



## Willie Frank Mathis

October 16, 1926 - January 24, 2006

Funeral services for Mr. Willie Frank Mathis, age 79, are scheduled for 11:00AM, Thursday, January 26, 2006 at First Baptist Church of Lexington with Dr. Hoyt Wilson officiating. Burial will follow in Poplar Grove Methodist Cemetery in Dyer, TN. Mr. Mathis died Tuesday in Lexington. He was born October 16, 1926 in Gibson County to the late Samuel E. and Dollie Shanklin Mathis. He was a retired employee of Brown Shoe Company, a mason, and a member of First Baptist Church. Mr. Mathis was preceded in death by his son, Nathan Kelley Mathis, three brothers, Lawrence, Darrell, and Charles Mathis, and a foster brother, Thomas Mathis. He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Melanie (John) Hatley of Jackson, his brother, Mr. Glenn Mathis of Corinth, MS, his two adopted sisters, Donna Bates and Frances Powell of Dyer, TN, and his two grandsons, Marc (Lauren) Hatley and Andrew Hatley of Jackson.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **25**. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

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## Service

JAN **26**. 11:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church

Highland Avenue

Jackson, TN

# Tribute Wall



“ *Melanie and family,  
I am so sorry for your loss. I didn't know about it until after the funeral or I would have been there. I thought a lot of your Dad. He was always so sweet to me and my parents. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*  
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