



William "Bill" Agee

September 10, 1918 - March 2, 2015

William M. "Bill" Agee, age 96 of Newport, passed away Monday, March 2, 2015, at his home.

He was a Charter Member and Lifetime Trustee of Providence Baptist Church. Mr. Agee was retired from the National Bank of Tennessee, where he had served as President for many years.

He was a veteran having served in the Army Air Corps during WWII.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Nona Agee; sisters, Katherine (Kitty) Smith and Imogene O'Dell.

He is survived by his son and daughter-in-law, Jim and Teri Agee of Morristown; daughter and son-in-law, Ella and Gary Ford of Newport; grandchildren, Josh (Ashely) Moore of Cosby; Molly Ford (Gary Ealy) of Newport; great-grandchildren, Brylee, Bradyn, and Brynli Moore and Pyper Ealy; and many friends.

The family will receive friends from 12:00 noon until 2:00 pm Wednesday, March 4, 2015 with funeral service following at 2:00 pm in Manes Funeral Home Chapel, with Rev. Scott Gorrell officiating.

Burial will follow in Union Cemetery.

Family and friends may sign the guest register on line at: www.manesfuneralhome.com

Manes Funeral Home in charge.

Tribute Wall



“ *William "Bill" Agee*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *Dear Ella, what a wonderful and long life that your Dad had! I do know how hard it is to lose a parent and just wanted you to know I was thinking of you and sending my sympathy. He was truly a GENTLEman!*

Becky Petrey Ragsdale - April 24, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss.*

Diana Baxter - May 20, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mr. Agee was such a sweet and gentle man. He will be sadly missed.*

Vickie (Butler) Costner - March 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *what a wonderful person. so glad that I had an opportunity to know him.*

Bill Hicks & Diana Steinfeld Hicks - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ Prayers to you all during this loss of such a great man. I knew Bill from the nursing home when he came to visit Miss Kitty. Always such a happy smile on her face when he came to visit. He was always in such great spirits and truly a delight to talk with.

Amy MacDonald - March 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ Ella, our thoughts, prayers, & hugs are with you!! Ginni & Frank!

Ginni Walker Foust - March 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ William "Bill" Agee

Lisa and Bill Collier - March 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ William "Bill" Agee

Abby Balch - March 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TJ

“ Ella and Gary - You're in my thoughts and prayers.

Tresa Jones - March 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GK

“ William "Bill" Agee

Gary S. and Dorothy J. Kyker - March 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RL

“ we loved him so so much!!!!!!!!!!

roella linebarger - March 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ Dear Agee Family, I know Mr. Agee through my work with the Girl Scouts of Tanasi Council. He was a kind, thoughtful, generous man...always wanting the best for his community, for children, for his family. It was an honor to know him and his wife. Please a

Lucille Griffo - March 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Mr. Agee was truly a gentleman who enjoyed life and people. He will be greatly missed by all.

Janice Seay - March 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ I am so sorry. Praying for you.

Angie Gentry - March 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ I am so sorry.

Kathy McCarter - March 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Deepest Sympathies to family and friends. You dear sir will be greatly missed. Godspeed.

David & Sandra Johnson & Sons - March 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ William "Bill" Agee

Bill and Patsy Williams - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ Remembering the family in thoughts and prayers.

A.C. & Stacy Willis - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ I am so sorry for your loss. He was such a wonderful man. My mother was hired in as his secretary when he was President of NBN. He was always so kind to my brother & I. I saw him not long ago at Janices restaurant. He was always the same whenever I saw

Kim Hall - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ My prayers, love, and deepest sympathy extended to this wonderful family

susie dollar - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KH

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Kim Hall - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RO

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RICHARD & LINDA OWENS - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DL

“ The family of Mr. Agee will be in my prayers during this time.

Darby Linholm - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ Molly, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Alexis and Jason Willis - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ To family, So sorry for your loss. My dad (Wayne Nease) worked at NBT for 50 years. Bill always had a smile on his face and a hug for me when I came in the bank. He will be missed by everyone that knew him. My dad and I loved him dearly.

Melissa Nease Wood and Mike Woos - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

WS

“ Sorry for the loss. He will be greatly missed by many. He was a good man. Willie Strange. Strange Tree Cut and Landscaping.

Willie and Lisa Strange - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

WL

“ Ella and molly, we are so very sorry for the lost of your father and grandfather. He was a good man. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this difficult time.

woody and Tura Lawson - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ William "Bill" Agee

Chesney Crawford - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ We feel so Blessed to have known such a fine gentleman. We will truly miss the telephone conversations and visits in his home when we came back to Tennessee. In the early 1990's he really welcomed us into the family. What a great man he was!!!

Larry and Arlene Smith - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ It was always a pleasure to visit with Bill Agee. Indeed a fine gentleman who will be missed by his family and many friends.

Anne & Ed Beeler - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BN

“ Mr. Agee was a fine man, role model, and a good friend. He will be missed by many besides me.

Bill Newman - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ Ella, Don and I just learned of your father's passing. Both visitation and his service were over before we found out so we did not get to see you. We are so sorry for your loss. We will be praying for your family during this difficult time.

Paula Moss - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ May the precious memories of your loved one carry you through these difficult time. With Heartfelt Prayers & Sympathy, Jabo & Tammy Francis

Tammy Francis - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ To the family, So sorry for your loss. Mr. Agee was a great man who will be missed by many. My dad (Wayne Nease) worked at the bank for 50 years and when I would go there he always had a hug and a smile for me. Bill was like a grandfather to me and I I

Missy Nease Wood and Mike - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AP

“ So sorry for your lose. Me and Kristy thought so much of Mr. Agee.

Aileen Renner / Kristy Parks - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ To the family of William Agee, I am sorry for your loss. May you find comfort in knowing that "Jehovah is close to the brokenhearted; He saves those who are crushed in spirit." (Psalm 34:18) With sympathy,

kelsey lee - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ With our sympathy and prayers!

Rob and Lisa Myers - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ My sincere condolences in the death of your loved one. May the Bible's promise of his resurrection to everlasting life in paradise, where you can be reunited with him, help ease your sorrow at this time. Job 14:13-15; Psalm 37:29.

Jessica Miller - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ Sorry to hear about Uncle Bill. He was a great man. I will keep the family in my thoughts and prayers. Much love, Barbara

Barbara Houchin - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ i will never forget you Mr Agee, you were a huge part of my life. Thank you for always showing Kim and I nothing but Kindness. We were very small when you hired our Mother. But I will truly miss you! God Bless your Family! You will be in our Prayers!!

Chad & Gina Crum - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ With deepest sympathy Doug and Joyce Shoemaker

Doug and Joyce Shoemaker - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ Mr. Agee was always such a kind and gentle person. He was a true gentlemen. He will be missed by all who knew him.

Mary and Dale Lindsey - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BD

“ You are in my prayers. Mr. Agee was a blessing to all who knew him

Becky Dance - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RL

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Randall Linholm - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ He was such a sweet person! Prayers for the family...God bless.33

Donn & Annette Berney - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ Sad to hear of the passing of Mr. Agee. Always a gentleman, something that is rare now.

Jennifer Lewis - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ William "Bill" Agee

Dale and Nancy Raines - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

VB

“ With Sympathy

Valerie Fine Blazer - March 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

FE

“ I remember how welcoming Bill Agee was to us when we came to Newport. He has always been a true gentleman and will be missed.

Fletcher and Penny Ervin - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BE

“ So sorry for your loss.

Bobby, Debbie, Melissa Erby - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

EE

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Earl & Ila Ruth Edmonds - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PW

“ Thoughts and prayers for all of the family for one of the most kind, greatest and gentle man we have known. He will be greatly missed.

Parker & Nanette Wilds - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

FG

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FRED & PEGGY Giles - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JC

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Jay & Mary Ann Chrisman - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TD

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Tiffany Dover - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MH

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Mrs. Sarah Hartsell - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ Love and Prayers!

Debbie and Heather Greene - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

IJ

“ To Bill's Family, I am truly sorry to learn of Bill's passing! He & Nona were dear friends to my Mom & Dad, and I considered him a mentor to me since I returned home in 1995. My heart & my prayers are with you all! Fondly, Iliff Jr.

Iliff McMahan, Jr. - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

NH

“ Mr. Agee was a great neighbor! We will miss him. Prayers for his family.

Nick and Amanda Holt - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ William "Bill" Agee

Steve Webb - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ Jim, so sorry to hear about your Dad's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and family.

Sam-Sheryl-Elijah - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ God's love and blessings bestowed upon all of you during this time.

Gail Burchette - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ Ella, I am so sorry to hear of your father's passing. He was a sweet and kind man. Prayers for peace and comfort for you and your family.

Julia Minnick Keener - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ *A truly great man and personal friend and he will be missed - big time!*

tom mooty - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ *Hated to hear of your Father's passing, my prayers are with you and family.*

David Harrell - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ *Dear Jim, I'm so very sorry to hear about your father. Your parents and aunt were always so kind and welcoming when I was at your house so many years ago. I remember them all with much regard.*

Greg Cates - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RO

“ *William "Bill" Agee*

Roy & Jeanenne Ownby - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BG

“ *Prayers for the Agee family.*

Bobby and Carole Grooms - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Many fond memories of the Agee family and their kindness and friendship to my Dad and Mom and our entire family.....Bill Agee was a good man.*

Ray Fancher - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ *Sorry for your loss.*

Ben & Jill Butler - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ *So sorry to learn of Mr. Agee's passing. He was truly a great man. He will me missed by all that had the pleasure of knowing him.*

Kay and Kim Gregg - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ *So sorry for your loss, thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

Sheila Hill - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DL

“ *So sorry for your loss. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.*

Debbie Wright Lovell - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ *Mr. Agee will be missed by many.*

James Williford - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DR

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D C & WILMA RAMSEY - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM

WM

“ *To the Agee Family Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Mr. Agee has meant of lot to both of us in the past. Wiley and Betty Morgan*

Wiley and Betty Morgan - March 03, 2015 at 12:00 AM