM

RG

“ This is really a voice out of the past but in my younger years growing up in Tallahassee we lived next door to the Andrews family and remember well the Andrews boys and the sisters and of course Frank Sr, Ruby and Grandma Andrews. Fred and I were ball playing buddies while Marvin was a little older and Frankie was a little younger. Fred was the athlete while Frankie was the mild mannered one. I talked to him briefly while he was in South Carolina while he was in the brick business but I lost touch with him shortly thereafter. I always wanted to touch base with the family when I went to Tallahassee but my visits have always been short. Sorry to hear of Franks passing and may the Good Lord keep and bless his family. An old friend from Coviington, Ga. Richard Garner

Richard Garner - February 18, 2015 at 06:57 PM

HS

“ There are too many memories to share of my "Uncle" Frank - such a wonderful man with a beautiful heart. He, like many of our other neighbors, played such an integral part in my early life. It was a true village, our neighborhood. And he treated me and my siblings as his own. I love him and feel blessed that he was a part of my life and upbringing. Thank you, Uncle Frank.

Heather Godbold Sjostrom - February 18, 2015 at 05:53 PM