



Harold Turner

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Lakeland – Harold Turner, 81, of Lakeland, FL, passed away at his home on March 30, 2016. He was born in Metter, GA in July of 1934. He worked as a machinist in the beverage industry, and he was a member of Highland City Baptist Church.

He is preceded in death by his parents, two sisters, and four brothers.

He is survived by his loving wife of 65 years, Merle Turner; his daughters, Linda Houston (Wayne), Gail Ballard (Lanny), Priscilla Caustic (Michael); his brother, Don Turner; his sister, Donnie Jackson; ten grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren.

A visitation will be at Gentry-Morrison Southside Chapel on Sunday, April 3, 2016 from 1-2pm with funeral service at 2pm. Interment to immediately follow at Oak Hill Burial Park.



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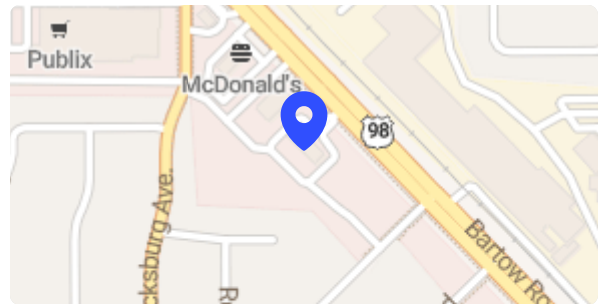
Visitation

 **Sunday**, April 3, 2016

 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM ET

 **Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes - Southside Chapel**

1727 Bartow Road, Lakeland FL 33801



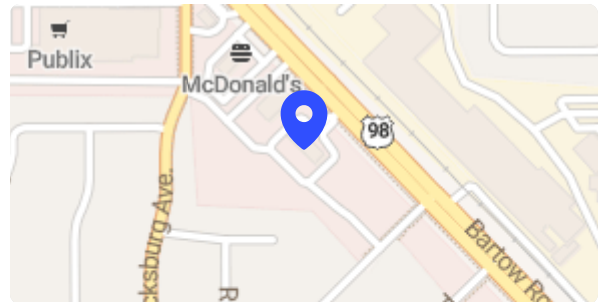
Funeral Service

 **Sunday**, April 3, 2016

 2:00 PM ET

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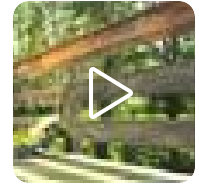
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Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes shared a **Tribute Video**.



April 1 at 9:55 AM



Lorrie Turner lit a candle in honor of Harold.

Uncle Harold I know you're among the many others we've loved in the family who watch over us as Angels do, but we will miss your smile and great hugs. You were like my daddy with that heart of gold. I remember how you always treated me just like one of your girls when we visited. They'll be a piece of you in my heart forever.



April 5 at 6:23 PM



Faye Stephenson lit a candle in honor of Harold.



April 3 at 4:06 PM



Yolanda And Mark Nance, Joshua And Nicole Bailey sent a Medium Dish Garden to the Turner family.



April 3 at 5:07 AM



Priscilla Caustic lit a candle in honor of Harold.



April 3 at 2:44 AM

FS Faye Stephenson April 3 at 3:53 PM

During my teen years I practically lived at the Turner house. I will always be thankful for their kindness and treating me like family. He will be missed. ❤️ my love and condolences to the family. Faye Stephenson



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Paul Turner sent an A New Sunrise Spray to the Turner family.



April 2 at 10:05 AM



Priscilla Caustic posted:

Our Dad, Our Pop, Our Friend, Nana's Best Friend and Husband, A Great Grandfather who Loved His Little One's, A Brother that Loved his Family Dearly, A devoted loving Son and Son in law, A wonderful Father in law, An Uncle that has been there for any and all that needed him. A Friend that was always there to help, no matter what the need. Our Pop was not a rich man with money and gold! He was the richest man I know with a heart of gold! He believed in Family values which he instilled in each of us. He is a warm loving caring man who has gone through many tough times. He was a guardian, protecting his family in any means he seen fit. He is a Christian man, he may not have went to church in these later years, but he was raised in the church and continued his faith with God all through his years. I remember loving to hear about his life growing up, things he has seen, people he has met, like George Jones, he's even been to George's home, when he and Tammy lived here in Highland City. He talked about his work at Crown Cork and Seal, and the hamburger joint they ate at, Royal Castle, on the corner of hwy 98 and hwy 60 in Bartow. His Granddaughters and Great Granddaughters was his princesses in his heart and eyes with each one of them in their own special way, they were his pride and joy. He thought the sun shined through each of them. Loving to spend time with every one of them, holding them, playing with them, listening to them talk about work and school. They will still be his princesses and he will continue to watch over them. His Grandsons and Great Grandsons he taught about spec fishing, and hunting. He taught all of how to swim, by tossing in the pool! Our favorite times was sit around the fire hearing about his younger days of church, family times together. The hunting trips with him sitting around camp he would tell us about his boxing days, and his years of growing up. Teaching us about family values and morals and the respect of others. We taught us about life itself. You put pop around a fire pit with just guys and he would tell stories to us guys that wasn't for the women folk to hear. We all laughed and had a blast. Pop was a tough man when he had to be, but his heart was always loving and caring. Taking care of Nana and his family, was number one! He would call nana emmie short (Merle), Momma was his right arm, sometimes his left one too. She took great care of dad, no matter how tired her little body was, she would keep a going. We will always cherish each memory and he will be with us always. He will be watching over us all and we will feel his presence with us from time to time. He is so loved by us all and we will miss him greatly.

April 1 at 5:50 AM



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Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes shared a photo to the **LifeTributes** album.



April 2 at 4:55 AM



Anonymous sent a Treasured Lilies Spray to the Turner family.



April 1 at 12:24 PM



Myrtle Hall posted:

This world has lost and heaven has gained a truly wonderful, caring, sweet man. I know my mom welcomed him with open arms. I hope the great memories and stories of Uncle Harold they have to share, will help Aunt Merle and the girls as they struggle to heal their broken hearts. Love the pictures of him and family members. Love this Family!!

April 1 at 8:55 AM



Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes shared an album called **LifeTributes**.



April 1 at 5:50 AM



Anonymous sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Turner family.



April 1 at 5:50 AM



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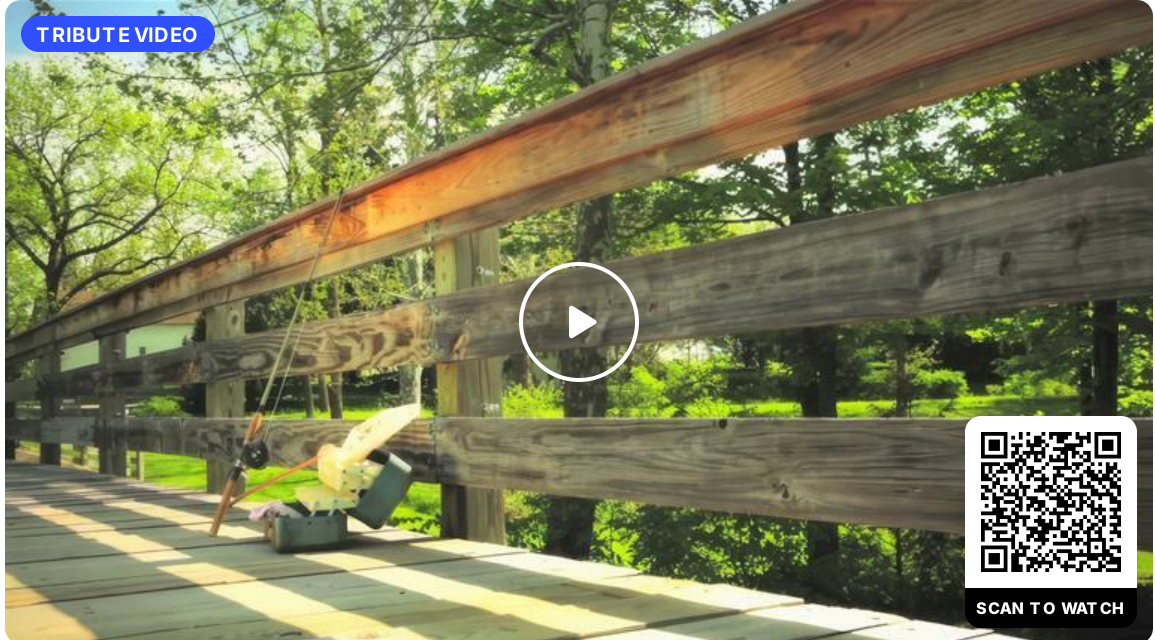
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April 1 at 9:55 AM



Crystal Hall April 2 at 4:01 PM

I love these pictures so much. This is Jessie. My phone was giving me problems. Thank you for such beautiful memories. We love everyone of y'all so much!



Crystal Hall April 2 at 8:29 AM

I love this man! He was always a face of comfort and love in trying times of my family. I remember every surgery, illness, and death. He was always there on the scene! Sometimes the first! I will always be grateful for having him around when times were tough! He always brought hugs and love especially the morning my father passed! I most definitely needed his hugs that day! With him always being there no matter how life got in the way or distance between family I learned from this great man you always show up!



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Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes shared 63 photos to the **LifeTributes** album.

April 1 at 6:24 AM

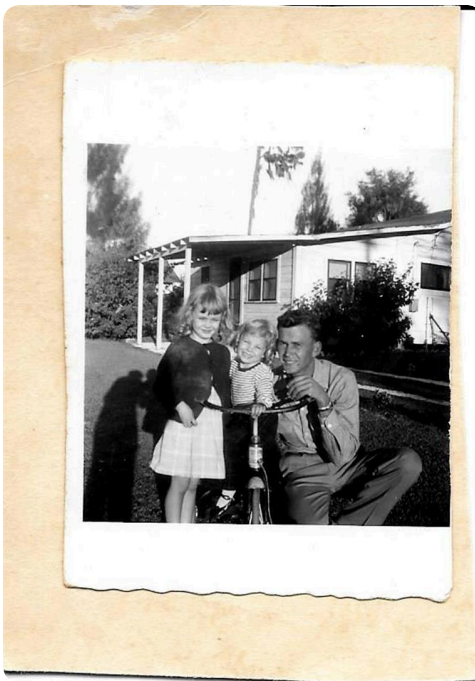




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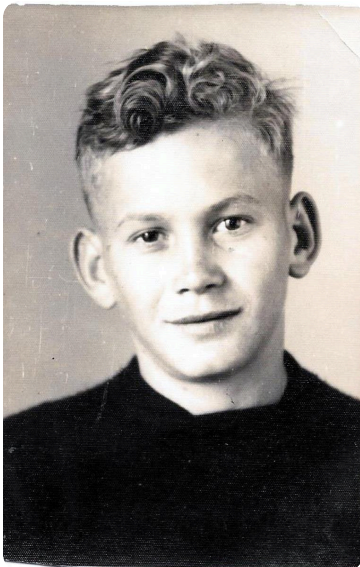




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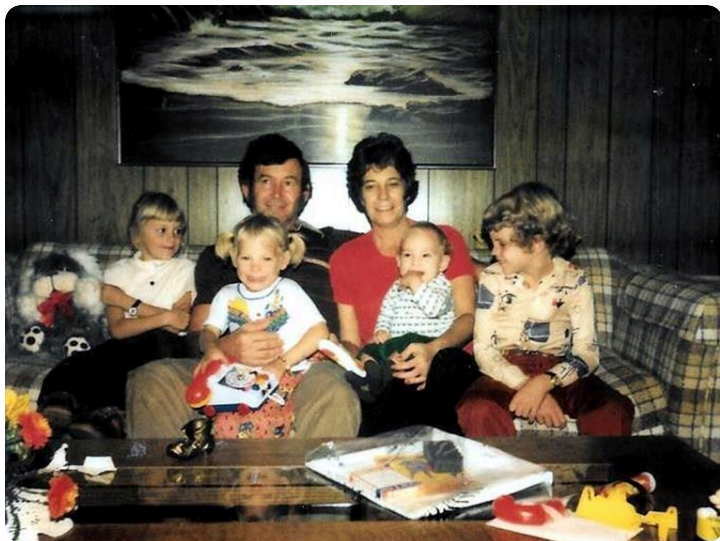




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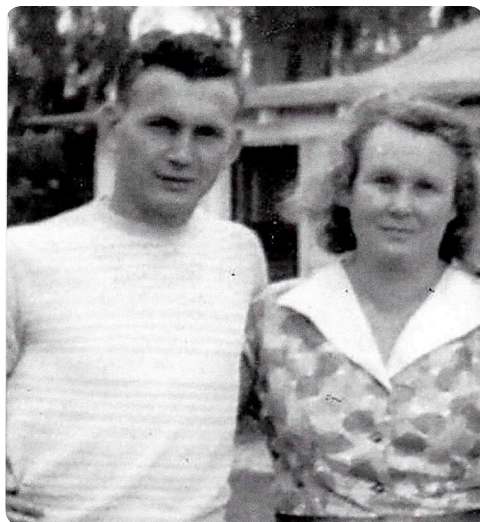




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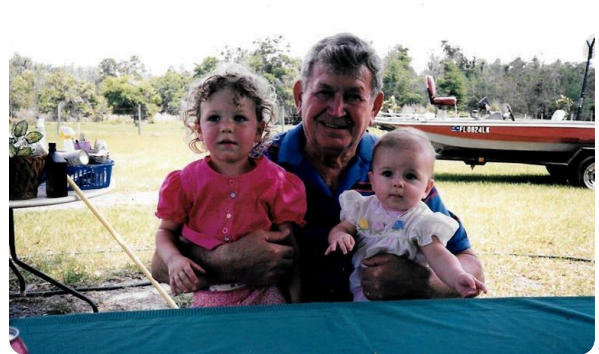
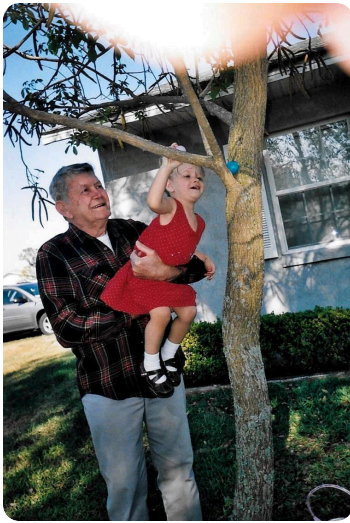




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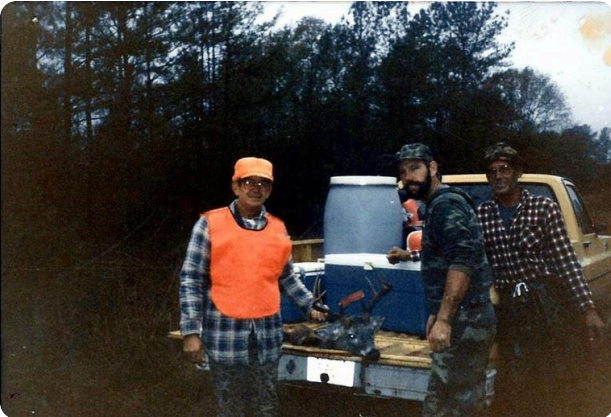
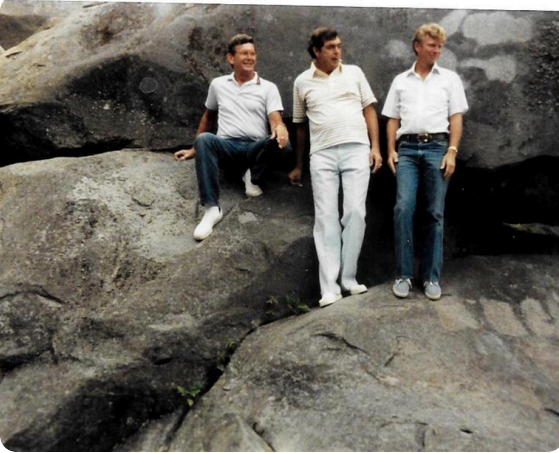




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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Harold by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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