



James "Jim" Clanton Price Jr.

April 6, 1943 - May 14, 2026

James Clanton Price, Jr. ("Jim"), age 83, of Woodstock, Alabama, passed away peacefully on May 14, 2026 surrounded by family and loved ones. Jim was born on April 6, 1943, in West Blocton, Alabama.

Jim was preceded in death by his father, James Clanton Price, Sr.; his mother, Minnie O'Delle Price;

his sister, Joyce Price Reynolds; and his brother, Daniel Price.

He is survived by his devoted wife of 62 years, Mary Ann Russo Price; his daughter, Jamye

Price Specht; son-in-law, Jeff; three grandchildren, Riley Elizabeth, Mason James, and

Kaden Robert; and his nephew, Price Reynolds.

Jim dedicated 32 years of service to the Bessemer Police Department, rising to the rank of

Lieutenant. Following his retirement, he continued his commitment to law enforcement as

a trustee with the Fraternal Order of Police and as a member of the Alabama State Police

Honor Guard.

A man of strong faith and service, Jim was an active member of the Bessemer YMCA and

First Baptist Church of Woodstock. At the church, he faithfully served as a deacon and Sunday School teacher, touching many lives through his kindness, wisdom, and unwavering dedication to his faith.

Jim treasured time spent with family, friends, and his church community, and he will be

remembered for his integrity, servant's heart, and deep love for those around him. His

legacy of service, faith, and devotion to family will continue to live on in the hearts of all

who knew and loved him. The funeral service for Jim will be Monday, May 18, 2026 at 11:00 a.m. at Woodstock First Baptist Church with burial following at Bibbville Baptist Church Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the church Monday from 10:00 a.m. until service time. Bro. Steven Hicks will be officiating the service. In lieu of flowers a donation can be made to First Baptist Church Woodstock to the W.M.U. water project.

Cemetery Details

Bibbville Cemetery

Woodstock, AL

Previous Events

Receive Friends

MAY 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church-Woodstock
2473 Coldwater Rd
Woodstock, AL 35188-3638
(205) 938-7479

Funeral Service

MAY 18. 11:00 AM.

Woodstock First Baptist Church